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Part 4

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### Monday

In a new reality, there will be times of pressure, uncertainty, and adversity. These are times to PRAY. Prayer is a marvelous, powerful weapon and tool, which should be a fundamental activity in our lives. Too many people have weak or inconsistent prayer lives. You should pray and not give up. (Philippians 4:6-7, Luke 18:1)

- What is your attitude concerning prayer?

### Tuesday

We need to pray to the Father. He knows your needs and it is His good pleasure to give to you. Also pray in Jesus' name. His name is above all other names and all power is in His name. (Luke 12:28-32, John 14:13-14, John 16:23-24)

- What impact does knowing you can pray to the Father in the name of Jesus have on you?

### Wednesday

Pray in line with the Word of God — His will and His promises. For every problem there is a promise. Pray the promise. Also pray in faith; pray, believe and receive. Understand that amen is a faith declaration meaning so be it, let it be this way, it shall be so. Also that faith says "Thank You!" (1 John 5:14-15, Matthew 21:22)

- What promise are you holding on to?

### Thursday

Let the Holy Spirit help you. Praying in the spirit builds you up. Also, remember to be real, simple, and heartfelt; be yourself. (Romans 8:26-27; 1 Corinthians 14:14-15, Matthew 6:5-8)

- Ask the Holy Spirit to help you pray.

### Friday

The posture of prayer is with hands and heart lifted in surrender, expectation, and freedom, letting go of wrath (anger as a state of mind) and doubt (reasoning, questioning, and hesitation). In a new reality, prayer needs to be an important and central part of your daily life. (1 Timothy 2:8, Jeremiah 33:3)

- How have wrath and doubt affected your prayer life?

### Memorization: Ps 55:16-18 (NKJV)

*As for me, I will call upon God, and the LORD shall save me. Evening and morning and at noon I will pray, and cry aloud, and He shall hear my voice. He has redeemed my soul in peace from the battle that was against me, for there were many against me.*