

## A Prayer for Financial Blessings

### Scripture Reading:

Psalms 113, Deuteronomy 8

### Reflections of the Heart:

Jesus came so that we may have a rich and satisfying life. Choose to receive His gift and **expect** your life to overflow with His abundance.

### Scriptural Prayer:

Heavenly Father, we praise You with all of our hearts; we will tell of all the marvelous things You have done. Your reign is forever. You execute judgment from Your throne. You judge the world with justice and rule the nations with fairness. Lord, You are a shelter for the oppressed and a refuge in times of trouble. We trust in You because we know Your Name; we know that You do not abandon those who search for You. Father, Your righteousness reaches to the highest heavens. You have done wonderful things! Who can compare with You? Thank You for being our provider. Thank You for giving us the power to be successful. Thank You, Father, for being our economic strong tower during these trying financial times. Your Word is faithful.

Redeeming Father, we declare that we are blessed as a Church Family because we fear You, and delight in obeying Your commands. We believe that Your plans for our finances are for good and not for disaster, to give us a future and a hope. As we are willing and obedient, according to Your Word, we expect to eat the good of the land. As a Church Family, we confess that we will not fear the economic forecasts that are being predicted, we will trust in You because we know that You are for us. We confess that our confidence is in You and not in our jobs, our investments, our bank accounts or ourselves. Every good and perfect gift is from You, the Father of lights, so we say that we will walk by faith and not by sight. As a Church Family, we commit to seeking Your Kingdom above all things and living righteously and as we do this, we know that You will give us everything we need. We release old mindsets, habits and behavior patterns that have created lack and poverty. We forbid thoughts of failure, defeat and mediocrity to inhabit our minds. We confess that wealth and riches are perpetually in our homes and our righteousness will endure forever.

*What are God's promises for your finances? Write those Scriptures down and confess them over your life:*

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Holy Spirit, rescue those who are drowning in financial debt and help us all to manage our finances better. As we receive increases in our finances, help us to remember that You provide abundance. Please help us to not hoard Your blessings. Your Word says that when we help the poor, we are lending to the Lord and He will repay our generosity. So, please remind us to be generous. Holy Spirit, touch the hearts of our Church Family to give to the poor through the Promise of Giving. Help us all to look for opportunities to be a financial blessing to someone else. Father, please surround us with Your favor like a shield as we do business in our public and private lives and continue to open doors of opportunity. Lord, for those who are unemployed, please order their steps and lead them to careers that will bring glory and honor to Your Kingdom and will meet their household needs. Help them to not grow fearful, anxious or hopeless. Please continue to supply all of their needs from Your glorious riches which have been given to us in Christ Jesus.

Almighty God, forgive us for all acts of sin, including idolatry, greed, stinginess, self-centeredness, arrogance, pride, stubbornness and financial disobedience. Forgive us for expressing words of doubt and unbelief concerning Your promise of financial abundance. Forgive those of us who continue the downward spiral of financial mismanagement. Forgive us for failing to develop financial plans that include debt reduction, savings and investments. Forgive us for living beyond our means and misusing credit cards. Father, forgive those members who do not pay their tithes and help them to get on track and begin to tithe. Lord, forgive me for *(list any sins that you have committed.)* Holy Spirit, remind all of us of those we need to forgive and help us to be quick to forgive. As for me, Holy Spirit, bring to my remembrance those I need to forgive. *(Take a moment and ask the Holy Spirit to show you names or faces of people that you may need to forgive. As He shows you, say aloud, "I forgive name of person(s)." Now, trust the Lord to heal any wounds in your soul caused by unforgiveness.)*

Patient Father, help us to not yield to temptation; but deliver us from the evil one.

Omnipresent Lord, You made the earth by Your power and preserve it by Your wisdom. With Your own understanding You stretched out the heavens. When You speak in the thunder, the heavens are filled with water. You cause the clouds to rise over the earth, You send the lightning with the rain and release the wind from Your storehouses. Holy, holy, holy are You the Lord of Heaven's Armies, the whole earth is filled with Your glory! In Jesus Name, Amen.

**Scripture References for the Written Text:** Psalm 9:1,7-10, Psalm 71:19, Deuteronomy 8:18, Psalm 112:1, Jeremiah 29:11, Isaiah 1:19, Psalm 118:6,8, James 1:17, II Corinthians 5:7, Matthew 6:33, Psalm 112:2-3, Proverbs 19:17, Psalm 5:12, Philippians 4:19, Matthew 6: 13, Jeremiah 51:15-16, Isaiah 6:3

***Today, I will trust God to:***

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