

Intercessory Prayer Guide

GOD IS merciful

Praise—Praising God for **who He is**, His attributes, His name or His character

Attribute: **God is Merciful**

Definition: One who is full of mercy, kindness, and compassion

Scriptures:

(for the LORD your God is a merciful God), He will not abandon you or destroy you or forget the covenant of your fathers which He swore to them. Deuteronomy 4:31

To the Lord our God belong mercies and forgiveness, though we have rebelled against Him. Daniel 9:9

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who according to His abundant mercy has given us a new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, ⁴to an incorruptible and undefiled inheritance that does not fade away, kept in heaven for you, ⁵who are protected by the power of God through faith for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time. 1 Peter 1:3-5

Confession—Silently confessing your sins to the God who forgives

If we confess our sins, He is faithful and righteous to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. 1 John 1:9 (NASB)

Thanksgiving—Thanking God for **what He has done**

In everything give thanks; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus. 1 Thessalonians 5:18 (NASB)

Intercession—Coming to God in prayer on behalf of others. Pray specifically for the friend or loved one you've chosen.

Scripture: *Father, may _____ be merciful, just as You are merciful.* From Luke 6:36

Pray for that person's immediate family—choose one person to pray for specifically.

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GOD IS OUR counselor

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Attribute: **God is our Counselor**

Definition: One who gives advice, guidance, and direction

Scripture(s):

Your statutes are my delight;
they are my counselors. Psalm 119:24

¹⁶ And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another advocate to help you and be with you forever— ¹⁷ the Spirit of truth. The world cannot accept him, because it neither sees him nor knows him. But you know him, for he lives with you and will be^[a] in you. John 14:16-17

²⁵ “All this I have spoken while still with you. ²⁶ But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you all things and will remind you of everything I have said to you. John 14:25-26

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Scripture: LORD, may _____ say with confidence, “I will praise the LORD, who counsels me; even at night my heart instructs me. I keep my eyes always on the LORD. With Him at my right hand, I will not be shaken.”

From Psalm 16:7-8

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GOD IS OUR *strength*

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Attribute: **God is our Strength**

Definition: One who has firmness of will, character, mind, or purpose; power to resist force

Scripture(s):

It is God who arms me with strength and keeps my way secure. 2 Samuel 22:33

Nehemiah said, “Go and enjoy choice food and sweet drinks, and send some to those who have nothing prepared. This day is holy to our Lord. Do not grieve, for the joy of the LORD is your strength.”
Nehemiah 8:10

I can do all this through Him who gives me strength. Philippians 4:13

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Scripture: *Lord, may _____ be strong in You and in Your mighty power. May _____ put on the full armor of God, so that he/she can take his/her stand against the devil’s schemes.* From Ephesians 6:10-11

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GOD IS THE *miracle worker*

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Attribute: **God is the Miracle Worker**

Definition: One who performs unexplainable and supernatural acts

Scripture(s):

Give praise to the LORD, proclaim his name;
make known among the nations what he has done.

⁹ Sing to him, sing praise to him;
tell of all his wonderful acts.

¹⁰ Glory in his holy name;
let the hearts of those who seek the LORD rejoice.

¹¹ Look to the LORD and his strength;
seek his face always.

¹² Remember the wonders he has done,
his miracles, and the judgments he pronounced. 1 Chronicles 16:8-12

I will remember the deeds of the LORD;
yes, I will remember your miracles of long ago.

¹² I will consider all your works
and meditate on all your mighty deeds.”

¹³ Your ways, God, are holy.
What god is as great as our God?

¹⁴ You are the God who performs miracles;
you display your power among the peoples. Psalm 77:11-14

You performed signs and wonders in Egypt and have continued them to this day, in Israel and among all mankind, and have gained the renown that is still yours. Jeremiah 32:20

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Scripture: *LORD, may _____ remember Your deeds; may he/she remember Your miracles of long ago. May he/she consider Your works and meditate on all Your mighty deeds.* From Psalm 77:11-12

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GOD IS MY provider

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Attribute: **God is the Provider**

Definition: One who provides; furnishes or supplies what is needed

Scripture(s):

Surely God is my help;
the Lord is the one who sustains me. Psalm 54:4

How many are your works, LORD!
In wisdom you made them all;
the earth is full of your creatures.

²⁷ All creatures look to you
to give them their food at the proper time.

²⁸ When you give it to them,
they gather it up;
when you open your hand,
they are satisfied with good things. Psalm 104:24, 27-28

³⁰ If that is how God clothes the grass of the field, which is here today and tomorrow is thrown into the fire, will he not much more clothe you—you of little faith? ³¹ So do not worry, saying, 'What shall we eat?' or 'What shall we drink?' or 'What shall we wear?' ³² For the pagans run after all these things, and your heavenly Father knows that you need them. ³³ But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well. Matthew 6:30-33

²⁴ Consider the ravens: They do not sow or reap, they have no storeroom or barn; yet God feeds them. And how much more valuable you are than birds! ²⁵ Who of you by worrying can add a single hour to your life^[a]? ²⁶ Since you cannot do this very little thing, why do you worry about the rest?

²⁷ "Consider how the wild flowers grow. They do not labor or spin. Yet I tell you, not even Solomon in all his splendor was dressed like one of these. ²⁸ If that is how God clothes the grass of the field, which is here today, and tomorrow is thrown into the fire, how much more will he clothe you—you of little faith! ²⁹ And do not set your heart on what you will eat or drink; do not

worry about it. ³⁰ For the pagan world runs after all such things, and your Father knows that you need them. ³¹ But seek his kingdom, and these things will be given to you as well.

³² “Do not be afraid, little flock, for your Father has been pleased to give you the kingdom. Luke 12:24-32

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GOD *rescues*

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Attribute: **God Rescues**

Definition: One who saves or delivers from confinement, danger, or evil

Scripture(s):

“Because he^[a] loves me,” says the LORD, “I will rescue him;

I will protect him, for he acknowledges my name.

¹⁵ He will call on me, and I will answer him;

I will be with him in trouble,

I will deliver him and honor him.

¹⁶ With long life I will satisfy him

and show him my salvation.” Psalm 91:14-16

The righteous person is rescued from trouble,

and it falls on the wicked instead. Proverbs 11:8

³ Grace and peace to you from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ, ⁴ who gave himself for our sins to rescue us from the present evil age, according to the will of our God and Father, Galatians 1:3-4

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