



# Praying Parents Prayer Group Christian Ministry

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## 3pG Prayers and Fasting - LIGHT YOUR WORLD - PART 3

Wednesday 6th February 2019 - Day 3

**THAT I MAY KNOW HIM**

**Breaking of Bread: Colossians 1:1-20**

The heart cry of a wise man was once **"That I may know Him"** but he didn't stopped there he added, that he might also know **"the power of His resurrection and the fellowship of His sufferings, being made conformable unto His death"** (Philippians 3:10). It takes an in depth sense of spiritual wisdom to desire the Personality of Wisdom that much. The New Testament wisdom is synouymous to being dead or insensitive to self, its pride and worth. It is wisdom to seek to know Jesus and the Power of His Person.

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## **1. We can't see unless God open our eyes.**

To know ones level of deficiency in wisdom and the area of defficiency that is so needed, takes God quickening one's spirit and opening one's spiritual eyes to see how depraved we are without His wisdom. The average human heart is self serving, confused and greedy, thus highly unlikely to have the capacity to keep home or build a house (household, family) that can withstand the test of time. We need the power and the wisdom of God to be fair to our spouses.

**Ephesians 2:1 And you hath he quickened, who were dead in trespasses and sins;**

**John 6:63 It is the spirit that quickeneth; the flesh profiteth nothing: the words that I speak unto you, they are spirit, and they are life.**

a. Wisdom gives life, and the teachings of wisdom are quicken (wake up, open the eye) to life and peace. Thank God for speaking life to your spirit and to your family since the start of the Wisdom series.

b. Thank God for quickening your understanding and wisdom to see the importance of your family and the peace of your family in a new and deeper way that pleases God.

c. Thank God for the renew strength, and renewal of your understanding in the light of the knowledge of His will. It is God that is opening our eyes to greater truths than we once knew.

**John 5:21 For as the Father raiseth up the dead, and quickeneth them; even so the Son quickeneth whom he will.**

d. Ask God to quicken (wake up) your understanding of His will for your life, for your children and for your family in Jesus Name (without Him, there is no wisdom and you can do nothing).

e. Ask that God in His mercy will qualify you and count your family (you, your spouse and children) among those whom He has determined to wake up to true Christian family life.

## **2. That I may know Him.**

Having a deep knowledge of Jesus Christ, the Power and the Wisdom of God, is the secret of the New Testament Wisdom. God expectations for family life is too high for humans, thus the need for divine wisdom. No man can love, manage a woman successfully and build a family with her, unless he first of all become insensitive to the pride and desire of the flesh. Same goes for the woman, she can't submit and honour her lord, unless she had first and foremost found and know Jesus Christ. The heart of the average man or woman is sick with pride, we are helpless without Him.

**Philippians 3:10 That I may know him, and the power of his resurrection, and the fellowship of his sufferings, being made conformable unto his death;**

a. Ask that your heart will desire to know Jesus Christ more than ever before. (That is the secret of your family peace).

b. Ask that the Power that raised Jesus Christ from the dead, will wake up the love of God in your family, for God, for one another and for His Kingdom in Jesus Name.

c. Pray for families in 3pG, including your family, that God will wake everyone up to rediscovered love, affections

and renew commitments between man and wife, parents to children and children to parents in that order, in Jesus Name. Amen!

**Malachi 2:13 And this have ye done again, covering the altar of the LORD with tears, with weeping, and with crying out, insomuch that he regardeth not the offering any more, or receiveth it with good will at your hand. 2:14 Yet ye say, Wherefore? Because the LORD hath been witness between thee and the wife of thy youth, against whom thou hast dealt treacherously: yet is she thy companion, and the wife of thy covenant.**

d. Pray there should be an ending to all forms of conflict in homes, that henceforth, God and our children will no longer witness treacherous dealing and conflicts in our homes and marriages in Jesus Name.

### **3. The Power of His Person**

The wise will seek to know Him and the power of His Name. The Power of God is very much available to do His will. Doing His will is wisdom. His will for our families brings healing to our health, comfort and rest to our

families and end to our worries. He reign and rules over all.

**Colossians 2:10** And ye are complete in him, which is the head of all principality and power:

**Ephesians 1:21** Far above all principality, and power, and might, and dominion, and every name that is named, not only in this world, but also in that which is to come:

a. Ask that every idea, thoughts, wisdom and forces in your family will submit to the Power of Jesus Christ. Amen!

b. Ask that all pains, sicknesses or diseases, and all health challenges will submit and respond correctly to the Name and Power of Jesus Name. Amen!

c. Pray that every influence within and outside your family will obey the Name and the Power of Jesus Christ. Amen!

c. Pray for members and children having birthdays this month and all wedding anniversaries in this month that God will equip them all with wisdom and power for their new year in Jesus Name.

4. Add any other personal/family requests.
5. Cover all prayers and answers with the Blood of Jesus Christ and seal all with Amen.

**May your heart be filled with wisdom and discretion. May God bless your understanding and reward your obedience and may all your decisions in the year 2019 bring you comfort and rest and may peace be the joy of your children in Jesus Gracious Name. Amen**

**Happy Covenant of Words - Isaiah 59:21**

**- Group Admin, 3pG.**