

Continuing Instant In Prayer – Romans 12:12

Ephesians 6:18 Praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, and watching thereunto with all perseverance and supplication for all saints;

Ephesians 6:13 Wherefore take unto you the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand.

Romans 12:12 (AV) Rejoicing in hope; patient in tribulation; continuing instant in prayer;

Romans 12:12 (NKJV) rejoicing in hope, patient in tribulation, continuing steadfastly in prayer;

Matthew 24:4 And Jesus answered and said unto them, Take heed that no man deceive you.

Genesis 3 Referred to the devil deceiving Eve.

Luke 18:1-8 And He spake a parable unto them *to this end*, that men ought always to pray, and not to faint; 2 Saying, There was in a city a judge, which feared not God, neither regarded man: 3 And there was a widow in that city; and she came unto him, saying, Avenge me of mine adversary. 4 And he would not for a while: but afterward he said within himself, Though I fear not God, nor regard man; 5 Yet because this widow troubleth me, I will avenge her, lest by her continual coming she weary me. 6 And the Lord said, Hear what the unjust judge saith. 7 And shall not God avenge His own elect, which cry day and night unto Him, though He bear long with them? 8 I tell you that He will avenge them speedily. Nevertheless when the Son of Man cometh, shall He find faith on the earth?

Strong's #4342 proskartereo *pros-kar-ter-eh'-o* AV-continue 4, continue instant 1, continue steadfastly 1, attend continually 1, give (one's) self continually 1, wait on 1, wait on continually 1; 10 1) to adhere to one, be his adherent, to be devoted or constant to one 2) to be steadfastly attentive unto, to give unremitting care to a thing 3) to continue all the time in a place 4) to persevere and not to faint 5) to show one's self courageous for 6) to be in constant readiness for one, wait on

constantly.

Luke 18:1 And He spake a parable unto them *to this end*, that men ought always to pray, and not to faint;

Mark 11:17 And He taught, saying unto them, Is it not Written, My house shall be called of all nations the house of prayer? but ye have made it a den of thieves.

Ephesians 6:10-18 Finally, my brethren, be strong in the Lord, and in the power of His might. 11 Put on the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil. 12 For we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high *places*. 13 Wherefore take unto you the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand. 14 Stand therefore, having your loins girt about with truth, and having on the breastplate of righteousness; 15 And your feet shod with the preparation of the gospel of peace; 16 Above all, taking the shield of faith, wherewith ye shall be able to quench all the fiery darts of the wicked. 17 And take the helmet of salvation, and the Sword of the Spirit, which is the Word of God: 18 Praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, and watching thereunto with all perseverance and supplication for all saints;

Daniel 10:12-14 Then said he (God's angel) unto me, Fear not, Daniel: for from the first day that thou didst set thine heart to understand, and to chasten thyself before thy God, thy words were heard, and I am come for thy words. 13 But the prince of the kingdom of Persia withstood me one and twenty days: but, lo, Michael, one of the chief princes, came to help me; and I remained there with the kings of Persia. 14 Now I am come to make thee understand what shall befall thy people in the latter days: for yet the vision *is* for *many* days.

1 Peter 5:8 Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil, as a roaring lion, walketh about, seeking whom he may devour:

Mark 14:38 Watch ye and pray, lest ye enter into temptation. The spirit truly *is* ready, but the flesh *is* weak.

Luke 22:31 And the Lord said, Simon, Simon, behold, Satan hath

desired *to have* you, that he may sift *you* as wheat: 32 But I have prayed for thee, that thy faith fail not: and when thou art converted, strengthen thy brethren. 33 And he said unto Him, Lord, I am ready to go with thee, both into prison, and to death. 34 And He said, I tell thee, Peter, the cock shall not crow this day, before that thou shalt thrice deny that thou knowest me.

Luke 22:60 And Peter said, Man, I know not what thou sayest. And immediately, while he yet spake, the cock crew. 61 And the Lord turned, and looked upon Peter. And Peter remembered the Word of the Lord, how He had said unto him, Before the cock crow, thou shalt deny Me thrice. 62 And Peter went out, and wept bitterly.

