

**Psalm 5:1-3 (NIV)**

Listen to my words, Lord, Consider my lament. Hear my cry for help, My king and my God,  
For to you I pray. In the morning, Lord, you hear my voice; In the morning I lay my requests before you  
And wait expectantly.

**Colossians 4:2-5 (NLT)**

Devote yourselves to prayer with an alert mind and a thankful heart. Pray for us, too that God will give us many opportunities to speak about his mysterious plan concerning Christ. That is why I am here in chains. Pray that I will proclaim this message as clearly as I should.

Live wisely among those who are not believers, and make the most of every opportunity.

**1 Timothy 2:1-3 (MSG)**

The first thing I want you to do is pray. Pray every way you know how, for everyone you know. Pray especially for rulers and their governments to rule well so we can be quietly about our business of living simply, in humble contemplation. This is the way our Savior God wants us to live.

**Ephesians 6:18 (MSG)**

In the same way, prayer is essential in this ongoing warfare. Pray hard and long. Pray for your brothers and sisters. Keep your eyes open. Keep each other's spirits up so that no one falls behind or drops out.

**Philippians 2:13 (AMP)**

For it is [not your strength, but it is] <sup>13</sup>God who is effectively at work in you, both to will and to work [that is, strengthening, energizing, and creating in you the longing and the ability to fulfill your purpose] for His good pleasure.

**Philippians 4:6 & 7 (NLT)**

“Don't worry about anything; instead, pray about everything. Tell God what you need, and thank him for all he has done. Then you will experience God's peace, which exceeds anything we can understand. His peace will guard your hearts and minds as you live in Christ Jesus.”

**Matthew 8:13 (AMP)**

“... it will be done for you as you have believed.”

**John 16:7 (AMP)**

But I tell you the truth, it is to your advantage that I go away; for if I do not go away, the Helper (Comforter, Advocate, Intercessor, Counselor, Strengtheners, Standby) will not come to you; but if I go, I will send Him (the Holy Spirit) to you [to be in close fellowship with you].

**1 Peter 5:10 (NIV)**

And the God of all grace, who called you to his eternal glory in Christ, after you have suffered a little while, will himself restore you and make you strong, firm, and steadfast.

**Romans 8:26 & 27 (NAS)**

In the same way the Spirit also helps our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we should, but the Spirit Himself intercedes for us with groanings too deep for words; and He who searches the hearts knows what the mind of the Spirit is, because He intercedes for the saints according to *the will of God*.