

PAPERCLIPS

A Small Tool with a Big Biblical Message

A **paperclip** is a simple piece of bent wire designed to hold papers together. Though small and inexpensive, it keeps important documents organized, secure, and from becoming scattered.

As Christians, we are called to be "**paperclips**" in a spiritual sense, helping hold people together through love, truth, encouragement, prayer, and the Word of God.

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P – Pray Continually

"Pray without ceasing." (1 Thessalonians 5:17)

Prayer keeps us connected to God every day.

A – Abide in Christ

"Abide in Me, and I in you." (John 15:4)

Our strength comes from remaining close to Jesus.

P – Practice God's Word

"Be doers of the word, and not hearers only." (James 1:22)

Faith grows when we live what we learn.

E – Encourage Others

"Encourage one another and build each other up." (1 Thessalonians 5:11)

Our words should strengthen hearts.

R – Remain Faithful

"Be faithful until death, and I will give you the crown of life." (Revelation 2:10)

Stay steadfast through every season.

C – Choose Christ Daily

"Choose for yourselves this day whom you will serve." (Joshua 24:15)

Following Jesus is a daily decision.

L – Love Like Jesus

"Love one another as I have loved you." (John 13:34)

Love is the greatest evidence of a transformed heart.

I – Influence Others for Christ

"You are the light of the world." (Matthew 5:14)

Our lives should point people to Jesus.

P – Persevere in Faith

"Let us run with endurance the race that is set before us." (Hebrews 12:1)

Keep trusting God even when life is difficult.

S – Shine for God's Glory

"Let your light so shine before men..." (Matthew 5:16)

Everything we do should bring glory to our Heavenly Father.

Biblical Takeaway

A paperclip doesn't attract much attention, yet it faithfully keeps important things together.

As followers of Jesus, we are called to:

- Hold tightly to God's Word.
- Help strengthen one another.
- Keep our faith from becoming scattered.
- Stay connected to Christ.
- Point others to the Savior.

Never underestimate the value of small acts of faithfulness. God often uses ordinary people to accomplish extraordinary things for His Kingdom.

"Faithfulness in the little things often reveals God's greatest work."



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