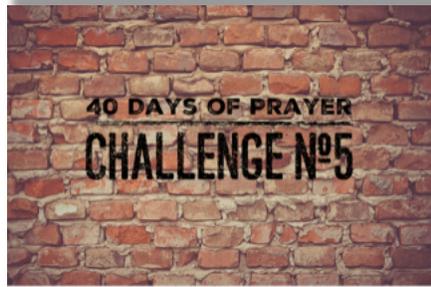


Week 8 of Challenge #5
Week of Nov. 1 – Nov. 5
Chapter 24, 25, 26



Servant, Servant of God *The Redeemer* *I AM*

- ⇒ We have arrived at the end of another 40-day prayer challenge and the end of Ann Spangler's book *Praying the Names of Jesus*. I'm not sure how this study of the names of Jesus has helped you experience God more deeply but I've personally grown more in love with Jesus as I've revisited who He is and what He has done and why these names belong to Him. As I've prayed the names of Jesus and truly considered why each title was given to Him, my heart has been deeply touched.
- ⇒ **NEXT 40 DAY CHALLENGE**----Starts on **November 16, 2021** just **(40 DAYS) until Christmas day!**
- ⇒ **Here's the challenge:** PRAY with your children, pray with your family, pray with your prayer group at church, your prayer partner, your spouse. You have created a posture of praying the names of Jesus for many weeks this year. Now unwrap this precious gift of praying His names with the people you know and love this Christmas season. We will use the book *Unwrapping the Names of Jesus: An Advent Devotional* by Asheritah Ciuciu. Grab a copy of her book at [Amazon](#) or [Christian Book](#) NOW... with this challenge we will commit to praying every day starting on November 16 until Christmas Day, December 25. There will be further instructions in next week's newsletter. What better gift to give a person you love than the gift of praying with them and helping them experience the love of Jesus and what His names represent as we prepare our hearts for the birthday of our Savior. Will you join us?

THIS WEEK WE HAVE THREE CHAPTERS LEFT IN THE BOOK.

THIS WEEK WE HAVE TRIPLE THE WORK.

THIS WEEK YOU GET TRIPLE THE BLESSING.

THIS WEEK YOU HAVE TRIPLE THE DAILY REFLECTIONS.

FINISH STRONG.

The scripture says Psalm 34:8, "oh taste and see that the Lord is good." He is good, He is great, He is all in all! Ann Spangler's book *Praying the Names of Jesus*, has blessed me with tasting the importance of praying His names and seeing how precious it is to pray His names considering what His names truly mean. In crying out to Him with His various names we are recognizing Him and adoring Him for who He is and what He came to do. What a precious gift the Man of Sorrows has lavished on us that He should become the servant of all to demonstrate how our lives should be lived! What a precious gift to know our Redeemer lives having conquered death and has given us complete victory! He lives to take away our sin, our judgment, our payment for the debt we owed! Shout out a huge Hallelujah! What a precious gift to know that at the very mention of His name "I Am:" demons run and flee, dry bones live,

the sick are healed, the lame walk, sin is forgiven! The Great “**I AM**” left His throne in glory to come to earth to become the Man of Sorrows who knew NO sin and displayed ultimate servanthood. The Great “**I Am**” went to the cross to pay for our sin and purchase us a place in heaven. WOW! WHAT LOVE! UH-OH WE NEEDED A SOLUTION! YES, JESUS PAID IT ALL ON THE CROSS! AND AHH, I HAVE A LOVE AND A HOPE THAT MAKES ME ALIVE IN JESUS! We have experienced the free gift of Jesus now freely give it to others. We are entering into the Christmas season, what better gift to give a Friend, Relative, Co-Worker, Neighbor than the Good News of Jesus Christ wrapped up in so many of His precious names.

