



FAITHFUL SEASONS WITH GRACE

Abiding Prayer Cards

*Six short prayers to help you stay near to God, and six prompts to teach you to
pray in your own words*

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HOW TO USE THESE CARDS

Print, cut along the card edges, and keep this set wherever you spend time with God. Each card has a short written prayer on the front, built from Scripture, and a prompt on the back to help you pray the same truth in your own words. Use the front when you need words. Use the back when you are ready to find your own.

CARD ONE

Staying Near

Lord, You are the vine and I am the branch. I cannot bear fruit on my own, and I do not want to try anymore. Keep me close to You today, not because I have earned it, but because You have invited me. When I drift, draw me back. When I forget, remind me. I want to stay near.

BASED ON JOHN 15:4-5 (ESV)

NOW PRAY IT YOURSELF

Where have you been trying to bear fruit on your own strength lately? Tell God honestly, and ask Him to draw you back near.

CARD TWO

When It Feels Hard

Lord, today does not feel close. My heart is tired and the words are not coming easily. But You have never asked me to feel my way to You. You have only asked me to come. So here I am, even like this. Meet me in the hard place. I am not staying away.

BASED ON PSALM 73:23, JOHN 8:31-32 (ESV)

NOW PRAY IT YOURSELF

What does today actually feel like? Tell God plainly, without dressing it up, and ask Him to meet you exactly where you are.

CARD THREE

Guarding My Heart

Lord, keep watch over my heart today, for everything I do flows from it. Guard my thoughts. Guard my words. When something tries to pull me away from You, give me the strength to resist it and the wisdom to notice it before it takes root.

BASED ON PROVERBS 4:23, JAMES 4:7 (ESV)

NOW PRAY IT YOURSELF

What has been quietly pulling at your heart this week? Name it to God and ask Him to guard that specific place.

CARD FOUR

In the Waiting

Lord, I do not know how long this season will last, but I know You are not absent from it. Renew my strength while I wait. Help me to abide in You today, not just on the other side of this, but right here, in the middle of it.

BASED ON ISAIAH 40:31 (ESV)

NOW PRAY IT YOURSELF

What are you waiting on right now? Tell God what waiting actually feels like for you today.

CARD FIVE

On Ordinary Days

Lord, today is not a special day. There is laundry, and dishes, and a list that does not end. But You are present in the ordinary as much as the extraordinary. Let me find You here, in the middle of the unremarkable, and let that be enough.

BASED ON COLOSSIANS 3:17 (ESV)

NOW PRAY IT YOURSELF

What does today actually look like? Invite God specifically into the ordinary parts of it, by name.

CARD SIX

Coming Back

Lord, I drifted again. I let other things crowd You out, and I am sorry. But I am not staying away. I am coming back, the same way I always will when I wander. Thank You for never closing the door. Receive me now.

BASED ON 1 JOHN 1:9, LUKE 15:20 (ESV)

NOW PRAY IT YOURSELF

What has pulled your attention away from God lately? Tell Him honestly, and tell Him you are coming back.
