PRAY FOR ISRAEL

ONE

"Blessed be the Lord, the God of Israel, who alone does wondrous things. Blessed be his glorious name forever; may the whole earth be filled with his glory! Amen and Amen!" (Psalm 72:18-19) Pray for believers to understand current events with a biblical worldview. As we pray for the peace of Israel, let us pray the scripture. Israel is the apple of God's eye and in his jealous love for her, he continues to say, "return to me and I will return to you." (Psalm 122; Zechariah 2:8; 1:3)

TWO

May the peace of God, which transcends all understanding guard the hearts and minds of the Israeli families who grieve the death of a loved one, the separation from family members, and the trauma of brutal acts. As they continue to be threatened from every side, we ask that the Lord God will be their comfort and help and healer in these times of trouble. (Philippians 4:7; Psalm 46:1)

THREE

"He who dwells in the shelter of the Most High will abide in the shadow of the Almighty." (Psalm 91:1) Pray for the Israeli soldiers to confess and trust that the Lord is their fortress and their refuge. Pray that the Lord of Heaven's Armies would guard and rescue them by supernatural, mighty acts as He has in the past.

FOUR

Lord, for the sake of your holy name, we ask that you remember your promise, "I will give you a new heart and put a new spirit in you; I will remove from you your heart of stone and give you a heart of flesh. And I will put my Spirit in you and move you to follow my decrees and be careful to keep my laws." (Ezekiel 36:26-27)

FIVE

Our hearts grieve over the many terrible things that have happened, and are happening even now, to innocent people in the Middle East and the world. We give thanks for the steadfast love of our Father in Heaven who is patient, not wanting any to perish, but for all to come to repentance. (2 Peter 3:9) Pray for those who are speaking the Gospel to encounter open doors and open hearts willing to receive this good news that Jesus is the Messiah. (Colossians 4:3)

SIX

"But I tell you, love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you, that you may be children of your Father in heaven." (Matthew 5:44-45) Pray that believers would love and pray for their enemies. Pray for the children of God to exhibit the fruit of the Spirit with the prayer that their acts of kindness will lead others to repentance. (Galatians 5:22; Romans 2:4)

SEVEN

"I have posted watchmen on your walls, Jerusalem; they will never be silent day or night. You who call on the Lord...give him no rest till he establishes Jerusalem and makes her the praise of the earth." (Isaiah 62:6-7) May continual prayers arise to the Lord on behalf of Israel to know their Redeemer.

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EIGHT — Pray for the organizations who help direct emergency resources in time of crisis. Pray that response agencies are uniting in an organized way to bring quick and effective relief and aid to victims of war who need medical, emotional, and physical intervention.

NINE — "If my people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and I will forgive their sin and will heal their land." (2 Chronicles 7:14) Pray that the people of Israel will return to the Lord God Almighty.

TEN — Pray for Palestinians who are under this brutal regime of Hamas and do not align with the ideology of this terror. Pray for the justice of evil doers and protection of the innocent.

ELEVEN — Pray for all political leaders and foreign diplomats whose nations are at war. May God grant them wisdom and insight to make effective and accurate decisions to bring the war to a decisive end. Pray for the protection of all military personnel involved.

TWELVE — "Israel, put your hope in the Lord, for with the Lord is unfailing love and with him is full redemption. He himself will redeem Israel from all their sins." Psalm 130:7-8

THIRTEEN — "This is what the Lord says—he who created you, Jacob, he who formed you, Israel: 'Do not fear, for I have redeemed you; I have summoned you by name; you are mine. When you pass through the waters, I will be with you...When you walk through the fire, you will not be burned...For I am the Lord your God, the Holy One of Israel, your Savior.'" Isaiah 43:1-3

FOURTEEN — We pray for freedom for those in captivity, and comfort for all who mourn in Zion. (Isaiah 61) Save Your people Lord, that the nations might know, there is a God in Israel. Amen.

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