

Learn the Lesson of the Cross in Our Daily Lives

Main Bible Verse:

v(Luke 9:23) Then he said to them all: "Whoever wants to be my disciple must deny themselves and take up their cross daily and follow me.

v(I Corinthians 11:1) Follow my example, as I follow the example of Christ.

List of Healing Prayers Request:

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Summary:

Mark 10:29-30 | James 4:10 | Matthew 16:24

- The lesson of the cross would never be completed until the day we see Jesus.
 - The lesson of the cross teaches us to be joyful and content in all situations for nothing else matters but Jesus.
 - The lesson of the cross teaches us to deny ourselves in emotions, in our feelings, and in our own desires.
 - When we truly put Jesus as our top priority, we will be joyful always.
 - When we truly put Jesus as our top priority, we will trust in only God.
 - We will obey God's word instead of listening to the word of men.
- Jesus Christ was word became flesh to bring us salvation.
 - Jesus came to set an example for us.
 - He was baptized.
 - He lived through our daily lives and overcame.
 - He lived a life on earth as it is in heaven.
 - He lives a life of humility like a lamb.
 - He completed the salvation.
 - Jesus was crucified for us.
 - Jesus was resurrected for us.
 - Now Jesus Christ lives in us.
 - Jesus gives us a new Spirit.
 - When we are baptized and is filled with the Holy Spirit, we are reborn.
 - When Jesus truly lives in us, we will have the living water in us, and we will never thirst.
 - We became children of God. However, the life of the cross is yet to be learned.
 - The life of the cross is a life that denies ourselves, take up the cross, and follow Jesus.

Galatians 2:20 | John 3:30 | Philippians 4:10-13

- This is what Paul (Galatians 2:20) and apostle John (John 3:30) taught us.

- Less of “i” and more of “Him”.
- Less of ourselves and more of Jesus.
- Let’s learn to deny ourselves and truly honor Jesus.
- v(Philippians 4:12) I know what it is to be in need, and I know what it is to have plenty. I have learned the secret of being content in any and every situation, whether well fed or hungry, whether living in plenty or in want.
 - We must also learn in our daily lives to be content for Christ is in us.
 - Share Jesus to others is a heavenly gift and a commission that all of us has.
 - Learn the lesson of the cross and live a Christ oriented life.
 - Deny ourselves. Depart from our self-oriented life and entering the Christ oriented life.
 - Such life will have the fragrance to attract others to Christ.

John 16:26 | I Corinthians 6:7 | Colossians 3:24-25 | Hebrews 10:30 | Ephesians 3:20

- A Christ oriented life: Follow the guidance of the Holy Spirit.
 - We will be keen to the teachings of the Holy Spirit.
 - We will realize when the Holy Spirit is trying to correct our thoughts or our behaviors.
 - We will be able to get rid of our old yeast, our fleshly desires, and our unhealthy habits.
 - We will be able to truly repent and return before God.
 - The word of men will not be able to change others.
 - Only the work of the Holy Spirit will be able to transform life.
- v(I Corinthians 6:7) The very fact that you have lawsuits among you means you have been completely defeated already. Why not rather be wronged? Why not rather be cheated?
 - It is okay if others take advantage of us for God knows all things and He is waiting to bless us.
 - The blessings God had prepared before us is immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine.
 - So, do not think about what we’ve lost, or how much people has taken advantage of us.
 - God knows all things.
 - Pray for those people, bless them.
 - Knowing our God has abundant blessings await us.

Luke 2:42-52 | II Peter 4:10 | Matthew 25:14-29 | I Peter 4:7-8 | Corinthians 13:4-8

- Lessons to be learned when we are dealing with relationship with others. (Families, coworkers, and all the others we are associated with.)
 - When Jesus was twelve, his parent found him sitting in the temple courts, sitting among the teachers, listening to them and asking them questions.
 - Jesus’ earthly parents were mad at him.
 - Though Jesus’ earthly parents did not know the plans God had for Jesus nor why was he in the temple courts, Jesus was still obedient to them.
 - Jesus showed a good example for us. No matter what happens with the people around us, learn to deny ourselves, take up the cross, and follow Jesus.
- Lessons to be learned when we are dealing with our possessions.
 - All that we gain is from God and belongs to God.
 - We are merely the person appointed by God to take care of those possessions.

- v(II Peter 4:10) Each one should use whatever gift he has received to serve others, faithfully administering God's grace in its various forms.
 - Everyone who has (and is being a good servant), God will give them more.
- Lessons to be learned about love.
 - God is love.
 - v(I Corinthians 13:4-8) Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. It does not dishonor others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs. Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres. Love never fails.
 - When we are willing to deny ourselves, take up the cross to be patient, to be kind, to not envy, to not boast, to not be proud, to not dishonor others, to not be self-seeking, to not be easily angered, to not keep records of wrongs, the love of God will be manifested.

