

Prayers for the Journey



Lord, in obedience to your claim upon me,
I give myself to you anew this day.
All that I am, all that I have, completely for your using.
Take me and use me up, as you will, where you will,
when you will, with whom you will.
Unknown

Lord, grant me the serenity
to accept the things I cannot change,
the courage to change what I can,
and the wisdom to know the difference.
R. Niebuhr

Lord, make me an instrument of Your peace;
Where there is hatred, let me sow love;
where there is injury, pardon;
where there is discord, union;
where there is doubt, faith;
where there is despair, hope;
where there is darkness, light;
where there is sadness, joy.
O, divine master, grant that I may seek not so much to be consoled as to console;
to be understood as to understand;
to be loved as to love.
For it is in the giving that we receive; it is in pardoning that we are pardoned;
and it is in dying that we are born to eternal life. Amen.
St Francis

Lord Jesus Christ, Son of God,
fill me with Your light and life.
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Full of trust we run to you, O Lord,
and put our lives in your hands.
You are our strength in times of trouble
and refuge along the way.
May you be our joy at the turning points of life
and our reward at its end.
Catholic Prayer Book

Lord God, you have called your servants
to ventures of which we cannot see the ending,
by paths as yet untrodden, through perils unknown.
Give us faith to go out with good courage,
not knowing where we go,
but only that your hand is leading us
and your love supporting us.
Lutheran Book of Worship



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