Amazing Prayers

The Sun Stood Still

And the sun stood still, and the moon stayed, until the people had avenged themselves upon their enemies. Is not this written in the book of Jasher? So the sun stood still in the midst of heaven, and hasted not to go down about a whole day. Joshua 10 v 13

And there was no day like that before it or after it, that the LORD hearkened unto the voice of a man: for the LORD fought for Israel.

Joshua 10 v 14

The sun and moon stood still in their habitation: at the light of thine arrows they went, and at the shining of thy glittering spear.

Habakkuk 3 v 1

The Sun Went Back 10 degrees.

Behold, I will bring again the shadow of the degrees, which is gone down in the sun dial of Ahaz, ten degrees backward. So the sun returned ten degrees, by which degrees it was gone down. Isaiah 38 v 8

Elijah; The Fire fell!!

Then the fire of the LORD fell, and consumed the burnt sacrifice, and the wood, and the stones, and the dust, and licked up the water that was in the trenchAnd when all the people saw it, they fell on their faces: and they said, The LORD, he is the God; the LORD, he is the God.

Elisha; Double Portion Spirit

And Elisha saw it, and he cried, My father, my father, the chariot of Israel, and the horsemen thereof. Ask what I shall do for thee, before I be taken away from thee. And Elisha said, I pray thee, let a double portion of thy spirit be upon me.

And he said, Thou hast asked a hard thing: nevertheless, if thou see me when I am taken from thee, it shall be so unto thee; but if not, it shall not be so. **2 Kings 2 v 9-10**

Caleb Asked : Give me this Mountain.

Now therefore give me this mountain, whereof the LORD spake in that day; for thou heardest in that day how the Anakims were there, and that the cities were great and fenced: if so be the LORD will be with me, then I shall be able to drive them out, as the LORD said.

And Joshua blessed him, and gave unto Caleb the son of Jephunneh Hebron for an inheritance. Joshua 14 v 12-13

Samson: Prayed; Strengthen me.

And Samson called unto the LORD, and said, O Lord GOD, remember me, I pray thee, and strengthen me, I pray thee, only this once, O God, that I may be at once avenged of the Philistines for my two eyes.

And Samson took hold of the two middle pillars upon which the house stood, and on which it was borne up, of the one with his right hand, and of the other with his left. And Samson said, Let me die with the Philistines. And he bowed himself with all his might; and the house fell upon the lords, and upon all the people that were therein.

So the dead which he slew at his death were more than they which he slew in his life. Judges 16 v 28-30

Jacob: I will not let thee go

And he said, Let me go, for the day breaketh. And he said, I will not let thee go, except thou bless me. And he said unto him, What is thy name? And he said, Jacob. And he said, Thy name shall be called no more Jacob, but Israel: for as a prince hast thou power with God and with men, and hast prevailed. **Genesis 32 v 26-28**

Moses: "Blot me out" Yet now, if thou wilt forgive their sin — ; and if not, blot me, I pray thee, out of thy book which thou hast written. And the LORD said unto Moses, Whosoever hath sinned against me, him will I blot out of my book.]Therefore now go, lead the people unto the place of which I have spoken unto thee: behold, mine Angel shall go before thee: nevertheless in the day when I visit I will visit their sin upon them. Exodus 32 v 33-34

Elijah : "Take away my life"

But he himself went a day's journey into the wilderness, and came and sat down under a juniper tree: and he requested for himself that he might die; and said, It is enough; now, O LORD, take away my life; for I am not better than my fathers.

And as he lay and slept under a juniper tree, behold, then an angel touched him, and said unto him, Arise and eat. **1 Kings 19 v 4**

Manasseh's Prayer

And when he was in affliction, he besought the LORD his God, and humbled himself greatly before the God of his fathers,

And prayed unto him: and he was intreated of him, and heard his supplication, and brought him again to Jerusalem into his kingdom. Then Manasseh knew that the LORD he was God. **2 Chronicles 33 v 12**

Christians: Violent Prayer

And from the days of John the Baptist until now the kingdom of heaven suffered violence, and the violent take it by force. Matthew 11 v 12

Solomon's Prayer:

And Solomon stood before the altar of the LORD in the presence of all the congregation of Israel, and spread forth his hands toward heaven: And he said, LORD God of Israel, there is no God like thee, in heaven above, or on earth beneath, who keepest covenant and mercy with thy servants that walk before thee with all their heart:

Therefore now, LORD God of Israel, keep with thy servant David my father that thou promisedst him, saying, There shall not fail thee a man in my sight to sit on the throne of Israel; so that thy children take heed to their way, that they walk before me as thou hast walked before me.

