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Sunday, March 30, 2014

**“PAUL’S PRAYER”**

(Ephesians 3:14-19)

Paul came to understand the power found in prayer. Today, we will discover how to tap into this power and the results we can expect.

**1<sup>st</sup> PRAYER REQUEST**

1. It is a prayer for \_\_\_\_\_.
2. The focus of this power is your \_\_\_\_\_.

**Result:**

“Christ may \_\_\_\_\_ in your hearts through faith.”

**2<sup>nd</sup> PRAYER REQUEST:**

1. It is also a prayer for \_\_\_\_\_.
2. The focus of this power is your \_\_\_\_\_.

**Result:**

“that you may be filled to the full measure of the fullness of God.”

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(Ephesians 3:14-19)

*“For this reason I kneel before the Father, from whom every family in heaven and on earth derives its name. I pray that out of his glorious riches he may strengthen you with power through his Spirit in your inner being, so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith. And I pray that you, being rooted and established in love, may have power, together with all the Lord’s holy people, to grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ, and to know this love that surpasses knowledge—that you may be filled to the measure of all the fullness of God” (Ephesians 3:14-19, NIV).*

**1<sup>st</sup> PRAYER REQUEST**

*“I pray that out of his glorious riches he may strengthen you with power through his Spirit in your inner being, so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith” (Ephesians 3:16-17, NIV).*

**1. It is a prayer for power.**

**2. The focus of this power is your inner being.**

*“Therefore we do not lose heart. Though outwardly we are wasting away, yet inwardly we are being renewed day by day. So we fix our eyes not on what is seen, but on what is unseen, since what is seen is temporary, but what is unseen is eternal” (2 Corinthians 4:16, 18, NIV).*

**Result:**

**“Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith.”**

## **2nd PRAYER REQUEST:**

*“I pray that you, being rooted and established in love, may have power, together with all the Lord’s holy people, to grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ, and to know this love that surpasses knowledge” (Ephesians 3:17-18).*

**1. It is also a prayer for power.**

**2. The focus of this power is your mind.**

*“I pray that you may have power... to grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ, and to know this love that surpasses knowledge” (Ephesians 3:17-18).*

Jesus said, *“If anyone loves me he will obey my teaching” (John 14:23).*

### **Result:**

**“that you may be filled to the full measure of the fullness of God.”**