

# 52 Prayers from the Bible

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## *A Prayer for Inner Strength*

<sup>14</sup> For this reason I bow my knees before the Father <sup>15</sup> from whom every family in heaven and on earth is named. <sup>16</sup> [I pray] that He may grant you, according to the riches of His glory, to be strengthened with power through His Spirit in the inner man, <sup>17</sup> and that the Messiah may dwell in your hearts through faith. [I pray that] you, being rooted and firmly established in love, <sup>18</sup> may be able to comprehend with all the saints what is the breadth and width, height and depth, <sup>19</sup> and to know the Messiah's love that surpasses knowledge, so you may be filled with all the fullness of God. <sup>20</sup> Now to Him who is able to do above and beyond all that we ask or think --according to the power that works in you-- <sup>21</sup> to Him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus to all generations, forever and ever. Amen. (Ephesians 3:14-21)

1. What is the essence of this prayer?
2. What does it look like to have it answered?
3. How do we get to the place where this prayer is asking to for God to take the church?
4. What would it look like for you to be there?
5. How can this prayer inform our prayers today?