2 Corinthians 7:10 For godly sorrow worketh repentance to salvation not to be repented of: but the sorrow of the world worketh death.

Hebrews 1:14 Are they (God's angels) not all ministering spirits, sent forth to minister for them who shall be heirs of salvation?

Matthew 26:53 Thinkest thou that I cannot now pray to My Father, and He shall presently give Me more than twelve legions of angels?

Luke 18:2-5 Saying, There was in a city a judge, which feared not God, neither regarded man: 3 And there was a widow in that city; and she came unto him, saying, Avenge me of mine adversary. 4 And he would not for a while: but afterward he said within himself, Though I fear not God, nor regard man; 5 Yet because this widow troubleth me, I will avenge her, lest by her continual coming she weary me.

Psalms 91 Referred to using the Soldiers' Psalm in prayer.

Psalms 109:17 As he loved cursing, so let it come unto him: as he delighted not in blessing, so let it be far from him. 18 As he clothed himself with cursing like as with his garment, so let it come into his bowels like water, and like oil into his bones.

Luke 18:6-8 And the Lord said, Hear what the unjust judge saith. 7 And shall not God avenge His own elect, which cry day and night unto Him, though He bear long with them? 8 I tell you that He will avenge them speedily. Nevertheless when the Son of Man cometh, shall He find faith on the earth?

Romans 10:17 So then faith *cometh* by hearing, and hearing by the Word of God.

Referred to many occasions of Prayer in the Book of Acts.

Matthew 5:44 But I say unto you, 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;

Exodus 23:5 If thou see the ass of him that hateth thee lying under his burden, and wouldest forbear to help him, thou shalt surely help with him.

Matthew 6:5 And when thou prayest, thou shalt not be as the hypocrites *are*: for they love to pray standing in the synagogues and in the corners of the streets, that they may be seen of men. Verily I say unto you, They have their reward.

Luke 19:46 Saying unto them, It is Written, My house is the house of prayer: but ye have made it a den of thieves.

Matthew 6:6, 7 But thou, when thou prayest, enter into thy closet, and when thou hast shut thy door, pray to thy Father which is in secret; and thy Father which seeth in secret shall reward thee openly. 7 But when ye pray, use not vain repetitions, as the heathen *do*: for they think that they shall be heard for their much speaking.

Mentioned ungodly types of repeditive prayers.

Matthew 6:9 After this manner therefore pray ye: Our Father Which art in heaven, Hallowed (Holy) be Thy Name.

Matthew 9:38 Pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest, that He will send forth labourers into His harvest.

Romans 10:14 How then shall they call on him in whom they have not believed? and how shall they believe in him of whom they have not heard? and how shall they hear without a preacher?

Mentioned about sudden destruction like the glacier lake dam breaking & thousands of people missing.

"Death of a Guru" tells of his salvation when Jesus saved him from a cobra.

Matthew 14:23 And when He had sent the multitudes away, He went up into a mountain apart to pray: and when the evening was come, He was there alone.

Matthew 17:21 Howbeit this kind goeth not out but by prayer and fasting.

Mark 9:17-26 And one of the multitude answered and said,
Master, I have brought unto thee my son, which hath a dumb
spirit; 18 And wheresoever he taketh him, he teareth him: and
he foameth, and gnasheth with his teeth, and pineth away: and
I spake to Thy disciples that they should cast him out; and
they could not. 19 He answereth him, and saith, O faithless
generation, how long shall I be with you? how long shall I
suffer you? bring him unto Me. 20 And they brought him unto
Him: and when He saw him, straightway the spirit tare him;
and he fell on the ground, and wallowed foaming. 21 And He
asked his father, How long is it ago since this came unto him?
And he said, Of a child. 22 And oftentimes it hath cast him into
the fire, and into the waters, to destroy him: but if Thou canst
do any thing, have compassion on us, and help us. 23 Jesus
said unto him, If thou canst believe, all things *are* possible to
him that believeth. 24 And straightway the father of the child
cried out, and said with tears, Lord, I believe; help Thou mine
unbelief. 25 When Jesus saw that the people came running
together, He rebuked the foul spirit, saying unto him, *Thou*
dumb and deaf spirit, I charge thee, come out of him, and
enter no more into him. 26 And *the spirit* cried, and rent him
sore, and came out of him: and he was as one dead; insomuch
that many said, He is dead.

