

Marriage Preparation Prayer Booklet

Covenant Matchmakers — Prayers for the Journey

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A Note Before You Pray

These prayers are not formulas — they are conversations with a God who already knows your heart. Use this booklet as a daily anchor. Speak these words aloud. Let them become your own. God is not withholding from you. He is preparing you.

"Delight yourself in the Lord, and He will give you the desires of your heart." — Psalm 37:4

SECTION 1 — DAILY SURRENDER PRAYERS

Morning Surrender

Lord, today I surrender this desire to You. I release control over the timeline, the outcome, and the person. I trust that You are working even when I cannot see it. Order my steps today. Let me be so close to You that whoever stands beside me will also stand close to You. Amen.

Prayer for Peace in the Waiting

Father, the waiting is real. The loneliness is real. But so is Your faithfulness. I choose today to trust Your timing over my impatience. Quiet every anxious thought. Fill every empty space with Your presence. I am not behind — I am being prepared. Amen.

Prayer Against Desperation

God, guard my heart from making fear-based decisions. Do not let loneliness drive me into the arms of the wrong person. Help me to be whole before I seek to be with someone. Let my desire for a partner never exceed my desire for You. Amen.

Prayer for Clarity and Discernment

Holy Spirit, give me eyes to see clearly and a heart that recognizes alignment. Help me not to settle, not to rush, and not to dismiss what You are preparing. When the right person comes, let there be peace, not confusion. Amen.

SECTION 2 — PRAYERS FOR YOUR FUTURE SPOUSE

Your future spouse is alive right now. They are walking their own journey — perhaps facing their own challenges, growing through their own seasons. These prayers cover them before you even know their name.

Prayer for Their Faith

Lord, wherever they are right now, draw them closer to You. Let their faith be strong, their identity rooted in Christ, and their purpose clear. Guard them from distractions and premature connections that are not aligned with Your will. Amen.

Prayer for Their Healing

Father, whatever wounds they carry from their past — heal them. Do not let old pain become new patterns in our relationship. Restore every broken place so they can come to me whole, and I to them. Amen.

Prayer for Our Meeting

God, orchestrate our paths. Let there be nothing of chance and everything of purpose in how we find each other. Remove every obstacle that is not of You, and open every door that leads to covenant. Amen.

Prayer for Our Marriage

Even now, Lord, I declare that our marriage will glorify You. It will be a place of safety, honor, laughter, and deep love. It will reflect Your heart for the Church. We will finish this race together. Amen.

SECTION 3 — MONTHLY DECLARATIONS

Speak these declarations aloud — faith comes by hearing. Declare them over yourself every morning this month. Your words carry weight.

1. I am loved, chosen, and completely known by God.
2. My desire for covenant marriage is holy and God-given.
3. I will not settle for less than what God has prepared for me.
4. I am not too old, too broken, or too far along to receive this promise.
5. I am becoming the person my future spouse needs — daily.
6. God's timing is perfect, and I trust His process over my impatience.
7. My worth is not determined by my relationship status.
8. I am a whole person — I bring completeness, not neediness, into relationship.
9. The right person will recognize what God has placed in me.
10. Covenant marriage is not just possible for me — it is prepared for me.

"Write the vision and make it plain." — Habakkuk 2:2

Covenant Matchmakers meets the 3rd Sunday of each month at 4:30 PM CST on Microsoft Teams. Join us at [Life.Church](#) — search Covenant Matchmakers in the [LifeGroups](#) directory.