

NEW COVENANT STANDING PRAYER

The pronouns of the original Scriptures (NRSV) have been changed and/or capitalized. YESHUA MESSIAH is used instead of JESUS CHRIST; YHVH instead of GOD most of the time; important words capitalized, like Gospel, Name, etc., some words replaced in brackets.

[Thank you, Father, that You have] called [me and] ... set [me] apart for [Your] Gospel ... 2 which [You] promised beforehand through [Your] prophets in the Holy Scriptures, 3 the Gospel concerning [Your] Son, who was descended from David according to the flesh 4 and was declared to be Son of YHVH with power according to the Spirit of holiness by resurrection from the dead, Yeshua Messiah our Lord, 5 through whom [I] have received grace ... to bring about the obedience of faith among ... [unbelievers] for the sake of [Your] Name, (Rom. 1:1-5)

Long ago [You] spoke to our ancestors in many and various ways by the prophets, 2 but in these last days [You have] spoken to us by [Your] Son, whom [You] appointed heir of all things, through whom [You] also created the worlds. 3 He is the reflection of [Your] glory and the exact imprint of [Your] very being, and He sustains all things by [Your] powerful Word. When He had made purification for sins, He sat down at [Your] right hand [O] Majesty on high, 4 having become as much superior to angels as the Name He has inherited is more excellent than theirs. (Heb. 1:1-4)

Blessed [are You,] YHVH and Father of our Lord Yeshua Messiah! By [Your] great mercy [You have] given [me] a new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Yeshua Messiah from the dead, 4 and into an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading, kept in heaven for [me], 5 [I am] being protected by [Your] power ... through faith for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time. 6 In this [I] rejoice, even if now for a little while [I] have had to suffer various trials, 7 so that the genuineness of [my] faith—being more precious than gold that, though perishable, is tested by fire—may be found to result in praise and glory and honor when [You,] Yeshua Messiah. [are] revealed. (1 Pet. 1:3-7)

...[Thank You, Father, for giving me] a faith [so] precious ... through [Your] righteousness [O] YHVH and Savior Yeshua Messiah: 2 May grace and peace [shalom be [mine] in abundance in the knowledge of [You,] YHVH and ... Yeshua our Lord. 3 [Your] divine power has given [me] everything needed for life and Godliness, through the knowledge of [You] who called [me] by [Your] own glory and goodness. 4 Thus [You have] given [me], through these things, [Your] precious and very great promises, so that through them [I] may escape from the corruption that is in the world because of lust, and may become [a] participant of [Your] divine nature. 5 For this very reason, [help me to] make every effort to support [my] faith with goodness, and goodness with knowledge, 6 and knowledge with self-control, and self-control with endurance, and endurance with Godliness, 7 and Godliness with mutual affection, and mutual affection with love. (2 Pet. 1:1-7)

[Fill me with Your] Grace ... and peace [shalom], [O] YHVH our Father, and ... [Adonai] Yeshua Messiah. 4 I thank [You] always [concerning Your] grace ... which [You have] given [me] in Messiah Yeshua; that [I am] enriched in everything by [You] in all utterance and all knowledge, 6 even as the testimony of Messiah was confirmed in [me], 7 so that [I] come short in no gift, eagerly waiting for the revelation of our Lord Yeshua Messiah, 8 who will also confirm [me] to the end, that [I] may be blameless in the day of our Lord Yeshua Messiah. 9 [You are] faithful, by whom [I was] called into the fellowship of [Your] Son, Yeshua Messiah our Lord.. (1 Cor. 1:3-9 NKJV)

Blessed [are You,] YHVH and Father of our Lord Yeshua Messiah, the Father of mercies and the God of all consolation, 4 who consoles [me] in all [my] affliction, so that [I] may be able to console those who are in any affliction with the consolation with which [I am] consoled by YHVH. 5 For just as the sufferings of Messiah are abundant for [me], so also [my] consolation is abundant through Messiah. (2 Cor. 1:3-5)

[Keep me filled to overflowing with Your] Grace ... and peace [shalom] [O] YHVH our Father and [Adonai] Yeshua Messiah, 4 who gave [Yourself] for [my] sins to set [me] free from the present evil age, according [Your] will [O] YHVH and Father, 5 to whom be the glory forever and ever. Amen. (Gal. 1:3-5)

