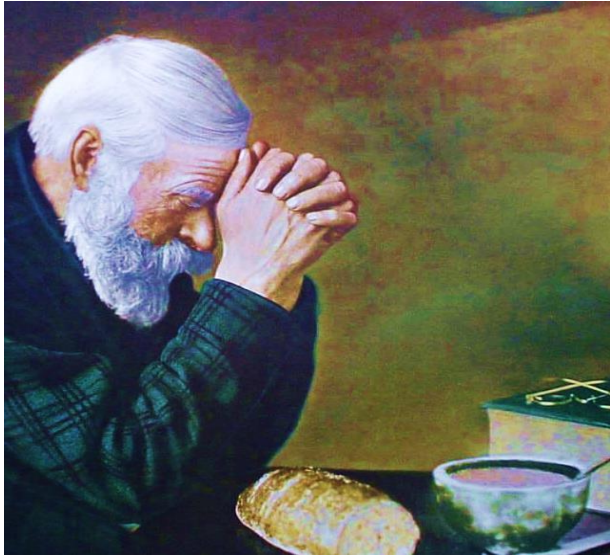


SEEKING RECUITS



While talking to an older gentleman of 86, he mentioned I cannot do much anymore for the Lord, as I can barely walk. I asked him, "Is there something you think that you can still do?" He responded "I can still pray." As we were talking, he mentioned about the comical TV series "Dad's Army."



It struck a chord with me as I know that I was strongly

influenced by my grandmother's prayers who was weak and in bed,

to commit my life to Jesus, although she never told me.



The Prophet Ezekiel saw of a valley of dry bones... We might say, "our bones are dry and our hope is lost... but breath came, and they lived and stood upon their feet, a great army." (Ezekiel 37)

We can become a force to be reckoned with in the heavenlies, an army of prayer warriors.



No longer dry bones without hope, but alive in prayer for others...

The Grandparents Prayer Army.

Prayer warriors who are willing to devote their prayers to help others.

Please don't feel bad if we cannot pray long prayers, as Jesus said, 'Don't think that you will be heard for your much speaking, for our Father knows what things we need before we ask him.' (Matthew 6:7,8) And it does not matter if we cannot kneel. Prayer is not about the position of our body; it is about the position of our heart.



However, it is important that we set a daily regular starting time; it can be for five minutes or half an hour, however long you want. We can pray for the things that the Lord asked us to pray for:

WHAT SHALL WE PRAY FOR?

The Lord said, 'Love your enemies, bless them that curse you, do good to them that hate you, and **pray for them which despitefully use you, and persecute you;** (Matthew 5:44) Let us pray that those **persecuted** will stand strong in the faith in the face of trouble and fear. Like [*the 40 martyrs of Sebaste*](#).

Journalist John L Allen wrote in *The Spectator*:



"[The] global war on Christians remains **the greatest story never told** of the early 21st century."

We can pray that the Lord will find any Saul among those who persecute his children and change them like he did with Saul, who became the apostle Paul.

"Then said he unto his disciples, The harvest truly is plenteous, but the labourers are few; **Pray therefore** the Lord of the harvest, that he



will **send labourers into his harvest.**"
(Matthew 9:37,38)

That the Lord will raise up true disciples and witnesses for him, people with caring hearts for others. Jesus said to Pilate, "he that is of the truth will listen to me." (John 18:37)



Will you have me too?

Pray for those searching souls who seek the truth in a world of lies and empty promises, that they may find the Way the Truth and the Life by coming to Jesus. (John 14:6)
Other sheep I have too... (John 10:16)

'Please give us **(but especially those who have none)** this day **their daily bread**', as they are also somebody's children and grandchildren. "Dear Jesus, you said 'ask and you shall receive' (Mat.7:7,8) Lord, we do not ask for ourselves, but for those who have nothing; that the basic needs of the poor will be taken care of."



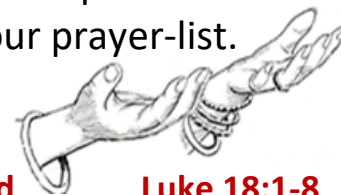
LAST BUT NOT LEAST:

We need to pray for **our offspring, our grandchildren, etc., so they'll strengthen their relationship with the Lord more than anything else.** It might help if we divide the names of our children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren over the 6 days from Monday to Saturday and pray for the different one(s) each day.

As they are very dear to us and the enemy is after them like never before, with temptations galore.



Dear Friends, these are just some ideas to pray for, but please add many more to your prayer-list.



Praying for others:

If answer is delayed	Luke 18:1-8
Praying alone, quiet spot	Mark 1:35
Praying together	Mat. 18:20
Pray for God's children	John 17:9
Those suffering in disasters	Acts 2:21

Praying for ourselves to:

Love the Lord and others	Mat.22:37-39
Forgive our adversaries	Mat.6:12
Give thanks in spite of...	1Thess.5:18
Seek first the Kingdom	Mat.6:33

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