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Greetings to all my Friends, **OCTOBER 2025**

When Damar Hamlin suffered cardiac arrest on the football field in 2023, a commentator said, "70,000 fans are praying for this young man right now." Statistically speaking, 54% of those believed in higher powers or forces, 4% were atheists, and 32% irreligious. So, to whom were most of them praying? In the end, the young man's survival was credited to the quick actions of paramedics, and the stellar local medical facilities.

It is regrettable that prayer was politicized after the shooting of students at the Annunciation Catholic School. However, the media coverage exposed the common idea that prayer is a power unto itself, as exemplified in the statement, "Prayer does not end school shootings."

Prayer is a request made of God to use His power on our behalf. **He who comes to God must believe that He is, and that He is a rewarder of those who diligently seek Him** (Hebrews 11:6b). Jesus uses interactive verbs when teaching His disciples to pray. **"So I say to you, ask, and it will be given to you; seek, and you will find; knock, and it will be opened to you. For everyone who asks receives, and he who seeks finds, and to him who knocks it will be opened."** He ends with the words, **"How much more will your heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask Him!"** (Luke 11:9-13) Notice the words ASK HIM.

God's Spirit is important because **the Spirit also helps in our weaknesses. For we do not know what we should pray for as we ought. And we know that all things work together for good to those who love God. He who did not spare His own Son, but delivered Him up for us all, how shall He not with Him also freely give us all things** (Romans 8:26a, 28a, 32)? **Wait on the LORD; be of good courage, and He shall strengthen your heart** (Psalm 27:14a).

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Prayer and Praise

- 1 PRAISE THE LORD** WMP has closed the books on a successful and productive Fiscal Year.

*(Pray for the 600 million Spanish speakers worldwide.)
Know that the LORD, He is God; It is He who has made us, and not we ourselves. — Psalm 100:3a*

- 2 PRAISE THE LORD** our two containers stalled in Liberia since last November have been released to our distributor.

(Pray for the 519,600 Surinamese people who speak Sranantongo.)

"How you are fallen from heaven, O Lucifer, son of the morning! How you are cut down to the ground, you who weakened the nations!" — Isaiah 14:12

- 3 PRAY** for the salvation of the 1.7 million Ebembe speaking people of the Democratic Republic of the Congo and Tanzania.

(Pray for the Subanen Lupuyan language speaking people in the Zamboanga Peninsula of the Philippines.)

He was a murderer from the beginning, and does not stand in the truth, because there is no truth in him. When he speaks a lie, he speaks from his own resources, for he is a liar and the father of it.

— John 8:44b

- 4 ASK THE LORD** to strengthen Christians living under oppression in Mozambique, Bhutan, Kazakhstan, and Tajikistan.

(Pray for the people in Tanzania that speak Sukuma.)

And He said to them, "I saw Satan fall like lightning from heaven." — Luke 10:18

- 5 PRAISE THE LORD** shipments have arrived in Chile, South Asia, Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, and Côte d'Ivoire.

(Pray for 40 million people in Java Indonesia who speak Sundanese.)

God did not spare the angels who sinned, but cast them down to hell and delivered them into chains of darkness, to be reserved for judgment. — 2 Peter 2:4

- 6 PRAY** that the Lord will anoint and ordain a person to be president of WMP who has ministry insights and managerial skills.

(Pray for the Surigaonon people in the Philippines speaking Surigaonon.)

"You are of your father the devil, and the desires of your father you want to do." — John 8:44a

- 7 PRAISE THE LORD** for raising \$900,000 for new equipment via the Twelve:24 campaign.
(Pray for the people of the Democratic Republic of the Congo who speak Swahili.)
For by whom a person is overcome, by him also he is brought into bondage. — 2 Peter 2:19b
- 8 PRAY** for distributors who are experiencing an increasing amount of persecution so that their location and name cannot be published.
(Pray for the 9.8 million people who speak Swedish.)
Now the Spirit expressly says that in latter times some will depart from the faith, giving heed to deceiving spirits and doctrines of demons. — 1 Timothy 4:1
- 9 PRAY** for the individuals, businesses, foundations, and churches that contribute financially to WMP.
(Tagalog is a major language in the central Philippines dating back to 900 AD.)
Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil walks about like a roaring lion, seeking whom he may devour. — 1 Peter 5:8
- 10 PRAY** that Joe C. will be encouraged as the Director of Promotions and Ministry Resources.
(Pray for the 68,000 Tahitian speaking people of the Society Islands in French Polynesia.)
"You shall have no other gods before Me." — Exodus 20:3
- 11 ASK THE LORD** to continue to provide the necessary funds to meet the growing demand for Scripture booklets.
(370,000 people in the Taita Hills of Kenya speak Taita.)
Rebellion is as the sin of witchcraft, and stubbornness is as iniquity and idolatry.— 1 Samuel 15:23a
- 12 ASK THE LORD** to help, protect and bless Presley R. our Coordinator in Madagascar.
(Pray for the 1.06% of the world population that speaks Tamil — many in South Asia.)
For the LORD is the great God, and the great King above all gods. — Psalm 95:3
- 13 PRAY** for Andrew, Nate, and Kaitlyn our expert artists, social media, and video Development Team.
(Pray for the Tangkhul Nagas a Tibeto-Burmese ethnic group living in Myanmar.)
Submit to God. Resist the devil and he will flee from you. Draw near to God and He will draw near to you. — James 4:7, 8a

- 14 ASK THE LORD's** blessings on Novella, Jan, Cathy, Trent, and Kathi as they record donations and pay expenses.

(Pray for the 100,000 speakers of Tboli living in the southern Philippines.)

