

Good Evening, Saints,

2019 - Love One Another

...Love one another. As I have loved you...*

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John 13:34-35 - "A new command I give you: Love one another. Just as I have loved you, so you must love one another. "By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another.

We are commanded to love one another as the Lord has loved us because love encourages us to exert ourselves in prayer or to wrestle in prayer for one another. This example is in Colossians 4:12.

Epaphras, who is one of you and a servant of Christ Jesus, sends greetings.

He is always wrestling in prayer for you, that you may stand firm in all the will of God, mature and fully assured.

Epaphras certainly didn't look at prayer as something that was bothersome or not worth his time to do, did he? No. He was more than willing to break a sweat in prayer as He wrestled in prayer for his brothers and sisters in Christ, his family in Christ back in Colossae. Love motivated him to do this work in prayer for he still considered himself a part of his family in Christ back in Colossae, while he was separated from them being on the road with the Apostle Paul. And, on his heart to always pray for his home church was that they would all stand firm in God's will and be mature in Christ and fully assured in all that they have in Him.

Therefore, as we seek the Lord, let's ask Him to help us truly agape love another by devoting ourselves to pray for one another. Let's resist whatever would distract us from wrestling in prayer for each other and watch as our motivated by love prayers for each other help us each to stand firm in all of God's will for us. Lord Jesus, help us truly love one another just as you have loved us! Amen!

Sincerely yours,

Pastor Ron

This week's Prayer Focus – Let's pray for "Love One Another Movement" that America really needs.

This Week's Prayer Request – Let's pray that prayer would be restored in our public schools and for us each to fully take on our part to always agape love one another fervently pray for each other, in this much needed, "Love One Another Movement.

Today's Bible Chapters – 10/23

2 Kings 4
Psalm 116
Daniel 8
1 Timothy 1

I would rather have a moderately small meeting of earnest Christians than to have it packed with thousands of careless people. (concerning Christian training) Dwight L. Moody (1837-1899)**

Proverbs 23

Thursday's Bible Chapters – 10/24

2 Kings 5
Psalms 117-118
Daniel 9
1 Timothy 2

He needs never be idle that hath so much business to do with his own soul. George Swinnoek (1627-1673)**

Proverbs 24

Friday's Bible Chapters – 10/25

2 Kings 6
Psalm 119:1-24
Daniel 10
1 Timothy 3

Take God into thy counsel. Heaven overlooks hell. God at any time can tell thee what plots are hatching there against thee. William Gurnall (1617-1679)**

Proverbs 25

Saturday's Bible Chapters – 10/26

2 Kings 7
Psalm 119:25-48
Daniel 11
1 Timothy 4

Remember that 'difficulty' is a word which has no meaning when applied to Him; it is not in Heaven's vocabulary; power belongs to God. Look out of yourself and altogether upon Him. John Summerfield (1770-1825)**

Proverbs 26

Sunday's Bible Chapters – 10/27

2 Kings 8
Psalm 119:49-72
Daniel 12
1 Timothy 5

Oh let every trial teach me more of Thy peace in my conscience, and more of Thy love in my heart, that I may keep on in a steady course, walking humbly with my God. William Romaine (1714-1795)**

Proverbs 27

Monday's Bible Chapters – 10/28

2 Kings 9
Psalm 119:73-96
Hosea 1
1 Timothy 6

Babes (spiritually newborn and unlearned) are as capable of knowing the things of God as the wise and prudent; and they are often hid from these when they are revealed to those. Jonathon Edwards (1703-1758)**

Proverbs 28

Tuesday's Bible Chapters – 10/29

2 Kings 10-11
Psalm 119:97-120
Hosea 2
2 Timothy 1

I wish to live in a reasonable independence of this world; to take what my God gives me thankfully, and to wish for nothing more. Susan Huntington (1791-1823)**

Proverbs 29

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God will neither expect nor desire his blessing without exertion; for it has always been God's way to crown only those that run the race that is set before them, and fight the good fight of faith. William Jay (1769-1853)**

*John 13:34 (NIV) *A new command I give you: Love one another. Just as I have loved you, so you much love one another.*

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