

Laying the Foundation

"If the foundations are destroyed, what can the righteous do?"

Psalms 11:3

You can pray and fast!

Here are 6 prayers for the month of January.

1. Oh Lord, help us **regain** our **perspective** and see through your eyes.

And there was a man called by the name of Zaccheus; he was a chief tax collector and he was rich. Zaccheus was trying to see who Jesus was, and was unable because of the crowd, for he was small in stature. So he ran on ahead and climbed up into a sycamore tree in order to see Him, for He was about to pass through that way.

Luke 19:2-4

2. Oh Lord, help us **rediscover** our **purpose**.

Where there is no vision, the people are unrestrained, but happy is he who keeps the law.

Proverbs 29:18

3. Lord, please **restore** our **power**. As it was in Acts, so be it today.

But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be My witnesses both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and even to the remotest part of the earth.

Acts 1:8

4. Lord, please **renew** our **passion** so we can move beyond mere obedience.

As the deer pants for the water brooks, so my soul pants for You, O God. My soul thirsts for God, for the living God. When shall I come and appear before God?

Psalms 42:1-2

Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.

Matthew 5:6

5. Oh Lord, help us retain a **reverence** of your **presence**.

And He said, "My presence shall go with you, and I will give you rest." Then he said to Him, "If Your presence does not go with us, do not lead us up from here."

Exodus 33:14-15

6. Oh Lord, please **remove** our **sin** as far as the heavens are above the earth.

For as high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is His loving kindness toward those who fear Him. As far as the east is from the west, so far has He removed our transgressions from us.

Psalms 103:11-12