Sample prayers for when your Adult Children are facing difficult decisions

Using NIV

By Lisa Hodgins, Prayers for Your Adult children

1. I pray they will seek God’s will in this decision. (Matt 6:33 But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well.)
2. I pray they will look to God’s word for guidance. (Ps 119:105 Your word is a lamp for my feet, and a light for my path.)
3. I pray they will seek wise counsel. (Prov 12:15 The way of fools seems right to them, but the wise listen to advice.)
4. I pray they make their decision with right motives. (Prov 16:2 All a person’s ways seem pure to them, but motives are weighted by the Lord.)
5. I pray they will clearly see what choices they need to make. (Prov 3:5-6 Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; In all your ways submit to him, and he will make your paths straight.)
6. I pray they will be courageous in moving forward with their decision. ( Ps 31:24 Be strong and take heart, all you who hope in the Lord.)
7. I pray they will have peace with their decision. (John 14:27 Peace I leave with you; my peace I give you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid.)
8. I pray they will be thankful to God for guiding them. (I Thes 5:18 Give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God’s will for you in Christ Jesus.)