

IGNITE PRAYER

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Presence of God

1. REFUSAL TO MOVE WITHOUT GOD'S PRESENCE

Exodus 33:15 — “Then he said to Him, “If Your Presence does not go with us, do not bring us up from here.”

Exodus 33:14 — “And He said, “My Presence will go with you, and I will give you rest.”

Prayer Points

1. A holy refusal to move without God's presence is established.
2. Every journey, decision, and assignment is subjected to divine accompaniment.
3. Rest is entered into through the assurance of God's abiding presence.

2. DISTINCTION THROUGH GOD'S PRESENCE

Exodus 33:16 — “So we shall be separate, Your people and I, from all the people who are upon the face of the earth.”

Leviticus 20:26 — “*And you shall be holy to Me, for I the LORD am holy, and have separated you from the peoples, that you should be Mine.*”

Prayer Points

1. Divine distinction is enforced by the manifest presence of God.
2. Every form of ordinary living is terminated by supernatural separation.
3. Every pattern of conformity to the world is broken by divine separation.

3. SEPARATION FROM EVERYTHING THAT REPELS GOD'S PRESENCE

James 4:8 — “Draw near to God and He will draw near to you. Cleanse your hands, you sinners; and purify your hearts, you double-minded.”

1 Peter 1:16 — “because it is written, “Be holy, for I am holy.”

Prayer Points

1. Every work of the flesh that resists God's presence is exposed and uprooted.
2. A clear line of separation from defilement is enforced by grace.
3. A clean and holy atmosphere is established for God's continual habitation.

4. SENSITIVITY TO THE HOLY SPIRIT

Romans 8:14 — “For as many as are led by the Spirit of God, these are sons of God.”

Ephesians 4:30 — “And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, by whom you were sealed for the day of redemption.”

Prayer Points

1. Spiritual senses are sharpened to discern the voice and movements of the Holy Spirit.
2. Every form of spiritual dullness is removed from the heart.
3. Quick obedience and accurate response to divine leading are activated.

5. LOVE FOR GOD ABOVE ALL ELSE

Deuteronomy 6:5 — “You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your strength.”

John 14:23 — “Jesus answered and said to him, “If anyone loves Me, he will keep My word; and My Father will love him, and We will come to him and make Our home with him.”

Prayer Points

1. Supreme affection for God is enthroned above all competing desires.
2. Every rival love is dethroned and rendered powerless.
3. Obedience is released as a natural expression of love for God.

6. CONSISTENT LIFESTYLE OF PRAYER

1 Thessalonians 5:17 — “Pray without ceasing.”

Luke 18:1 — “Then He spoke a parable to them, that men always ought to pray and not lose heart,”

Prayer Points

1. A disciplined and consistent prayer life is established.
2. Prayerlessness and spiritual weariness are broken.
3. Continual communion with God is sustained daily.

7. DELIGHT IN THE WORD OF GOD

Psalm 119:105 — “Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path.”

Colossians 3:16 — “Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly in all wisdom, teaching and admonishing one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing with grace in your hearts to the Lord.”

Prayer Points

1. A deep delight and appetite for God’s Word is imparted.
2. Spiritual illumination is released through consistent engagement with Scripture.
3. The Word is allowed to dwell richly and govern daily living.

8. REVERENCE AND FEAR OF THE LORD

Proverbs 9:10 — “The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom, And the knowledge of the Holy One is understanding.”

Psalm 2:11 — “Serve the LORD with fear, and rejoice with trembling.”

Prayer Points

1. Holy reverence for God is restored within the heart.
2. Casual treatment of sacred things is eliminated.
3. Wisdom and divine alignment are released through godly fear.

9. BROKENNESS AND HUMILITY BEFORE GOD

Psalm 51:17 — “The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit, A broken and a contrite heart— These, O God, You will not despise..”

James 4:6 — “But He gives more grace. Therefore He says: “God resists the proud, But gives grace to the humble.””

Prayer Points

1. Every expression of pride is dismantled by grace.
2. A posture of humility and brokenness is established.
3. Grace is multiplied through total dependence on God.

