Praying Daily For Your Wife

(Adapted from "<u>Making a Difference In Ministry</u>" by Betty Morgan) "Devote yourselves to prayer, keeping alert in it, with an attitude of thanksgiving." Colossians 4:2

Sunday

- 1. That she would be Biblical and faithful in public and private worship, delighting more and more in God and His Word. (Psalm 1:2; 37:4; 119:24, 77, 92, 143; Proverbs 23:26; Song of Solomon 2:3)
- That she might become a holy woman, a humble woman of prayer, mature in the Lord, ever growing in her knowledge of God. (I Thess 5:23; Colossians 4:12; Ephesians 6:18; 3:16-19; II Peter 3:18)

Monday

- 3. That she might learn and be enabled to take every thought captive, to not be conformed to the world's thinking, but to think Scripturally. (Romans 12:1-2; II Corinthians 10:5)
- 4. That she would learn to not depend upon her circumstances, people, or things for happiness and fulfillment, but upon God alone; that she would consistently feed upon God's Word for the nourishment of her own soul. (Habbakuk 3:17-19; Jeremiah 15:16)

Tuesday

- 5. That she ought daily seek God with all her heart, walking in the Spirit moment by moment in a manner worthy of the Lord, growing in her trust and dependence on Him. (Psalm 63:1 -2; 119:1-2; 27:4; Proverbs 3:56, John 15:5)
- 6. That her sense of significance and self-image would be a reflection of the Lord's thoughts toward her. (Ephesians 1:17-18; Romans 12:3; Psalm 139)
- 7. That she might have new, increased strength in the midst of her busy schedule; that the Lord would infuse her with His strength to labor faithfully in her appointed place of service. (Isaiah 40:31; Ephesians 3:14-19; Philippians 4:13)

Wednesday

- 8. That God would enable her to be faithful and fruitful by precept and example, for the building and strengthening of God's Kingdom. (I Timothy 4:11-12; Ephesians 5:1-2)
- 9. That she might learn to love God and others in a Biblical way. (I Corinthians 13:4-7; Romans12:8-10; Acts 20-28)

Thursday

- 10. That she might demonstrate reverence and gratitude, not driven, with well thoughtthrough and prayed-through goals in life. (I Corinthians 9:19-27)
- 11. That the Lord would give her wisdom to love her family physically, emotionally, mentally, and spiritually; That she would lovingly give teaching, exhortation, encouragement, and discipline as needed. (Ephesians 1:17-19; 6:4; 5:25-31; I Thess. 2:11-12; James 1:5-7)
- 12. That the fruit of the Spirit might be exhibited more and more in her life. (Galatians 5:22-23)

Friday

- That she might stand firm against the schemes of the devil, recognizing and resisting Satan in all circumstances (Ephesians 6:10-18; James 4:7; II Corinthians 2:11; I Peter 5:8)
- 14. That she might not be deceived into unbelief or sin in any form; that she would be uncompromising with the world, the flesh or the devil. (Matthew 26:58-75; Galatians 6:7; Ephesians 5:11)
- That she would be continually faithful to examine herself in light of Scripture; recognizing, confessing, and repenting of all inward and outward sins. (Psalm 119:130; 32:1-5; 51:10; I John 1:7)

Saturday

- 16. That the Lord would protect her, guarding her course; That she would have needful grace to accept all "disappointments" as God's sovereign appointments, submitting cheerfully and trustfully to the Lordship of Christ in her life. (Proverbs 2:8; II Thess. 3:3; Proverbs 19:21; Psalm 135:6; Ephesians 1:11; Daniel 4:35)
- 17. That she might be self-disciplined, learning to manage her time well. (Ephesians 5:15; Philippians 2:12-13)
- That God would give her favor with others outside the walls of your house, opening doors of opportunity for her to have a godly influence in the church and community. (Psalm 133:1-3; Proverbs 21:1; Nehemiah 1:11; 2:18, 20)

"Now to Him who is able to do exceeding abundantly beyond all that we ask or think, according to the power that works within us, to Him be the glory in the church and in Christ Jesus to all generations forever and ever. Amen." *Ephesians 3:20-21*