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*PRAYER CHALLENGE*

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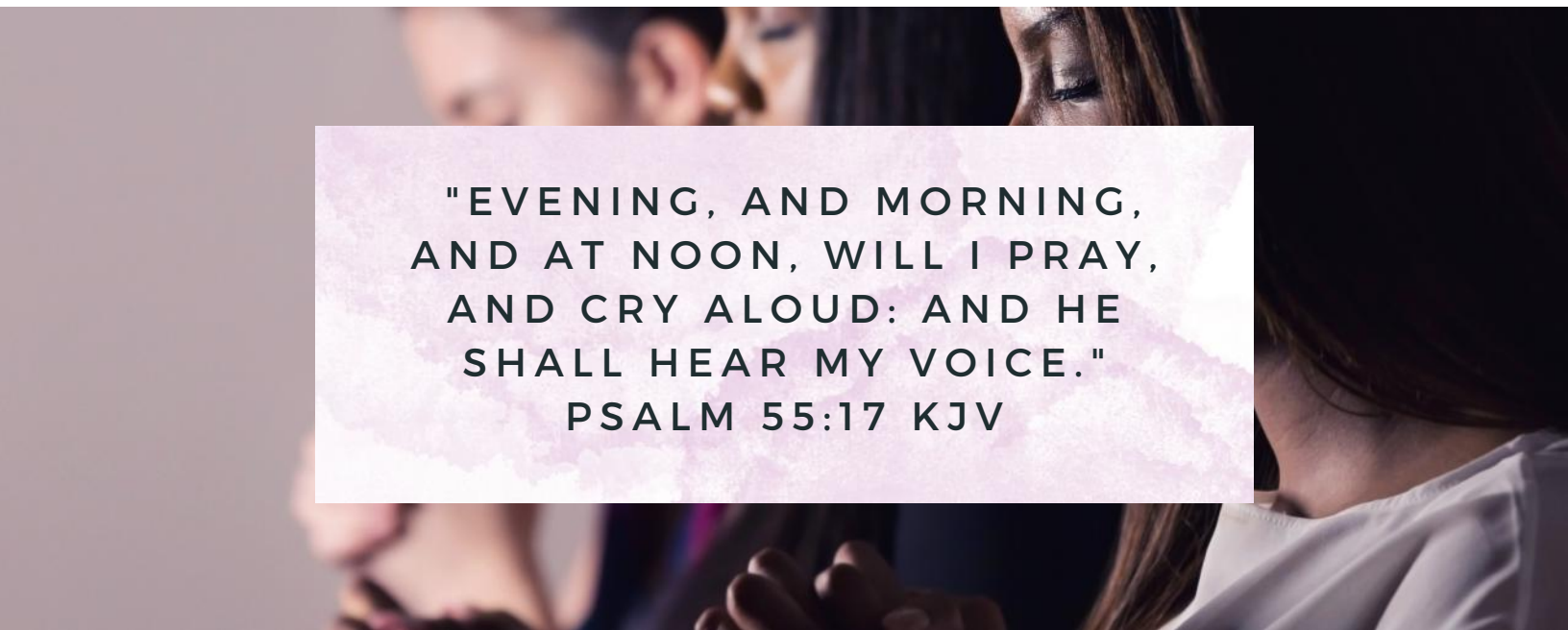
## PRAY WITHOUT CEASING. 1 THESSALONIANS 5:17 KJV

PRAYER, AS DEFINED BY THE BIBLE, IS A DIRECT AND INTIMATE COMMUNICATION BETWEEN YOU AND GOD. IT IS THE ACT OF SPEAKING, POURING OUT YOUR HEART, AND SHARING THOUGHTS, DESIRES, PRAISES, AND PETITIONS WITH THE ALMIGHTY CREATOR.

THE BIBLE PORTRAYS PRAYER AS A TWO-WAY CONVERSATION WHERE YOU AS A BELIEVER CAN APPROACH GOD WITH REVERENCE, FAITH, AND HUMILITY, AND GOD RESPONDS WITH LOVE, WISDOM, AND GRACE.

THROUGHOUT THE BIBLE, PRAYER IS DEPICTED AS AN ESSENTIAL MEANS OF SEEKING GOD'S GUIDANCE, EXPRESSING GRATITUDE, SEEKING FORGIVENESS, FINDING COMFORT IN TIMES OF DISTRESS, AND INTERCEDING ON BEHALF OF OTHERS.

IT IS A WAY TO ALIGN YOURSELF WITH GOD'S WILL, DRAWING CLOSER TO HIM, AND DEEPENING YOUR RELATIONSHIP WITH THE HEAVENLY FATHER.



"EVENING, AND MORNING,  
AND AT NOON, WILL I PRAY,  
AND CRY ALOUD: AND HE  
SHALL HEAR MY VOICE."  
PSALM 55:17 KJV

# ABOUT THE AUTHOR

Mildly put, Dr. LaKeisha J. Richards is a powerhouse whose influence spans ministry, media, and mentorship. She wears many hats with grace mother, Glam Ma, bestselling author, pastor, TV host, certified life coach, chaplain, and global ambassador for the acclaimed platform “Don’t Give Up on Love.”