I Kings 8 v 22 -28

Isaiah: Command ye me....

Thus saith the LORD, the Holy One of Israel, and his Maker, Ask me of things to come concerning my sons, and concerning the work of my hands command ye me.

I have made the earth, and created man upon it: I, even my hands, have stretched out the heavens, and all their host have I commanded.

Isaiah 45 v 11

Jesus: Let this cup pass from me....

And he went a little further, and fell on his face, and prayed, saying, O my Father, if it be possible, let this cup pass from me: nevertheless not as I will, but as thou wilt. Matthew 26 39

Jesus Prayer

I pray for them: I pray not for the world, but for them which thou hast given me; for they are thine. And all mine are thine, and thine are mine; and I am glorified in them.

And now I am no more in the world, but these are in the world, and I come to thee. Holy Father, keep through thine own name those whom thou hast given me, that they may be one, as we are.

While I was with them in the world, I kept them in thy name: those that thou gavest me I have kept, and none of them is lost, but the son of perdition; that the scripture might be fulfilled. And now come I to thee; and these things I speak in the world, that they might have my joy fulfilled in themselves.

I have given them thy word; and the world hath hated them, because they are not of the world, even as I am not of the world.

I pray not that thou shouldest take them out of the world, but that thou shouldest keep them from the evil. They are not of the world, even as I am not of the world.

Sanctify them through thy truth: thy word is truth. As thou hast sent me into the world, even so have I also sent them into the world.

And for their sakes I sanctify myself, that they also might be sanctified through the truth.

Neither pray I for these alone, but for them also which shall believe on me through their word; That they all may be one; as thou, Father, art in me, and I in thee, that they also may be one in us: that the world may believe that thou hast sent me. And the glory which thou gavest me I have given them; that they may be one, even as we are one: I in them, and thou in me, that they may be made perfect in one; and that the world may know that thou hast sent me, and hast loved them, as thou hast loved me Father, I will that they also, whom thou hast given me, be with me where I am; that they may behold my glory, which thou hast given me: for thou lovedst me before the foundation of the world.

John 17 v 9-24

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But thou, when thou prayest, enter into thy closet, and when thou hast shut thy door, pray to thy Father which is in secret; and thy Father which seeth in secret shall reward thee openly/ Matthew 6 v 6

Pray with Faith.

Without faith But without faith it is impossible to please him: for he that cometh to God must believe that he is, and that he is a rewarder of them that diligently seek him. Hebrews 11 v 6

Wait until the Holy Spirit speaks

While Peter thought on the vision, the Spirit said unto him, Behold,three men seek thee.Acts 10 v 19

Don't Move without the Spirit

Therefore Eli said unto Samuel, Go, lie down: and it shall be, if he call thee, that thou shalt say, Speak, LORD; for thy servant heareth. So Samuel went and lay down in his place. 1 Samuel 3 v 9

Listen And thine ears shall hear a word behind thee, saying, This is the way, walk ye in it, when ye turn to the right hand, and when ye turn to the left. Isaiah 30 v 21

Still Small voice

And after the earthquake a fire; but the LORD was not in the fire: and after the fire a still small voice. 1 Kings 19 v 12

Philip: And Philip ran thither to him, and heard him read the prophetEsaias, and said, Understandest thou what thou readest?Acts 8 v 30

Whatever he saith Jesus saith unto her, Woman, what have I to do with thee? mine hour is not yet come.

An Angel Spoke.

Elijah arose, and did eat and drink, and went in the strength of that meat forty days and forty nights unto Horeb 1 Kings 19 v 2

Mary; Fill the Waterpots

His mother saith unto the servants, Whatsoever he saith unto you, do it. John 2 v 6

Go Into the Village

Saying unto them, Go into the village over against you, and straightway ye shall find an ass tied, and a colt with her: loose them, and bring them unto me.

