



# *Prayer Journal*

October 2016



## HOW TO USE THIS

*Prayer support is a central component of Raising Boys Ministries as we seek to equip and encourage parents to raise godly men. As a companion to the Monthly Prayer for Boys Calendar, this prayer journal gives you a simple but powerful tool that will guide the time you spend in prayer for your boys. Each weekday features a Scripture-inspired prayer that coordinates with the calendar and you'll find the following sections on each journal page:*

### **DAY & VERSE**

*At the beginning of each day, we've included the full verse and reference as a starting point. Note: We use the ESV Bible translation.*

### **THINK**

*The space provided in this section is designed to help you process and meditate on the verse of the day. Consider what God is speaking to your heart through His Word on behalf of your son. Dream about your son's future and what it would look like to see the message of this verse come to fruition in his life.*

### **PRAY**

*Each day, we use the Scripture verse to inspire a prayer that is specifically geared towards the heart of boys. Use that short prayer as a jumping off point and feel free to journal any other heartfelt prayers for your son, your own heart, or anything else you need to bring to Jesus.*

### **DO**

*Finally, we've provided several lines for you to make a plan for application based on the daily verse. Write out action steps that would allow you to weave this verse into the fabric of your family life today. How can you explain the message of this verse to your son? Does this verse spark any practical object lessons or teachable moments?*

*We hope this journal and the prompts included are a blessing as you intentionally intercede on behalf of your sons. We feel so privileged to share the journey with you and we are praying for your family!*

**Brooke and Erin**

*Raising Boys Ministries*

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*Know therefore that the Lord your God is God, the faithful God who keeps covenant and steadfast love with those who love him and keep his commandments, to a thousand generations. ~Deuteronomy 7:9*

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## PRAY

MAY OUR SONS KNOW THAT THEIR GOD IS A FAITHFUL GOD.

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*You have led in your steadfast love the people whom you have redeemed; you have guided them by your strength to your holy abode. ~Exodus 15:13*

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## PRAY

MAY OUR SONS BE LED IN GOD'S STEADFAST LOVE.

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*Therefore, preparing your minds for action, and being sober-minded, set your hope fully on the grace that will be brought to you at the revelation of Jesus Christ. ~ 1 Peter 1:13*

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## PRAY

MAY OUR SONS' HOPE BE SET FULLY ON THE GRACE OF  
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*Put on then, as God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, compassionate hearts, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience. ~Colossians 3:12*

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## PRAY

MAY OUR SONS HAVE COMPASSIONATE HEARTS..

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*Behold, we consider those blessed who remained steadfast. You have heard of the steadfastness of Job, and you have seen the purpose of the Lord, how the Lord is compassionate and merciful. ~James 5:11*

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## PRAY

MAY OUR SONS SEE THE PURPOSE OF THE LORD.

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*For your steadfast love is before my eyes, and I walk in your faithfulness.  
~Psalm 26:3*

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*THINK*

MAY OUR SONS WALK IN GOD'S FAITHFULNESS.

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*And those who know your name put their trust in you, for you, O Lord, have not forsaken those who seek you. ~Psalm 9:10*

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## PRAY

MAY OUR SONS PUT THEIR TRUST IN THE LORD.

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*The Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you. ~Numbers 6:25*

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*PRAY*

MAY THE LORD BE GRACIOUS TO OUR SONS.

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*I believe that I shall look upon the goodness of the Lord in the land of the living! ~Psalm 27:13*

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## PRAY

MAY OUR SONS LOOK UPON THE GOODNESS OF THE LORD.

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*But I have trusted in your steadfast love; my heart shall rejoice in your salvation. ~Psalm 13:5*

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## PRAY

MAY OUR SONS TRUST IN GOD'S STEADFAST LOVE..

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*Shout for joy in the Lord, O you righteous! Praise befits the upright. ~Psalm 33:1*

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*PRAY*

MAY OUR SONS SHOUT FOR JOY IN THE LORD.

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*Be merciful to me, O God, be merciful to me, for in you my soul takes refuge;  
in the shadow of your wings I will take refuge, till the storms of destruction  
pass by. ~Psalm 57:1*

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## PRAY

MAY OUR SONS TAKE REFUGE IN GOD.

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*So that all the peoples of the earth may know that the hand of the Lord is mighty, that you may fear the Lord your God forever.” ~Joshua 4:24*

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## PRAY

MAY OUR SONS KNOW THAT THE HAND OF THE LORD

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*And you will feel secure, because there is hope; you will look around and take your rest in security. ~Job 11:18*

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*PRAY*

MAY OUR SONS REST IN SECURITY..

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*Commit your way to the Lord; trust in him, and he will act. ~Psalm 37:5*

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*PRAY*

MAY OUR SONS COMMIT THEIR WAY TO THE LORD.

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*He gives power to the faint, and to him who has no might he increases strength. ~Isaiah 40:29*

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*PRAY*

MAY GOD INCREASE OUR SONS' STRENGTH.

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*He will cover you with his pinions, and under his wings you will find refuge; his faithfulness is a shield and buckler. ~Psalm 91:4*

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*PRAY*

MAY GOD'S FAITHFULNESS BE A SHIELD AROUND OUR  
SONS.

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*I lift up my eyes to the hills.  
From where does my help come?  
My help comes from the Lord,  
who made heaven and earth. ~Psalm 121:1,2*

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MAY OUR SONS' HELP COME FROM THE LORD.

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*To you they cried and were rescued; in you they trusted and were not put to shame. ~Psalm 22:5*

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## PRAY

MAY OUR SONS CRY TO GOD AND BE RESCUED.

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*And hope does not put us to shame, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit who has been given to us.  
~Romans 5:5*

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## PRAY

MAY GOD'S LOVE BE POURED INTO OUR SONS' HEARTS.

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*Who through him are believers in God, who raised him from the dead and gave him glory, so that your faith and hope are in God. ~1 Peter 1:21*

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*PRAY*

MAY OUR SONS' FAITH AND HOPE BE IN GOD.

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