Acts 19 Referred to the 7 sons of Sceva attacked by the demons.

Matthew 19:13, 14 Then were there brought unto Him little
children, that He should put *His* hands on them, and pray: and
the disciples rebuked them. 14 But Jesus said, Suffer little
children, and forbid them not, to come unto me: for of such is
the kingdom of heaven.

Matthew 18:10 Take heed that ye despise not one of these little
ones; for I say unto you, That in heaven their angels do always
behold the face of my Father which is in heaven.

Matthew 21:13 And said unto them, It is Written, My house shall
be called the house of prayer; but ye have made it a den of
thieves.

Matthew 21:22 And all things, whatsoever ye shall ask in prayer,
believing, ye shall receive.

Matthew 14:30 But when he saw the wind boisterous, he was

afraid; and beginning to sink, he cried, saying, Lord, save me.
Matthew 21:22 And all things, whatsoever ye shall ask in prayer, believing, ye shall receive.

Matthew 23:14 Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! for ye devour widows' houses, and for a pretence make long prayer: therefore ye shall receive the greater damnation.

Luke 18:9-14 And he spake this parable unto certain which trusted in themselves that they were righteous, and despised others: 10 Two men went up into the temple to pray; the one a Pharisee, and the other a publican. 11 The Pharisee stood and prayed thus with himself, God, I thank thee, that I am not as other men *are*, extortioners, unjust, adulterers, or even as this publican. 12 I fast twice in the week, I give tithes of all that I possess. 13 And the publican, standing afar off, would not lift up so much as *his* eyes unto heaven, but smote upon his breast, saying, God be merciful to me a sinner. 14 I tell you, this man went down to his house justified *rather* than the other: for every one that exalteth himself shall be abased; and he that humbleth himself shall be exalted.

Matthew 24:20 But pray ye that your flight be not in the winter, neither on the Sabbath day:

Matthew 26:36 Then cometh Jesus with them unto a place called Gethsemane, and saith unto the disciples, Sit ye here, while I go and pray yonder.

Matthew 26:39 And He went a little further, and fell on His face, and prayed, saying, O My Father, if it be possible, let this cup pass from Me: nevertheless not as I will, but as Thou *wilt*.

John 18:37 Pilate therefore said unto Him, Art thou a king then? Jesus answered, Thou sayest that I am a King. To this end was I born, and for this cause came I into the world, that I should bear witness unto the truth. Every one that is of the truth heareth My Voice.

Matthew 26:41, 42 Watch and pray, that ye enter not into temptation: the spirit indeed *is* willing, but the flesh *is* weak.

2 Corinthians 10:5 Casting down imaginations, and every high thing that exalteth itself against the knowledge of God, and bringing into captivity every thought to the obedience of Christ;

Matthew 26:42 He went away again the second time, and prayed, saying, O My Father, if this cup may not pass away from Me, except I drink it, Thy will be done.

Matthew 26:44 And He left them, and went away again, and prayed the third time, saying the same Words.

Matthew 26:53 Thinkest thou that I cannot now pray to My Father, and He shall presently give Me more than twelve legions of angels?

Mark 14:47 And one of them that stood by drew a sword, and smote a servant of the high priest, and cut off his ear.

Luke 2:37 And she *was* a widow of about fourscore and four years, which departed not from the temple, but served *God* with fastings and prayers night and day.

Luke 6:12 And it came to pass in those days, that He went out into a mountain to pray, and continued all night in prayer to God.

1 Thessalonians 3:10 Night and day praying exceedingly that we might see your face, and might perfect that which is lacking in your faith?

1 Timothy 5:5 Now she that is a widow indeed, and desolate, trusteth in God, and continueth in supplications and prayers night and day.

2 Timothy 1:3 I thank God, Whom I serve from *my* forefathers with pure conscience, that without ceasing I have remembrance of thee in my prayers night and day;

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