And if any man say ought unto you, ye shall say, The Lord hath need of them; and straightway he will send them. Matthew 21 v 2 - 3

Adam and Eve;

And they heard the voice of the LORD God walking in the garden in the cool of the day: and Adam and his wife hid themselves from the presence of the LORD God; Genesis 3 v 8

Prayers refused

Not His Divine Will

Moses: Not allowed to see Gods Face Moses: Not to see Land David: The Baby died Israel's Elders: Not to enquire Pauls sight:

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God was angry. He was to pour out his fury. Read

Therefore thus say's the Lord GOD; Behold, mine anger and my fury shall be poured out upon this place, upon man, and upon beast, and upon the trees of the field, and upon the fruit of the ground; and it shall burn, and shall not be quenched.

Jeremiah 7 v 16

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Man- beast- fields	

V 24. They hearkened not!

But they hearkened not, nor inclined their ear, but walked in the counsels and in the imagination of their evil heart, and went backward, and not forward. Since the day that your fathers came forth out of the land of Egypt unto this day I have even sent unto you all my servants the prophets, daily rising up early and sending them: Yet they hearkened not unto me, nor inclined their ear, but hardened their neck: they did worse than their fathers.

Holy Spirit's message in these last days. Repent. Repent!

God's Word is a fire! We need the Prophetic word. A prophet to bubble forth, to overflow, gush!!! See notes

We need anointed messengers .

And unto this people thou shalt say, Thus say's the LORD; Behold, I set before you the way of life, and the way of death. He that abideth in this city shall die by the sword, and by the famine, and by the pestilence: but he that goeth out, and falleth to the Chaldeans that besiege you, he shall live, and his life shall be unto him for a prey. For I have set my face against this city for evil, and not for good, say's the LORD: it shall be given into the hand of the king of Babylon, and he shall burn it with fire.

India

Jeremiah 5 v 1-9

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God's heart for his chosen nation in rebellion against God

But this people hath a revolting and a rebellious heart;

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Judgment is promised v 29

Shall I not visit for these things? saith the LORD: shall not my soul be avenged on such a nation as this? A wonderful and horrible thing is committed in the land; The prophets prophesy falsely, and the priests bear rule by their means; and my people love to have it so: and what will ye do in the end thereof?

Temple of the Lord A spirit of religion . Pharisees Woe to you A set of rules. Tries to change the man from outside. Don't do this

Other gods ?

"O LORD our God, other lords beside thee have had dominion over us: but by thee only will we make mention of thy name". Isaiah 26 v 13

Separation

We need to be separate from this evil world of Idols Not entangled in affairs of this life. Touch not the unclean thing.

Therefore, "Come out from among them, and be ye separate," saith the Lord. "And touch not the unclean thing, and I will receive you

2 Timothy 2 v 4.

2 Corinthians 6 v 17

Choose you this day whom you will serve

And if it seem evil unto you to serve the LORD, choose you this day whom ye will serve, whether the gods which your fathers served that were on the other side of the river, or the gods of the Amorites in whose land ye dwell.

But as for me and	my house, we will serve the LORD."	Joshua 24 v 15
	What will you choose?	
The Curse.	Jeremiah 17 v 5. or	
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Persevering Prayers

Some examples

A child tugs at his daddies coat please let me have an ice cream His father ignores him but the child tugs and tugs.

A dam is destroyed by beavers. Each biting and chewing a few mouthfuls

Prayer warriors are like that dozens and hundreds of them all taking a bite. The dam in under strain. Finally one more beaver arrives and his bite does the trick. The Dam bursts

What if a thousand Christians prayed and agreed?

In the Second World War the dam busters destroyed the dam in Germany using special bouncing bombs

Spiritual Violence; ;

And from the days of John the Baptist until now, the Kingdom of Heaven suffered violence, and the violent take it by force. In Medieval times the soldiers used a battering ram to break down the doors of the fort. Matthew 11 v 12

Ask of me of things to come concerning my sons and concerning the work of my hands, command ye me; Isaiah 45 v 11

If we have the mind of Christ we certainly can command.