10. CONTINUOUS WORSHIP AND PRAISE

Psalm 22:3 — “But You are holy, enthroned in the praises of Israel.”

John 4:24 — “God is Spirit, and those who worship Him must worship in spirit and truth.”

Prayer Points

1. A lifestyle of worship is cultivated daily.
2. Praise replaces murmuring and complaint.
3. God’s presence is enthroned through continual exaltation.

11. OBEDIENCE TO DIVINE INSTRUCTIONS

John 14:15 — “If you love Me, keep My commandments.”

1 Samuel 15:22 — “So Samuel said: “Has the Lord as great delight in burnt offerings and sacrifices, As in obeying the voice of the Lord? Behold, to obey is better than sacrifice, And to heed than the fat of rams.”

Prayer Points

1. A willing and obedient spirit is released.
2. Delayed obedience is destroyed.
3. God’s pleasure and presence are secured through obedience.

12. WALKING IN RIGHTEOUSNESS

Psalm 11:7 — “For the Lord is righteous, He loves righteousness; His countenance beholds the upright.”

Matthew 6:33 — “But seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things shall be added to you.”

Prayer Points

1. Grace is released to walk uprightly before God.
2. Compromise is rejected and integrity is upheld.
3. Fellowship with God is preserved through righteous living.

13. YIELDING TO DIVINE FELLOWSHIP

1 John 1:3 — “that which we have seen and heard we declare to you, that you also may have fellowship with us; and truly our fellowship is with the Father and with His Son Jesus Christ.”

John 15:4 — “Abide in Me, and I in you. As the branch cannot bear fruit of itself, unless it abides in the vine, neither can you, unless you abide in Me.”

Prayer Points

1. A lifestyle of abiding fellowship is activated.
2. Striving is replaced with resting in God.
3. Continuous intimacy with God is sustained.

14. DEPENDENCE ON THE GRACE OF GOD

2 Corinthians 12:9 — “And He said to me, “My grace is sufficient for you, for My strength is made perfect in weakness.” Therefore most gladly I will rather boast in my infirmities, that the power of Christ may rest upon me.”

1 Corinthians 15:10 — “But by the grace of God I am what I am, and His grace toward me was not in vain; but I labored more abundantly than they all, yet not I, but the grace of God which was with me.”

Prayer Points

1. Self-reliance is dismantled completely.
2. Dependence on divine grace is established.
3. Consistency in spiritual pursuit is sustained by grace.

15. CLEANSING OF THE HEART AND MIND

Psalms 51:10 — “Create in me a clean heart, O God, ” And renew a steadfast spirit within me.

Romans 12:2 — “And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, that you may prove what is that good and acceptable and perfect will of God.”

Prayer Points

1. Every internal defilement is washed away.
2. Thought patterns are renewed by truth.
3. The heart becomes a suitable dwelling place for God.

16. DESIRE FOR GOD'S APPROVAL ALONE

Galatians 1:10 — “For do I now persuade men, or God? Or do I seek to please men? For if I still pleased men, I would not be a bondservant of Christ.”

Matthew 25:21 — “His lord said to him, ‘Well done, good and faithful servant; you were faithful over a few things, I will make you ruler over many things. Enter into the joy of your lord.’”

Prayer Points

1. The desire for human approval is extinguished.
2. Motives are purified to please God alone.
3. Divine commendation becomes the ultimate pursuit.

17. CONSCIOUSNESS OF GOD'S INDWELLING PRESENCE

1 Corinthians 3:16 — “Do you not know that you are the temple of God and that the Spirit of God dwells in you?”

2 Corinthians 6:16 — “And what agreement has the temple of God with idols? For you are the temple of the living God. As God has said: “I will dwell in them And walk among them. I will be their God, and they shall be My people.”

Prayer Points

1. A constant awareness of God's indwelling presence is established within the heart.
2. Spiritual forgetfulness is removed, and consciousness of divine nearness is heightened.
3. Every thought, word, and action is aligned with the reality of God dwelling within.