



This brochure is a scripture praying tool for Christian professionals who want to experience more of God in their workplace and in their spheres of influence. It particularly focuses on praying for God to do a new or fresh work in their workplace or to reveal to them what he is already doing so they can join Him.

The Bible says that, "the word of God is living and active" and "sharper than any double-edged sword" (Hebrews 4:12). The Bible also says, "My word that goes out from my mouth - It will not return to me empty, but will accomplish what I desire" (Isaiah 55:10)

Praying scripture gives us great confidence that we are praying for God's will in the situation we are in. Additionally, our prayers will be putting God's word in our own heart as we become familiar with these verses. God will bring his word back to mind time and again for us to pray or to share with others.

Inside, you will find 14 prayers and 21 scriptures you can meditate on and pray back to God. Read the prayer and the scripture, and as you do form the words into your own prayer.

Expect to see God at work revealing Himself, His Activity, His character and His ways.



About this tool & more

This tool was originally created by **Priority Associates** ~ the workplace ministry of Campus Crusade for Christ. **Priority Associates** is a global movement of young and established professionals as well as emerging leaders who are working toward this goal and transforming the marketplace by developing leaders from the inside out.

This version of this Scripture Prayer Tool is being provided to YMCAs across the United States and across the world. The YMCA (Young Men's Christian Association) was actually birthed out of a workplace prayer movement. George Williams (the founder of the YMCA) and two others began to pray for their 140 co-workers by name and within three years time those co-workers and the company itself was transformed. It was during this time that other Christians experienced the power of prayer and wanted to be involved in the same thing so George Williams and eleven other men got together and formed the YMCA on June 6, 1844. And the movement spread to other companies, to the Americas and around the world.

Today there are thousands of Christians in the U.S. and around the world that are "lifting up the 'C' in the YMCA". A website that is a central source for tools and other helps is ~ www.ymcacommission.org.

Priority Associates vision is about developing a new kind of leader that is needed for today's society: one who is confident, courageous, spiritually mature and an effective spokesperson for God. Their vision is for "changed lives and changed cities."

They see a day when:

- Marketplace professionals are exposed to the relevance of God and the Bible to their everyday lives.
- Professional men & women are becoming vital Christians.
- Christian professionals are visibly applying their faith in the workplace.
- Christian professionals are making an impact in the corporate world and community.
- Cities and nations are transformed.

If you are a workplace professional or are interested in more tools and resources you can check out any of the following web sites.

- ~ www.PriorityAssociates.org - information about who we are
- ~ www.PriorityLeader.com ~ information about how you can make a difference
- ~ www.WorkplaceRevolutions.com ~ for college seniors & new graduates
- ~ www.WorkplaceMinistryTraining.com ~ training and equipping
- ~ www.MissionStatementBuilder.com ~ building a personal mission statement
- ~ www.iPriority.com ~ a tool to reach out to other professionals
- ~ www.LifeHelp.org ~ a tool to reach out to a general adult audience



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SCRIPTURE PRAYERS for Starting Something New





The Earth is the Lord's and Everything in it

Lord, the earth is yours and everything in it and You are the rightful owner.

- *In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth ~ Genesis 1:1*
- *The earth is the LORD's, and everything in it, the world, and all who live in it; for he founded it upon the seas and established it upon the waters. ~ Psalms 24:1-2*
- *How awesome is the LORD Most High, the great King over all the earth! ~ Psalms 47:2*

Lord, the people of the earth all know this but many choose to ignore it.

- *The heavens are telling of the glory of God; And their expanse is declaring the work of His hands. Day to day pours forth speech, And night to night reveals knowledge. There is no speech, nor are there words; Their voice is not heard. Their line has gone out through all the earth, And their utterances to the end of the world. ~ Psalms 19:1-4*

God has Commissioned Us

Lord, you have given us a commission to be steward over the earth when you created us. We are to be your stewards, your ambassadors, your agents here on earth.

- *Then God said, "Let us make man in our image, in our likeness, and let them rule ... over all the earth, ... God blessed them and said to them, "Be fruitful and increase in number; fill the earth and subdue it [bring forth its glory]. ~ Genesis 1:26-28*

Lord, you have given us all power and authority to act on your behalf and you have told us you are with us.