Matthew 26:39 + 26:42 + 26:44 | John 15:4

- In our daily lives, learn to deny ourselves, take up the cross, and follow Jesus.
 - Jesus has already come to display the best example for us.
 - v(Luke 22:42) "Father, if you are willing, take this cup from me; yet not my will, but yours be done."
- v(John 15:4) Remain in me, and I will remain in you. No branch can bear fruit by itself; it must remain in the vine. Neither can you bear fruit unless you remain in me.
 - Christ is in us, and we are in Him.
 - When we live a Christ oriented life, we will be empowered by God to overcome.
 - We will be strengthened by God to learn the lesson of the cross in our daily lives.

Wǒ yào quán xīn zànměi

Verse

Quán xīn gǎnxiè quán xīn zànměi
jìnrù ní de yuàn
quán xīn sòng zàn xiàn shàng wèi jì
shì zuǐchún de guǒzi
zài ní lǐmiàn yī wú guà lǜ xǐlè mǎn yì
chángcháng gǎnxiè bù zhù dǎogào
pànwàng zàiyú ní

Chorus

Wǒ yào quán xīn zànměi
tiàowǔ sòngyáng ní míng
zài ní diànzhōng yī rì
shèngguò zài shìshàng qiān rì
wǒ yào quán xīn zànměi
zànměi hái yào zànměi bù tíng
yìrén péng lǐ huānhū shēng yǒng bù xī

Verse

Yǔzhòu de zhōngxīn yēsū
shìjiè de zhōngxīn yēsū
wànwù dōu běn yú nǐ
shǔyú nǐ guīyú nǐ
nǐ shì róngyào jūnwáng

Chorus

Wǒmen huānyíng jūnwáng jiànglín
kěwàng kànjiàn nǐ de zhāngxiǎn
hū qiú nǐ lái fānzhuǎn
zhèndòng zhè tǔdì
fùxīng wǒmen shèngjié de rèqíng

Chorus

Wǒmen huānyíng jūnwáng jiànglín
tóngxīn gāojǔ nǐ shèngjié de míng
hū qiú tiānchuāng dǎkāi
chūnyǔ bù tíngxī
wǒmen hūhǎn huānyíng
jūnwáng jiànglín

Bridge

Dàdà zhāngkǒu dàdà chōngmǎn
ēn gāo rú yǔ jiāoguàn zhè di
yǎn wèi kànjiàn ěr wèi tīngjiàn
kěmù gèng duō
kànjiàn nǐ de róng miàn

Wǒ jìng bài nǐ quánnéng zhēnshén
yǒu shuí néng xiàng nǐ
wǒ jìng bài nǐ hépíng jūnwáng
wǒ xīn héděng kěmù nǐ

I worship You, Almighty God
There is none like you
I worship You, O Prince of Peace
That is what I want to do

Chorus

Wǒ zànměi nǐ
nǐ shì wǒ de gōngyì
wǒ jìng bài nǐ quánnéng zhēnshén
yǒu shuí néng xiàng nǐ

I give You praise
for You are my righteousness
I worship You, Almighty God
There is none like You

Nǐ de liánmǐn rú jiānghé yǒngliú
nǐ de shǒu chōngmǎn yīzhì
shòukǔ zhě zài nǐ huái lǐ dé ānxí
wúrén néng xiàng nǐ

Your mercy flows like a river so wide
And healing comes from Your hand
Suffering children are safe in Your arms
There is none like You

Chorus

Wúrén néng xiàng nǐ
wéiyǒu nǐ néng mōzhe wǒ líng shēn chù
wǒ suī yòng jìn yīshēng lái zhuīqiú
ó zhǔ wúrén néng xiàng nǐ

There is none like You
No one else can touch my heart like You do
And I can search for all eternity Lord
And find there is none like You

The Blessing

Offering Worship

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Shen ci fu bao hu ni

Ta di lian guang zhao yao ni

En dian ci fu yu ni

Ye he hua xiang ni yang lian

Ping an yu ni

Amen

The Lord bless you and keep you

Make His face shine upon you

And be gracious to you

The Lord turn His face toward you

And give you peace

Amen

Verse

With all my heart,
I will give thanks and enter Your court.
Offering my praise to You, Lord;
It's the fruit of my lips.
In Your presence, free of worries,
joy overflows.
Always grateful, always praying,
my hope is in You!

Chorus

My heart will praise You, Lord.
I'll dance before Your throne.
One day with You
is better than a thousand elsewhere.
My heart will praise You, Lord.
I'll never stop praising Your name.
The righteous will declare Your victory!

Verse

Center of this world, Jesus,
center of my life, Jesus.
Every creature was made
to bow down at Your name.
You are the coming king.

Chorus

We long to meet, glorious king,
we long to see Your splendor and
beauty.
Lord, we cry out to You,
come and heal our land.
Light up the fire that burns within me

Chorus

We long to meet, glorious king,
lifting on high, Your powerful name.

Rend the heavens, oh Lord,
let Your glory come.

We shout and praise to welcome You,
our king

Bridge

Fill us, we pray, fill us right now.

Holy Spirit, rain down on us.

No eye has seen, no ear has heard.

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