Colossians 4:17 says, Tell Archippus: “See to it that you complete the ministry you have received in the Lord.” Now insert your own name where Archippus’ name is. Paul is saying to you...” See to it that you complete the ministry you have received in the Lord.” Tell others the great truths that have been revealed to you. Share the good news! Tell others the stories of Jesus! Write on their hearts every word! We’ve been given the gift of understanding His names. We’ve begun the posture of praying those names, now see to it that you continue what you have started and then share it with others. In our next challenge, beginning on November 16, we will participate in an advent devotional that continues to unwrap the names of Jesus. What can you do to help someone grow in love, devotion, and prayer to Jesus? What a gift to give to Jesus as we celebrate His birthday this year!

Additional daily reflections as we consider JESUS, Servant of God, Man of Sorrows:

Monday: Read Matthew 20: 26-28 again. Grace **not** treasured correctly leads to a sense of entitlement. My sin deserves punishment but Jesus paid my debt for me. When I treasure His grace properly, grace is what flows from me. Are you serving graciously?

Tuesday: Read Isaiah 53:4-5. He understands it all. We can turn to Him with everything. He laid down His life for us, consider helping someone else who is carrying around their burdens. Help them to draw near to the ONE who can and will carry their burdens and lift them up and out.

Wednesday: Read John 13:5. Our love is conditional, but God’s love is unconditional. Jesus came to serve, not to be served. What does it look like to live your life with a worshipful posture?

Thursday: Read John 13:16-17. Because of Jesus’ unconditional love toward us, we are called to respond by serving others. What does it look like to live your life with a servant posture?

Friday: Read Psalm 34:22. What a powerful promise! Serve. Pray for acts of service that His name will go forward through you.

Additional daily reflections as we consider JESUS, The Redeemer:

Monday: Read Psalm 49:15. What does the word ransom mean to you in regards to Jesus being our **Redeemer**? He purchased our ransom with His own blood. Respond today with a heart full of thanksgiving.

Tuesday: Read Job 19: 25-26. Despite Job’s circumstances, he knows he has a redeemer to rescue, comfort and fight for him. Job’s redeemer lives and our redeemer lives. That is our hope. Adore Him and find hope in Him today.

Wednesday: Read Romans 8:25-26. Pray, asking Jesus to intercede for you as you wait, if today you find yourself in God’s waiting room. The **Redeemer’s** love will lift you as you wait.

Thursday: Read Revelation 5:6-9. Have you ever found yourself looking everywhere else but God? He’s the only one. The only one!

Friday: Read Isaiah 41:13-14. The Lord your God, **Redeemer**, Friend. We can choose to hold hands with things we see, feel, touch or hold hands in faith and trust our Redeemer, the Lord our God.

Additional daily reflections as we consider JESUS, I AM:

Monday: Read Exodus 3:13-15. “**I AM**,” God’s personal name used more than 6000 times in the Old Testament. Jesus emphatically described himself as the “**I AM!**” How does this name provoke an appropriate awe for Him in your life?

Tuesday: Read John 8:58. How we define God and the identity we give Him changes our behavior. The attempt to lower Jesus as anything other than God is destructive. How has believing that Jesus is God, changed you?

Wednesday: Read John 14:6. The absolute truth of our redemption pathway. One way! The Only way! How can you sound the trumpet call to our world that Jesus is the Way, the Truth, and the Life?

Thursday: Read John 15:1. What daily practices help keep you connected to the true vine, Jesus? What spiritual disciplines might you need to add or bring back into your life?

Friday: Read John 11:25. Are you struggling with any doubt about an area of your life that feels impossible? When God’s timing seems questionable, we begin to doubt. Earlier in this chapter we see that although Jesus was a “bit late” so we thought, he was “right on time.” Resurrection and life are coming. Claim it. Believe it. Praise Him for it – in advance.

**EE Prayer Network
Weekly Prayer Requests
NOVEMBER 1, 2021**



Adoration: praising God for who He is!