- *All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age. ~ Matthew 28:18-20*

Lord, you have told us to pray that "your kingdom come your will be done" here on earth, so we do ask for "your kingdom and your will to be done" in all of our spheres of influence where you have planted us in, including our world of work.

- *Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as it is in heaven. ~ Matthew 6:9-10*

God Accomplishes His Purposes

Lord, you have plans for this world. You have a role for businesses to play in serving and blessing people with products or services that meet their needs, keep them safe or bring them joy. Lord help Our Company _____ to fulfill the role you have for it in the world.

- *Let all the earth fear the LORD; let all the people of the world revere him. For he spoke, and it came to be; he commanded, and it stood firm. The LORD foils the plans of the nations; he thwarts the purposes of the peoples. **But the plans of the LORD stand firm forever, the purposes of his heart through all generations ~ Psalms 33:8-11***

Lord, reveal to us what you are doing in this place, let us connect to those who know you and those that are thirsting to know you, let us have your love for each other so you can put your glory on display.

- *I tell you the truth, the Son can do nothing by himself; he can do only what he sees his Father doing, because whatever the Father does the Son also does. For the Father loves the Son and shows him all he does. ~ John 5:19-20*
- *I pray also for those who will believe in me through their message, that all of them may be one, Father, just as you are in me and I am in you. May they also be in us so that the world may believe that you have sent me. ~ John 17:20-22*

God Works on Our Behalf

Lord, we pray you would make the path straight path for us

- *"Prepare the way for the Lord, make straight paths for him. ~ Matthew 3:3*
- *It is God who arms me with strength and makes my way perfect. ~ Psalms 18:32*

Lord, we pray that you will bless us and give us your favor and establish the work of our hands

- *May God be gracious to us and bless us and make his face shine upon us, that your ways may be known on earth, your salvation among all nations. ~ Psalms 67:1-2*
- *May the favor of the Lord our God rest upon us; establish the work of our hands for us-- yes, establish the work of our hands. ~ Psalms 90:17*

Lord, give us the wisdom we need.

- *Therefore, I urge you, brothers, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as living sacrifices, holy and pleasing to God--this is your spiritual act of worship. Do not conform any longer to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is--his good, pleasing and perfect will. ~ Romans 12:1-2*
- *If any of you lacks wisdom, he should ask God, who gives generously to all without finding fault, and it will be given to him. ~ James 1:5*
- *Guide you in the way of wisdom and lead you along straight paths. ~ Proverbs 4:11*



God Gives Insight on how to Pray

Lord, you have told us that the battle is yours, so give us your power and insight on how to pray.

- *For our struggle is not against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the powers of this dark world and against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly realms. ~ Ephesians 6:12*

Lord, we pray for the spiritual environment to change in this place. We pray that you would remove resistance, that you would make a way where there seems to be no way. That you would demolish the strongholds that keep people captive.

- *The weapons we fight with are not the weapons of the world. On the contrary, they have divine power to demolish strongholds. We demolish arguments and every pretension that sets itself up against the knowledge of God, and we take captive every thought to make it obedient to Christ. ~ 2 Corinthians 10:4-5*



Gods Provision and Protection

Lord, thank you for your provision of protection and give us courage to be confident and to stand firm.

- *Therefore put on the full armor of God, so that when the day of evil comes, you may be able to stand your ground, and after you have done everything, to stand. Stand firm then, with the belt of truth buckled around your waist, with the breastplate of righteousness in place, and with your feet fitted with the readiness that comes from the gospel of peace. In addition to all this, take up the shield of faith, with which you can extinguish all the flaming arrows of the evil one. Take the helmet of salvation and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God. And pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests. With this in mind, be alert and always keep on praying for all the saints. ~ Ephesians 6:13-18*

Lord, thank you when we face opposition, you actually are using that as well to put your glory on display and to bring about our maturity.

- *Dear brothers and sisters, whenever trouble comes your way, let it be an opportunity for joy. For when your faith is tested, your endurance has a chance to grow. So let it grow, for when your endurance is fully developed, you will be strong in character and ready for anything. ~ James 1:2-4*