A woman of extraordinary gifts, Dr. Richards has achieved remarkable milestones, including singing background for gospel greats such as Pastor Shirley Caesar, the late Reverend F.C. Barnes, and Brenda Whitfield Ellis. A proud pastor’s kid, she also served as Former Dean of Administration to the Chancellor at Global Oved Seminary & University. As a John Maxwell Certified Speaker and Coach, Dr. Richards inspires audiences worldwide with her wisdom and authenticity. She has been featured on Dominion TV, The Fierce, Ignition & Activation Radio Show with Apostle Deborah Allen, KISH Magazine (Top 25 Global Influencer and Top 24 Women Who Win), Kishma George Radio Show, and Nicole LIVE. She has also co-hosted the Global Oved Seminary & University Teach and Pray Show and currently hosts The LaKeisha J. Richards Show on the Zenith TV Network. Her excellence has been honored with the Presidential Lifetime Achievement Award from President Joe Biden and recognition as an Iconic Woman in Ministry (2019). Now residing in North Carolina, Dr. Richards continues to faithfully serve in ministry. With a legacy rooted in faith, resilience, and leadership, she is passionately committed to empowering women and single mothers through her inspiring talks, personal coaching, and dynamic workshops.



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## Key characteristics of prayer, as defined by the Bible, include:

- **Access:** Through Jesus Christ, believers have direct access to God. They can approach Him personally, without the need for intermediaries like priests or religious leaders (Ephesians 3:12, Hebrews 4:14-16).
- **Reverence and Worship:** Prayer involves acknowledging God's holiness, majesty, and sovereignty. It is a time to worship and adore Him for His greatness and goodness (Psalm 95:6, Psalm 100:4).
- **Trust and Faith:** Believers approach God in faith, trusting that He hears their prayers and responds according to His wisdom and love (Matthew 21:22, James 1:5-6).
- **Confession and Repentance:** Prayer allows believers to confess their sins, seek forgiveness, and turn away from wrongdoing. It is a way to maintain a pure and righteous relationship with God (1 John 1:9, Psalm 32:5).
- **Petition and Supplication:** Prayer includes making requests to God, seeking His intervention, and presenting personal needs and concerns (Philippians 4:6-7, Psalm 34:17).
- **Intercession:** Believers are encouraged to pray for others, lifting up their needs, and interceding on their behalf (James 5:16, 1 Timothy 2:1-2).
- **Listening and Waiting:** Prayer is not only about speaking to God but also about listening for His voice and waiting on Him to reveal His will (Psalm 46:10, Isaiah 30:18).
- **Gratitude and Thanksgiving:** Prayer involves expressing gratitude to God for His blessings, provisions, and answered prayers (Colossians 4:2, 1 Thessalonians 5:18).

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## Day 1 - Rekindling the flame

Prayer: Father, I present myself as a living sacrifice before You. Rekindle every fire that has burned low in my life. Let the altar of my heart be set ablaze with fresh passion, hunger, and devotion for You. In Jesus' name, Amen.

Write down additional thoughts, prayers, and scriptures that come to mind on this subject...

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**Focus: Cleansing and consecration to carry the fire of God without mixture.**

Prayer: Lord, cleanse me from every sin, distraction, and weight. Purge my motives, my words, and my actions. Make me a vessel of purity and power, set apart for Your glory. Amen.

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## Day 3 - Consuming Fire of the Spirit

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## Day 4 - Ablaze in Intercession

Ezekiel 22:30 - I looked for someone among them who would build up the wall and stand before me in the gap

Focus: Standing in the gap for family, community, and nations.

**Prayer Point:** Lord, make me an intercessor who carries the burden of heaven.

Prayer: Father, place the burden of intercession in my spirit. Teach me to weep between the porch and the altar. Let my prayers build walls of protection around families, ministries, and nations. Set me ablaze as a watchman on the wall. Amen.

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### *Day 5 – Fire for the Marketplace & Ministry*

Deuteronomy 8:18 – Remember the Lord your God, for it is He who gives you the ability to produce wealth

Focus: Carrying God's fire into work, ministry, and assignments.

Prayer Point: Lord, let the fire in me bring transformation everywhere I go.

Prayer: Lord, let Your fire go with me into ministry, business, and daily life. May my words carry authority, my hands carry healing, and my work bring glory to You. Make me a light in the marketplace and a vessel of impact in ministry. Amen.

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## Day 6 - Fire of Boldness & Authority

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## Challenge Declaration

I declare that I am set ablaze with the fire of God. My prayer life is ignited, my heart is purified, my spirit is bold, and I am a carrier of revival fire in ministry and the marketplace. I will not let the flame die out, for His fire will continually burn in me.

