

Take Time to Pray

It seems like every time we turn around someone we love is ill again. There have been several of our congregation who have struggled with sickness regularly. I would like to thank you all for the time you've spent praying for those listed in the bulletin. Often times we pray for people we have never met, and many times we are unaware of how our prayers were answered. I BELIEVE in prayer.

There are even times when we our prayers are answered before we can utter any specific words. A lady that all of you know and love could attest to this fact. Recently she was in the car with her granddaughter when they found themselves in harms way. Due to unforeseen events, they were stuck between a moving train and a guard rail with only a few feet on either side. They were sure that the train would collide with their car, but the Lord saw them through.

Sometimes we may become guilty of taking the prayer list for granted. We may go days or even weeks without taking time to pray for those who are listed. The Bible is specific, and we are to pray for those who are in need, whether they be friend, family, neighbor or even an enemy. Since we believe that, "The prayer of a righteous man availeth much" we should make every effort to pray for them daily. Who knows, there may come a day when either YOU or someone you love dearly is needing prayer; DON'T wait until then to become a faithful prayer. We should be thankful we have a God who loves us hand hears our every word, take advantage of such a privilege.

In Him, Byron