

Connecting with God

Connecting with God means agreeing in faith with His written word. His Word is not just there for your reading pleasure. His Word is Life and brings life as you embrace His truth into your life. God will accomplish His will in your life as you yield and trust Him.

Scripture is clear. God is able to do far more abundantly than all that you could ask or think, according to the power at work within you. In prayer you speak openly with your Father in Heaven.

He is very specific about the aspects of His will. God created you to fulfill a specific role in this world. There is no one else who can do what God has purposely created you to do. Trust in the truth that His will is already set forth carefully through His Word.

There is no denying that it is God who works in you, both to will and to work for His good pleasure. His plans are always good and God's will is "good, pleasing and perfect" (Romans 12:2). You are a child of God. He loves you and knows your needs. He wants you to communicate with Him through prayer and loves when you do.

Below is a prayer based on scripture alone.

Heavenly Father,

I agree that it is my choice to trust Your spoken Word. I want You to know that I willingly choose Your ways above my own. I confess to You, God, and declare that I am Your child and that I have royal blood flowing through my veins.

I rejoice in the truth that I am a co-heir with Christ and I am equipped for whatever my day brings because You supply all my needs.

I believe You are faithful and called me. Therefore it shall come to pass because You will also do it. I believe that You always equip me to do what You call me to do. Heavenly Father, I willingly trust in You, the Author and Finisher of my faith because You are faithful and true.

I willingly choose not to walk by what I might see, but to walk in the truth of Your Word for me. I willingly cast down any imagination or thing that tries to rise against the truth of Your Word for me. I submit myself to Your Word, asking You to guard my mind. For I know if I keep my eyes on You, each step I take will be guided by You. I willingly embrace the truth that Your

Word will light my path, regardless of what the day holds for me, because I believe Your Word is my guide.

I believe that I have an inheritance that can never perish, spoil or fade over time since the Word of God is true. I stand in the truth that there is no weapon that is formed against me that will prosper. I believe that Your Word is alive and well within me. I believe that Your Word will produce a harvest of righteousness in my life and that You will fulfill Your purposes for me.

I believe that Your plans for me are not for evil, but Your plan gives me a future and a hope. I believe that Your plan and purposes for me shall be accomplished because I know that through You I can do all things. I rejoice in the truth, knowing that no purpose of Yours for my life can be thwarted if I trust in You.

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