"For the Son of Man has come to seek and to save that which was lost." — Luke 19:10

- 15 PRAISE THE LORD** for the hundreds of volunteers who come together to produce Scripture booklets for the world.

(Pray for the Tedim Kaminski speakers living in South Asia and Myanmar.)

You are of God, little children, and have overcome them, because He who is in you is greater than he who is in the world. — 1 John 4:4

- 16 ASK THE LORD** to bless Brian L., Jacob, and Nathan who operate the Six-color Press that produces our colorful covers.

(About 96 million people speak Telugu in Andhra Pradesh and Telangana.)

There is one God, the Father, of whom are all things, and we for Him; and one Lord Jesus Christ, through whom are all things, and through whom we live.

— 1 Corinthians 8:6b

- 17 ASK THE LORD** to bless the skills of Brian B., Steve W., Nolan, Greg, and Jacob who operate the King Web Press.

(Pray for the Temne people in Sierra Leone who speak Temne.)

For to this end Christ died and rose and lived again, that He might be Lord of both the dead and the living. — Romans 14:9

- 18 ASK THE LORD** to bless Immanuel and Helen as they work out the shipping details for containers traveling to different countries.

(Pray for the 70 million people who speak Thai.)

And Jesus came and spoke to them, saying, "All authority has been given to Me in heaven and on earth." — Matthew 28:18

- 19 PRAY** for wisdom and discernment skills for Roger our maintenance man and electrician.

(Pray for the Tibetan speaking people in China, South Asia, Nepal, and Bhutan.)

For by Him all things were created that are in heaven and that are on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or principalities or powers. All things were created through Him and for Him.

— Colossians 1:16

- 20 ASK THE LORD** to watch over the shipments in route to Tanzania, Cuba, South Sudan, Nigeria, Uganda, Panama, Brazil, Kenya, Guatemala, South Asia, and Ethiopia.

(Ticuna is spoken by 50,000 people living in the Amazon Basin primarily in Brazil, Peru, and Columbia.)

"If you abide in My word, you are My disciples indeed.

And you shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free."— John 8:31b, 32

- 21 PRAY** for Donna, Tara, Ciara, Terri, Scarlet, and Joyce who work with all our chaplains, partners, and volunteers.

(Pray for the people in Romania, Turkey, and Spain who speak Tigan-Rom-Gypsy.)

"If the world hates you, you know that it hated Me before it hated you." — John 15:18

- 22 PRAY** for the new languages being prepared for production by Randy, Marilyn, Kelby, Beth, Ron, and Helen.

(Pray for the 6 million people in Eritrea and northern Ethiopia who speak Tigrinya.)

He who sins is of the devil, for the devil has sinned from the beginning. For this purpose the Son of God was manifested, that He might destroy the works of the devil. — 1 John 3:8

- 23 PRAY** that packages sent out daily to both foreign and domestic distributors by Dale, Nick, and the volunteers will be delivered.

(Pray for those who speak Tiv in North Central Nigeria.)

"I will no longer talk much with you, for the ruler of this world is coming, and he has nothing in Me."

— John 14:30

- 24 ASK THE LORD** to bless the receptionists Colleen and Fay as they greet the public.

(Tok Pisin is a creole language spoken throughout Papua New Guinea.)

But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us. Much more then, having now been justified by His blood, we shall be saved from wrath through Him.

— Romans 5:8, 9

- 25 ASK THE LORD** to give Mike patience and grace as he daily trims thousands of covers to the correct size for the binderies.

(Pray for the Kingdom of Tonga in the South Pacific Ocean.)

"And this is eternal life, that they may know You, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom You have sent."

— John 17:3

26 PRAY for our production department, Eric the supervisor, and the team leaders Zach in bindery, Brian B. on the King Web Press, and Brian L. on the Six-color Press.

(Pray for the Tshiluba speaking people of the Democratic Republic of the Congo.)

For the wrath of God is revealed from heaven against all ungodliness and unrighteousness of men, who suppress the truth in unrighteousness. — Romans 1:18

27 PRAY for Tamie and Kelby who enter orders received by mail, internet, and phone.

(Pray for the Tshwa speakers of Botswana and Zimbabwe.)

All nations whom You have made shall come and worship before You, O Lord, and shall glorify Your name. — Psalm 86:9

28 ASK GOD to give wisdom, discernment, and grace to Steve Chupp, our Interim President.

(Pray for those who speak Tsonga in northern South Africa, Mozambique, Zimbabwe, and Eswatini.)

“The kingdoms of this world have become the kingdoms of our Lord and of His Christ, and He shall reign forever and ever!” — Revelation 11:15b

29 ASK THE LORD to strengthen and bless the bindery operators who produce thousands of booklets each day — Abby, Aaron, Ben, Devon, Jeremy, Lucas, Scott, and Zach.

(Pray for the four million people who speak Tswana inside South Africa.)

When Christ who is our life appears, then you also will appear with Him in glory. — Colossians 3:4

30 PRAY that God would give His angels charge over the production plant and the evil one would not find a way to hinder God's Word.

(Pray for several ethnic groups in Malawi, Zambia, and Tanzania that speak Tumbuka.)

Therefore, beloved, looking forward to these things, be diligent to be found by Him in peace, without spot and blameless. — 2 Peter 3:14

31 PRAY the booklet *Victory in Jesus Christ* will reveal Satan's character and tactics to those that need to gain victory over sin and Satan.

(Pray for the Turkana speaking people in northwest Kenya.)

If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

— 1 John 1:9

[Daily Scripture references come from the pages of the English version of Victory in Jesus Christ.]