Thank You Lord By Don Moen

Our prayer in this Month of November went from petitions, to declarations and we now move to thanksgiving. Our prayers have been rooted in faith, in our confidence that God heard us when we prayed. 1 John 5: 14-15 tells us if we are certain that God will hear our prayers when we ask for what pleases him. And if we know that God listens when we pray, we are sure that our prayers have **already** been answered.

Since we **believe** our prayers are **already** answered, by **faith** we expect to see the results manifested in our daily life as we go forward.

1. Let us be reminded that In this prayer we prayed concerning the spirit of wisdom and revelation to know God better, experience the greatness of His power, and have a deeper understanding of God's truth based on Ephesians 1:17-23.

Our prayer was this: Heavenly Father, we come before You in the mighty name of Jesus, asking according to Ephesians 1: 17-23 that You, the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give us, your people, the spirit of wisdom and revelation in the knowledge of You. Open the eyes of our understanding so that your revelation may enlighten us. Help us to know the hope of Your calling and the riches of the glory of Your inheritance in the saints.

Father, may we experience and comprehend the exceeding greatness of Your power toward us as believers, according to the working of Your mighty power.

This is the same power that You worked in Christ when You raised Him from the dead and seated Him at Your right hand in the heavenly places, far above all principality and power and might and dominion, and every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the one to come.

Thank You for putting all things under His feet and giving Him to be the head over all things to the Church, which is His body, the fullness of Him who fills all in all.

Lord, we submit ourselves to You and trust in Your power and wisdom. Let us grow in deeper knowledge and understanding of Your truth. Amen.

We expect this prayer to bring transformative spiritual growth, resulting in visible changes in our daily lives. These changes will reflect greater spiritual wisdom, a clearer understanding of God's truth, and a deeper relationship with Him.

Answered Prayer Checklist:

By God's grace, here are some practical changes you can expect to see in your daily life, inspiring heartfelt thanks to the Lord.

- ✓ Tick off what you see manifesting in your life.
- Reflect on areas that still need growth and cultivation.
- 🙏 Keep thanking God for His grace to guide you step by step in each area.
- 🎉 Celebrate every victory as you grow in His strength!

1. Clearer Spiritual Discernment

Practical Impact:

	 You discern God's will with greater clarity, aligning your decisions with His purpose rather than personal preferences or worldly influences. In moments of confusion or challenge, you lean into God's wisdom, making choices that reflect His principles and truth. 	
2. A Purposeful Life Aligned with God's Calling		
)	Practical Impact: ☐ You wake up each day with a strong sense of purpose, driven by the hope of God's calling on your life. ☐ Your priorities shift from temporal pursuits to those that advance God's kingdom, such as serving others, sharing the gospel, or interceding in prayer. You serve others as you serve Christ in your workplace or in your family. ☐ Even mundane tasks are approached with a heart of worship, knowing they contribute to God's greater plan.	
3. Joyful Confidence in God's Power		
(Practical Impact: ☐ You face difficulties with peace, confidence, and resilience, knowing the same power that raised Christ from the dead is working in and through you. ☐ You stop relying solely on your own strength, instead allowing God's power to flow through your prayers, decisions, and actions. ☐ Witnessing God's power and grace at work in your life—whether through answered prayers, unexpected breakthroughs, or victory over sin—deepens your trust in Him.	
4. Transformation in Relationships		
(Practical Impact: ☐ You relate to others with Christ-like humility, patience, and love, inspired by a greater understanding of God's grace and inheritance in the saints.	

	You become a peacemaker, fostering reconciliation and unity in your family, workplace, and community. Your relationships with other believers are strengthened as you recognize God's love for them and as you cherish their role in God's plan, encouraging and supporting one another.		
5. Anchored in God's Truth			
	Practical Impact: You confidently stand against deception and fear, grounded in the knowledge of God's unchanging truth and promises. The Scriptures come alive as the Holy Spirit reveals deeper insights, making your personal Bible study and devotions rich and fruitful. Your prayers become more aligned with God's will, leading to powerful intercession and tangible outcomes.		
6. Spiritual Maturity and Boldness			
	Practical Impact: You grow in faith and maturity, reflecting God's character in your thoughts, words, and actions. You boldly share your faith, recognizing that the greatness of God's power working in you can inspire and transform others. You develop the courage to address challenges and step out in obedience, trusting God's wisdom and provision.		
7. A Deeper, Vibrant Relationship with God			
	Practical Impact: Your relationship with God becomes more intimate, characterized by constant communication, worship, and joy in His presence. You experience a deeper sense of God's love and His active involvement in your daily life, which fuels gratitude and reverence. You approach life with a "God-first" mindset, seeking His perspective in every situation.		

8. Overflow of God's Power in Ministry

•	Practical Impact:
	Your ministry, whether formal or informal, becomes more impactful
	as God's power flows through you to touch lives.
	You inspire and encourage others by sharing testimonies of how
	God's wisdom, power, and truth have transformed your life.
	Your influence expands as others recognize the evidence of God's
	work in your life, drawing them closer to Him.

Close with thanksgiving:

Father, I thank You for Your abundant grace, through which my life becomes a reflection of Your glory and a powerful testament to Your transformative work. I am grateful for a life where spiritual growth is evident in every action, decision, and interaction, as I walk daily in Your wisdom, revelation, and power.

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