

Paul's Prayers Adapted from the Amplified Bible

Prayer for a Spirit of Wisdom and Revelation

*I always pray to You, the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory,
that You may grant _____ a spirit of wisdom and revelation of insight into mysteries and
secrets in the deep and intimate knowledge of Christ,
by having the eyes of _____'s heart flooded with light,
so that he/she can know and understand the hope to which You have called him/her, and
how rich is Your glorious inheritance in the saints (Your set-apart ones),
so that _____ can know and understand what is the immeasurable and unlimited and
surpassing greatness of Your power in and for him/her who believes.*

Ephesians 1:17–19

Prayer for Strength, Salvation and to Experience the Love of Christ

*May You grant _____ out of the rich treasury of Your glory
to be strengthened and reinforced with mighty power in his/her inner man by the Holy
Spirit Himself indwelling _____'s innermost being and personality.
May Christ through _____'s faith actually dwell (settle down, abide, make His permanent
home) in _____'s heart!
May he/she be rooted deep in love and founded securely on love, that he/she may have
the power and be strong to apprehend and grasp with all the saints Your devoted
people, the experience of that love—what is the breadth and length and height and
depth of it;
that _____ may really come to know practically, through experience for him/herself the
love of Christ, which far surpasses mere knowledge without experience;
that _____ may be filled through all his/her being unto all Your fullness, have the richest
measure of the divine Presence, and become a body wholly filled and flooded with
You Yourself!*

Ephesians 3:16–19

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Prayer for Walking in Love and the Fruits of Righteousness

*I pray that _____'s love may abound yet more and more and extend to its fullest development in knowledge and all keen insight,
that his/her love may display itself in greater depth of acquaintance and more comprehensive discernment,
so that _____ may surely learn to sense what is vital and approve and prize what is excellent and of real value, recognizing the highest and the best,
and distinguishing the moral differences, and that her/she may be untainted and pure and unerring and blameless so that with a heart sincere and certain and unsullied, _____ may approach the day of Christ not stumbling nor causing others to stumble.
May _____ abound in and be filled with the fruits of righteousness (of right standing with You and right doing) which come through Jesus Christ (the Anointed One), to Your honor and praise, that Your glory may be both manifested and recognized.*

Philippians 1:9–11

Prayer for Knowing God's Will, Walking in the Fruit of the Spirit, and for Strength

*I pray and make special request for _____, asking that he/she may be filled with the full (deep and clear) knowledge of Your will in all spiritual wisdom in comprehensive insight into Your ways and purposes and in understanding and discernment of spiritual things—
that _____ may walk (live and conduct him/herself) in a manner worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing to Him and desiring to please Him in all things,
bearing fruit in every good work and
steadily growing and increasing in and by the knowledge of You with fuller, deeper, and clearer insight, acquaintance, and recognition.
I pray that _____ may be invigorated and strengthened with all power according to the might of Your glory,
to exercise every kind of endurance and patience (perseverance and forbearance) with joy,
giving thanks to You, Father, Who has qualified and made _____ fit to share the portion which is the inheritance of the saints (Your holy people) in the Light.*

Colossians 1:9–12