

Prayer for Wisdom June 19, 2017

Ephesians 5:15-21 - See then that you walk circumspectly, not as fools but as wise, 16 redeeming the time, because the days are evil. 17 Therefore do not be unwise, but understand what the will of the Lord *is*. 18 And do not be drunk with wine, in which is dissipation; but be filled with the Spirit, 19 speaking to one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and making melody in your heart to the Lord, 20 giving thanks always for all things to God the Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, 21 submitting to one another in the fear of God.

Psalms 34:17-22 - *The righteous* cry out, and the Lord hears, And delivers them out of all their troubles. 18 The Lord *is* near to those who have a broken heart, And saves such as have a contrite spirit. 19 Many are the afflictions of the righteous, But the Lord delivers him out of them all. 20 He guards all his bones; Not one of them is broken. 21 Evil shall slay the wicked, And those who hate the righteous shall be condemned. 22 The Lord redeems the soul of His servants, And none of those who trust in Him shall be condemned.

Almighty Father, Who rules Heaven and Earth, help us all in this time. The times are dark and many have lost or are losing hope. Your Word says You are near to those who are broken-hearted and You save those with a contrite spirit. Help each of us to remember Your Words. Help each of us to know Your Words above anything any person can or may say to us. We seek Your will, Father. We seek to know Your will. We seek wisdom which begins with our fear of You. We are Your children and only desire to do what we see and hear You do just as Jesus did and nothing less or nothing more. Our goal is to be closer to You. Help us. Grant us wisdom. Not wisdom from the world but wisdom that can only come from Heaven. Lead us and guide us in these seasons ahead to seek, learn, know, and understand Your will by Your wisdom. We beseech You, Father, to help us keep our eyes, ears, and hearts open to only what You say to each of us. Help us to cleanse ourselves through Your Word so we may delve even deeper into Who You are. By the name of Jesus Christ, we ask this. Amen!