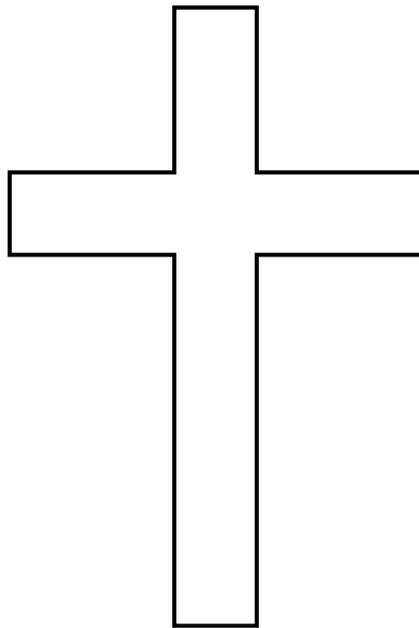


# *Prayers for Obedience*

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*Prayer for forgiveness of disobedience because of ignorance:*

Father,

I am sorry that I have sinned against you by disobeying your commands.

I thought I lived well, but now I realize that I have been ignorant of Your truth.

I don't want to live in disobedience, Lord, you know that. Forgive me and make me pure. Wash me and cleanse my heart and mind of my disobedience.

If there are any consequences of my disobedience, Lord channel them in the right direction. Don't let me pay for it.

Help me, Lord, not to fall into this trap again.

Thank You for letting me know I was wrong.

Teach me Your ways so that I may not sin against You.

Amen.

## *Prayer for forgiveness of disobedience because of stubbornness*

Lord,

Forgive me for my disobedience. I am sorry, I knew what to do, but I didn't do it. I regret my actions.

I thought it was my sacrifice you wanted while you were rather interested in my heart. Forgive me for my insensitivity, I have hurt You.

Forgive me of my selfishness, Lord, and heal me of my stubborn attitude.

I surrender my will to You.

Teach me Your ways, Lord, and don't hold my mistake against me. I plead on the blood of Jesus.

He died for me so that I don't have to die. Wash me, Lord, from my iniquity. And help me not to do it again.

Amen.

Thank You.

## *Prayers for obedience of my will*

Father,

Let me understand how to be truly obedient to You in everything I am, do, and think. Let my heart be full of You, my actions pure, my words pleasing to You, and my thoughts to reflect on your goodness.

Grant me an obedient heart, Lord, that I may not sin against You. Let me thoroughly understand that obedience is better than sacrifices; no matter how nice and costly those sacrifices are.

After all, I cannot give You anything that You did not first give to me. Thank You for all that You have given me. I will use it for your glory and the benefit of others.

Teach me to do Your will, Lord. I cannot do it by myself. I want to obey You and do Your will. Help me. I pray with Jesus and in His name, 'let Your will be done, not mine.'

"Nevertheless, not My will, but Yours, be done." Luke 22:42 (NLT).

Amen.

## *Prayer for obedience of my heart*

Lord,

I don't want to sin against You. Help me tune my heart into Your everlasting ways.

Holy Spirit, speak to my heart and bring God's commandments to mind every time I want to do something that would offend You.

Tune my heart, Oh Lord!

"Search me, O God, and know my heart; test me and know my anxious thoughts. Point out anything in me that offends you and lead me along the path of everlasting life." Psalm 139:23-24 (NLT)

And please Lord, "Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in Your sight, O Lord, my strength and my Redeemer." Psalm 19:14 (NLT).

Amen.

## *Prayer for loved ones to receive an obedient heart*

Father,

I bring my family and loved ones to You. They don't know You, even though You know them by name. I pray You will touch their hearts of stone and replace it with hearts of flesh, hearts of obedience.

Let them come to understand that You alone are Lord and are worthy to be praised. Pour Your obedience into their hearts and open the eyes of their understanding. Let them see You for Who You truly are.

Teach them that obedience is better than sacrifices, and that nothing is of more worth than that. The rules and traditions of men cannot please You. Write that in their hearts, Lord.

It is written that the heart of the king is like water streams in Your hands; You turn it wherever You wish. Now, Lord, take the heart of my loved ones and channel it into obedience, obedience to You and Your Word. Thank You. In Jesus' Name.

Amen.