Blessed [are You,] YHVH and Father of our Lord Yeshua Messiah, who has blessed [me] in Messiah with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places, **4** just as [You] chose [me] in Messiah before the foundation of the world to be holy and blameless before [You] in love. **5** [You] destined [me] for adoption as [Your child] through Yeshua Messiah, according to the good pleasure of [Your] will, **6** to the praise of [Your] glorious grace that [You] freely bestowed on [me] in the Beloved. **7** In [You] [I] have redemption through the Blood, the forgiveness of [my] trespasses, according to the riches of [Your] grace **8** that [You] lavished on [me]. With all wisdom and insight **9** [You are making] known to [me] the mystery of [Your] will, according to [Your] good pleasure that [You] set forth in Messiah, **10** as a plan for the fullness of time, to gather up all things in Him, things in heaven and things on earth. **11** In Messiah [I] have also obtained an inheritance, having been destined according to the purpose of [You] who accomplishes all things according to [Your] counsel and will, **12** so that [I], who [have] set [my] hope on Messiah, might live for the praise of [Your] glory. **13** In [You] [I] also, when [I] heard the Word of Truth, the Gospel of Your Salvation, and believed in [You], [was] marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit; **14** this is the pledge of our inheritance toward redemption as [Your] own people, to the praise of [Your] glory. **15** ... [F]or this reason **16** I do not cease to give thanks ... in my prayers. **17** I pray that [You,] God of our Lord Yeshua Messiah, the Father of glory, may give [me] a spirit of wisdom and revelation as [I] come to know [You], **18** so that, with the eyes of [my] heart enlightened, [I] may know what is the hope to which [You have] called [me], what are the riches of [Your] glorious inheritance among the [redeemed], **19** and what is the immeasurable greatness of [Your] power for us who believe, according to the working of [Your] great power. **20** [You] put this power to work in Messiah when [You] raised Him from the dead and seated Him at [Your] right hand in the heavenly places, **21** far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. **22** And [You have] put all things under His feet and [have] made Him the head over all things for the [congregations], **23** which [are Your] body, the fullness of [You] who fills all in all. (Eph. 1:3 to end)

But [You,] YHVH, [so] rich in mercy, out of [Your] great love with which [You] loved [me] **5** even when [I] was] dead through [my] trespasses, made [me] alive together with Messiah —by grace [I] have been saved— **6** and raised [me] up with Him and seated [me] with Him in the heavenly places in Messiah Yeshua, **7** so that in the ages to come [You] might show the immeasurable riches of [Your] grace in kindness toward [me] in Messiah Yeshua. **8** For by grace [I] have been saved through faith, and this is not [my] own doing; it is [Your] gift [O] YHVH— **9** not the result of works, so that [I] may [not] boast. **10** For [I am] what [You have] made [me], created in Messiah Yeshua for good works, which [You] prepared beforehand to be [my] way of life. (Eph. 2:4-10)

So if [I] have been raised with Messiah, [help me to] seek the things that are above, where Messiah is, seated at [Your] right hand, [O] YHVH. **2** [Help me to] Set [my] mind on things that are above, not on things that are on earth, **3** for [I] have died, and [my] life is hidden with Messiah in [You,] YHVH. **4** When Messiah who is [my] life is revealed, then [I] also will be revealed with Him in glory. **5** [Help me to] Put to death, therefore, whatever in [me] is earthly: fornication, impurity, passion, evil desire, and greed (which is idolatry). (Col 3:1-5)

Let the same mind be in [me] that was in [You,] Messiah Yeshua, **6** who, though [You were] in the form of YHVH, did not regard equality with YHVH as something to be exploited, **7** but emptied [Yourself], taking the form of a slave, being born in human likeness. And being found in human form, **8** [You] humbled [Yourself] and became obedient to the point of death— even death on a cross. **9** Therefore YHVH also highly exalted [You] and gave [You] the Name that is above every name, **10** so that at the Name of Yeshua every knee [shall bow], in heaven and on earth and under the earth, **11** and every tongue [shall] confess that Yeshua Messiah is Lord, to the glory of YHVH the Father. (Phil 2:5-11)

