



## Seven Days of Bible-Based Prayer for Gospel Sharing and Deployed Disaster Relief Volunteers

### Day 1: Pray for Open Hearts and Minds

- *Pray that the Lord opens the hearts of those affected by disasters to pay attention to His message of hope and restoration. Acts 16:14* "The Lord opened her heart to pay attention to what was said by Paul."
- *Pray against spiritual blindness and ask God to reveal His truth to those who are struggling and searching for answers amid disaster. 2 Corinthians 4:3-4* "And even if our gospel is veiled, it is veiled to those who are perishing. In their case the god of this world has blinded the minds of the unbelievers, to keep them from seeing the light of the gospel of the glory of Christ, who is the image of God."

### Day 2: Pray for Receptivity and Boldness

- *Pray for the people impacted by disasters to receive the gospel with openness and willingness, turning from despair to faith. 1 Thessalonians 1:9* "For they themselves report concerning us the kind of reception we had among you, and how you turned to God from idols to serve the living and true God."
- *Pray for boldness for disaster relief volunteers and to speak clearly and courageously about the hope found in Christ amid chaos and suffering. Ephesians 6:18-20* "Praying at all times in the Spirit, with all prayer and supplication. To that end, keep alert with all perseverance, making supplication for all the saints, and also for me, that words may be given to me in opening my mouth boldly to proclaim the mystery of the gospel, for which I am an ambassador in chains, that I may declare it boldly, as I ought to speak."

### Day 3: Pray for Conviction and Protection

- *Pray that the gospel is proclaimed with power and conviction, bringing genuine transformation in the lives of those affected by disaster. 1 Thessalonians 1:5* "Because our gospel came to you not only in word, but also in power and in the Holy Spirit and with full conviction. You know what kind of men we proved to be among you for your sake."
- *Pray for protection from opposition and spiritual attacks as volunteers and relief workers share the message of hope and salvation. 2 Thessalonians 3:2* "And that we may be delivered from wicked and evil men. For not all have faith."

#### **Day 4: Pray for Faith and Courage**

- *Pray for unwavering faith in God's protection and provision amid challenging circumstances. **Psalm 91:2** "I will say to the Lord, 'My refuge and my fortress, my God, in whom I trust.'"*
- *Pray that God strengthens the hearts of disaster relief volunteers, enabling them to trust in His guidance and be a beacon of His love. **Isaiah 12:2** "Behold, God is my salvation; I will trust, and will not be afraid; for the Lord God is my strength and my song, and he has become my salvation."*
- *Pray that deployed disaster relief volunteers serve as ambassadors of Christ, demonstrating His reconciliation and love to those in need. **2 Corinthians 5:20** "Therefore, we are ambassadors for Christ, God making his appeal through us. We implore you on behalf of Christ, be reconciled to God."*

#### **Day 5: Pray against Deception and for Endurance**

- *Pray against deception and false teachings that may hinder people from receiving the true message of salvation. **Colossians 2:8** "See to it that no one takes you captive by philosophy and empty deceit, according to human tradition, according to the elemental spirits of the world, and not according to Christ."*
- *Pray for endurance and perseverance for disaster relief volunteers, that they may remain steadfast in their mission despite challenges. **2 Corinthians 12:10** "For the sake of Christ, then, I am content with weaknesses, insults, hardships, persecutions, and calamities. For when I am weak, then I am strong."*

#### **Day 6: Pray for Repentance and Obedience**

- *Pray that hearts are turned towards repentance and that people affected by disaster turn to God for forgiveness and restoration. **Acts 3:19** "Repent therefore, and turn back, that your sins may be blotted out."*
- *Pray for a spirit of repentance among those impacted by disaster, that they may recognize their need for God. **Acts 17:30** "The times of ignorance God overlooked, but now he commands all people everywhere to repent."*
- *Pray that those who hear the gospel during disaster relief efforts will respond in faith and be sealed with the Holy Spirit. **Ephesians 1:13** "In Him you also, when you heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and believed in Him, were sealed with the promised Holy Spirit."*

#### **Day 7: Pray for Repentance and Endurance**

- *Pray for those who oppose the gospel to come to repentance and knowledge of the truth. **2 Timothy 2:25-26** "Correcting his opponents with gentleness. God may perhaps grant them repentance leading to a knowledge of the truth, and they may come to their senses and escape from the snare of the devil, after being captured by him to do his will."*
- *Pray for enduring strength and resilience for disaster relief volunteers, that they may continue to serve with joy and effectiveness. **2 Corinthians 12:10** "For the sake of Christ, then, I am content with weaknesses, insults, hardships, persecutions, and calamities. For when I am weak, then I am strong."*