



Prayer Focus  
January 30- February 5 2023

God is **always thinking of us** - He knows everything and it is working on your behalf

Amidst our own personal challenges and the chaos of this present world- we, as Believers of Christ, are being thought of and taken care of by the Lord in ways we do not understand. I am certain that you, who know Christ, have uttered simple prayers to the Lord that no one knows of and within hours, days, weeks or years, that very prayer gets answered unexpectedly. For instance, I had been wanting to have a specific food that I enjoyed once. and shared that with the Lord, I said, "Lord, I would like to eat that again and He knew what I was referring to. I did not know when I would find the time to go to that restaurant again. A few days later, I went to visit my Mom and she served me the very food I had shared with Him. She said, "I saw this and I thought of you so I bought it for you." I was amazed and humbled. What a precious miracle. The Lord placed the desire of my heart on my Mom's mind. How often have you seen this loving gesture of the Lord displayed in one way or Another in your life? Have you uttered a prayer for a city, an acquaintance, a neighbor, a stranger and you find out the Lord answered that very prayer you prayed even in your moments of exhaustion of your own battles, you prayed a very small prayer, yet He heard you.

Maybe He had a bill paid in full for you or had you run into a dear friend you had been thinking of lately- He will do all these things for us all we need to do is be still and know He is God. He knows our thoughts. Even amidst any battle, your tiredness, He sees you, He hears you. As warriors in Christ- He desires that we rest and trust Him. He is in every detail of your life.

**Prayer points:**

- Our priority is to minister to the Lord and find our rest in Him
- We learn our greatest weapon is our praise & worship to Jesus.
- Warriors need rest amidst our efforts to fight the good fight
- To know the outcome is in His hands

**Scriptures:**

Psalms 46:10

"Be still and know that I am God; I will be exalted among the nations, I will be exalted over the earth."

Psalms 23:1-4

"The Lord is my shepherd, I lack nothing. 2 He makes me lie down in green pastures, he leads me beside quiet waters, 3 He refreshes my soul. He guides me along the right paths for his name's sake. 4 Even though I walk through the darkest valley, I will fear no evil for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me."

Romans 9:16

"So then it does not depend on the man who wills or the man who runs, but on God who has mercy."

Isaiah 30:15

"For the Lord God, the Holy One of Israel has said this, 'In returning [to Me] and rest you shall be saved, In quietness and confidence trust is your strength.' But you were not willing,"

Psalms 139:8

"If I go up to the heavens, you are there; if I make my bed in the depths, you are there."

**Song:**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Al3VcChbPB4>