Of this Gospel I have become a servant according to the gift of [Your] grace that was given me by the working of [Your] power. **8** Although I am the very least of all the [redeemed], this grace was given to me to bring to [unbelievers] the news of the boundless riches of Messiah, **9** and to make everyone see what is the plan of the mystery hidden for ages in [You,] YHVH, who created all things; **10** so that through the [congregations] [Your manifold (KJV)] wisdom [O] YHVH in its rich variety might now be made known to the rulers and authorities in the heavenly places. **11** This was in accordance with [Your] eternal purpose that [You have] carried out in Messiah Yeshua our Lord, **12** in whom [I] have access to [You,] YHVH, in boldness and confidence through faith.... **13** I pray therefore that [I] may not lose heart over my sufferings [for the Gospel]; they are [for Your] glory. (Eph. 3:7-13)

For this reason I bow my knees before [You,] Father, **15** from whom every family in heaven and on earth takes its name. **16** I pray that, according to the riches of [Your] glory, [You] may grant that [I] may be strengthened in [my] inner being with power through [Your] Spirit, **17** and that Messiah may dwell in [my] heart through faith, as [I am] being rooted and grounded in love. **18** I pray that [I] may have the power to comprehend, with all the [redeemed], what is the breadth and length and height and depth, **19** and to know the love of Messiah that surpasses knowledge, so that [I] may be filled with all [Your] fullness [O] YHVH. **20** Now to [You] who by the power at work within [me] is able to accomplish abundantly far more than all [I] can ask or imagine, **21** to [You] be glory in the [congregations] and in Messiah Yeshua to all generations, forever and ever. Amen. (Eph. 3:14 to end)

I thank [You,] YHVH ..., **4** constantly praying with joy in every one of my prayers..., **5** because of [my] sharing in [Your] Gospel from the first day until now. **6** I am confident of this, that [You] who began a good work [in me] will bring it to completion by the day of Yeshua Messiah. ... **8** ... **9** And this is my prayer, that [my] love may overflow more and more with knowledge and full insight **10** to help [me] to determine what is best, so that in the day of Messiah [I] may be pure and blameless, **11** having produced the harvest of righteousness that comes through Yeshua Messiah for the glory and praise of [You,] YHVH. (Phil. 1:3-11)

For this reason, since the day [I] heard it, [I] have not ceased praying ... and asking that [I] may be filled with the knowledge of [Your] will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding, **10** so that [I] may lead [a life] worthy of [You], fully pleasing to [You], as [I] bear fruit in every good work and as [I] grow in the knowledge of [You,] YHVH. **11** May [I] be made strong with all the strength that comes from [Your] glorious power, and may [I] be prepared to endure everything with patience, while joyfully **12** giving thanks to [You,] Father, who has enabled [me] to share in the inheritance of the [redeemed] in the Light. **13** [You have] rescued [me] from the power of darkness and transferred [me] into the Kingdom of [Your] beloved Son, **14** in whom [I] have redemption, the forgiveness of sins. **15** [Yeshua, You are] the image of the invisible YHVH, the firstborn of all creation; **16** for in [You] all things in heaven and on earth were created, things visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or powers—all things have been created through [You] and for [You]. **17** [You] [Yourself are] before all things, and in [You] all things hold together. **18** [You are] the head of the body, the [congregations]; [You are] the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, so that [You] might come to have first place in everything. **19** For in [You] all the fullness of YHVH was pleased to dwell, **20** and through [You] YHVH was pleased to reconcile to [Yourself] all things, whether on earth or in heaven, by making peace through the blood of [Your] cross. **21** And [I] who [was] once estranged and hostile in mind, doing evil deeds, **22** [You have] now reconciled in [Your] fleshly body through death, so as to present [me] holy and blameless and irreproachable before [You] — **23** provided that [I] [Help me, Father.] continue securely established and steadfast in the faith, without shifting from the hope promised by the Gospel that [I] heard, which has been proclaimed to every creature under heaven. [Help me, Father, to be a good] servant of this Gospel. (Col. 1:9-23)