"For who hath known the mind of the Lord, that he may instruct Him?" But we have the mind of Christ. 1 Corinthians 2 v 16

"Again I say unto you, that if two of you shall agree on earth concerning anything that they shall ask, it shall be done for them by My Father who is in Heaven. Matthew 18 v 19

'Call unto Me, and I will answer thee, and show thee great and mighty things, which thou knowest not.' Jeremiah 33 v 3

"Thus saith the Lord GOD:

I will yet for this be inquired of by the house of Israel to do it for them.I will increase them with men like a flock.Ezekiel 36 v 37

A defeated Samson asked for strength while blinded and chained in prison. He killed more in his death than in his life... Judges 16 v 28

And Samson called unto the LORD and said, "O Lord GOD, remember me, I pray Thee, and strengthen me, I pray Thee, only this once, O God, that I may be at once avenged of the Philistines for my two eyes." And Samson took hold of the two middle pillars upon which the house stood and on which it was borne up, the one with his right hand and the other with his left.

And Samson said, "Let me die with the Philistines." And he bowed himself with all his might; and the house fell upon the lords, and upon all the people who were therein. So the dead which he slew at his death were more than those whom he slew in his life.

Delilah... And she said, "The Philistines be upon thee, Samson." And he awoke out of his sleep and said, "I will go out as at other times before, and shake myself."

He wist not that the LORD had departed from him. Judges 6 v 20

Joshua: The walls of Jericho fell down;

Joshua 6 v 5

Total obedience was required....

And Joshua had commanded the people, saying, "Ye shall not shout nor make any noise with your voice, neither shall any word proceed out of your mouth until the day I bid you shout. Then shall ye shout."

First Complete Silence; then the shout;	Joshua 6 v 5
Gideon; was afraid to knock over the idol;	Judges 6 v 26/7
Joshua was fearless	Joshua 8 v 1
Aaron and Hur held up his hand;	Exodus 17 v 10

For the weapons of our warfare are not carnal, but mighty through God for the pulling down of strongholds, casting down imaginations and every high thing that exalteth itself against the knowledge of God, and bringing into captivity every thought to the obedience of Christ,

through mighty signs and wonders by the power of the Spirit of God; so that from Jerusalem and round about into Illyricum, I have fully preached the Gospel of Christ. Romans 15 v 19

The Angel Gabriel was resisted on his way to appear to Daniel said he unto me, "Fear not, Daniel, for from the first day that thou didst set thine heart to understand and to chasten thyself before thy God, thy words were heard; and I have come for thy words. But the prince of the kingdom of Persia withstood me one and twenty days; but lo, Michael, one of the chief princes, came to help me, and I remained there with the kings of Persia. Daniel 10 v 12

Be sober, be vigilant,

because your adversary the devil walks about as a roaring lion, seeking whom he may devour. 1 Peter 5 v 8

Jesus was tempted . And Jesus, being full of the Holy Spirit, returned from the Jordan and was led by the Spirit into the wilderness, and for forty days was tempted by the devil. And in those days He ate nothing, and afterward when they were ended, He hungered. And the devil said unto Him, "If Thou be the Son of God, command this stone that it be made bread."

Luke 4 v 1Produce your cause...saith the Lord bring forth your strong reasonssaith the King of Jacob....Isaiah 41 v 21

Ask me of things to come concerning , my sons	and concerning the
work of my hands, command ye me ;	Isaiah 45 v 11
God's telephone line!!!!	Jeremiah 33 v 3

Warning:

If I regard iniquity in my heart the Lord will not hear me; Psalm 66 v 18

Pray not for this people....neither lift up cry nor prayer for them, neither make intercession for them for I will not hear thee.. Jeremiah 7 v 16

Ezekiel	His tongue stuck to the roof of his mouth;	Ezekiel 3 v 26
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Time for everything;

Abraham's intercession: If there be 50 righteous in the city ?

Genesis 18 v 23

Ecclesiastes 3 v 1

And he saw that there was no man and wondered that there was no intercessor... Isaiah 59 v 16

The conditional promises of God..... 3 if's If my people; Four Conditions. 3 Promises 2 Chronicles 7 v 14

If ye be willing and obedient;	Isaiah 1 v 18/19
If thou shalt diligently hearken unto the Lord;	Exodus 15 v 26