

Scriptures to Pray for your Husband

“For it is You who blesses the righteous man, O Lord, You surround him with favor as with a shield.” (**Psalm 5:12** NASB)

In the morning O Lord, you will hear _____’s voice; in the morning he will order his prayer to Thee and eagerly watch. (based on **Psalm 5:3**)

I pray that _____ will be as shrewd as a serpent and as innocent as a dove. (based on **Matthew 10:16**)

I pray that _____ will care for his family as David cared for Israel: “He cared for them with a true heart and led them with skillful hands.” (**Psalm 78:72** NLT)

I pray, Lord that you will hear _____’s voice in accordance with Your love. (based on **Psalm 119:149** NIV)

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow _____ all the days of his life; and he will dwell in the house of the Lord forever. (based on **Psalm 23:6** NKJV)

May _____ prosper and be in good health even as his soul prospers. (based on **3 John 2**)

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Fill my husband with love for you, that he would love you “with all [his] heart and with all [his] soul and with all [his] mind.” (**Matthew 22:37-40**)

Place his “delight...in the law of the Lord” (**Psalm 1:2**), and “open [his] eyes, that [he] may behold wondrous things out of your law” (**Psalm 119:18**). Give him understanding (**Psalm 119:73**).

Compel him to pray continually (**1 Thessalonians 5:17**) so that he’ll live and walk by your Spirit (**Galatians 5:25**).

Empower him to “run with endurance the race that is set before [him]” and to focus on pleasing you (**Hebrews 12:1-2**).

Equip my husband with strength and wisdom to lead, that he would be “strong and very courageous,” and that he may be successful wherever he goes (**Joshua 1:7**)

Supply him the time and ability to “manage his own household well” (**1 Timothy 3:4**)

Guide him in using wisely all the resources you’ve given us, keeping an eternal perspective about possessions (based on **Matthew 6:19-21; Luke 16:10-13**)

May he share your hatred of evil and experience your protection. (based on **Psalm 97:10**)

Enable him to be “quick to hear, slow to speak, slow to anger” (James 1:19).

Help him to trust you “with all [his] heart, and [not to] lean on [his] own understanding.” Make his paths straight (based on **Proverbs 3:5**).

Flood him with peace and faith (based on **Isaiah 26:3; John 14:1**)

Increase his desire to teach and model godliness as a father, “that the next generation might know...and not forget the works of God” (based on **Psalm 78:5-7**).

Because you oppose the proud and give grace to the humble (**James 4:6**), instill a genuine sense of humility in my husband’s heart (see also **Isaiah 66:2**).

Keep him sexually pure and honorable. “Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God” (Matthew 5:8, see also 1 Corinthians 6:18-20).

Give him friendships with godly men (**Proverbs 27:17**), that they would “stir up one another to love and good works” (**Hebrews 10:24**).

Let Your favor rest upon him, and “establish the work of [his] hands” (**Psalm 90:17**).