JESUS, Redeemer/I AM/Man of Sorrow: Prayer of Adoration

JESUS, Redeemer, You, are good! I know that You live. And because You live, I can face tomorrow and the next day and the next until you call me home. I know that You live and that in the end You will stand upon the earth. After my skin has been destroyed, in my flesh I will see You. **I. Will. See. You!** And I will behold You with my own eyes. My heart yearns within me for that day when I shall see Your face. For You are exalted Lord and the number of Your years is unsearchable. I praise You! There is none like You. From the rising of the sun to the going down of the same, Your name, O Lord, is to be praised. I never had to know how heavy my sin was because You have graciously carried it for me. I adore You and praise You for laying down Your rights in order to love me, even me. Man of Sorrow, You bore my

griefs and sorrows that were a result of my sin. O what love, You, have lavished on me. Hallelu! Hallelu! Hallelujah! I praise You, Jesus!

Pause to express additional thoughts of praise and worship.

Confession: If we confess, He is faithful to forgive.

JESUS, Redeemer/I AM/Man of Sorrow: Prayer of Confession

You, the Lord our Redeemer, have said, "For a brief moment I forsook you, but with great compassion, I will gather you. In a flood of anger, I hid My face from you for a moment but I will have compassion on you with everlasting kindness." (Isaiah 54:7-8). Jesus, the great **I Am**, forgive me for believing lies rather than Your truths. I confess that I listen to voices that distract rather than the voice of One who is absolute truth. Jesus, Man of Sorrow, forgive the pride that keeps me from receiving the forgiveness You alone offer. I confess that I too, like Moses, wrestle with who I am and who You are. I sometimes obsess more about who I am than obsessing on who You are. I'll never find the faith I need to wholly walk with You and say yes to your call until I find confidence in who You are. Forgive me and help me to find rest in You and You alone.

Ask the Spirit to search your heart and reveal any areas of unconfessed sin. Acknowledge these to the Lord and thank Him for His forgiveness.

Thanksgiving- Our mouths will speak in praise of the Lord!

JESUS, Man of Sorrow/I AM/ Redeemer: Prayer of Thanksgiving

Jesus, You, are the great I AM. You came to earth to be the light of the world. You came to the earth to be the bread of life. You came to earth to fulfill every promise so that I could go free. You are the truth in the flesh, bringing us life. Thank you for inviting me to come to Your table and feast. I love the prayer that was prayed by priest Desiderius Erasmus in the 1500's and I pray today: "O Lord Jesus Christ, you have said that you are the way, the truth and the life. Help us not to stray from you who are the way, nor to distrust you who are the truth, nor to rest in anything other than you, who are the life." Even death doesn't have a final say. You, Jesus, get the final say. Hallelujah! You are my **Redeemer** and the Life. My future and my present hope are in You. I declare with utmost gratitude that You are trustworthy, true, and everlasting and I love you for being wounded and crushed for my transgressions. Beaten that I may have peace. And whipped that I would be healed. I'm forever grateful to You.

Praise God For:

- the **SYFW** at Friends Hill Presbyterian Church in High Point NC where Shibu Oommen taught 27 people. We had age groups from 12 to 79 attend this training. Some of the church members who attended the workshop are ready to start a street evangelism soon. PTL.
- the **SYFW** at Grace Missionary Baptist Church in Stillwater OK. Lester Vogler taught 9 people. The attendees were university student leaders. Very exciting to work with them. Currently Deacon, the EE leader, is working to calendar a training semester as soon as possible.

- o blessing the Oct. 23 EA!

	TEAMS	PEOPLE TRAINED	APPROACHED	GOSPEL	POF	ASSURANCE
HUB: Memphis, TN	11	36	53	31	9	5
Austin, TX	9	22	59	19	4	5
Blairsville, GA	9	27	49	22	6	4
Jacksonville, FL	11	28	71	26	2	8
TOTALS:	40	113	232	98	21	22

Supplication- *The Lord is near to all who call on him, to all who call on him in truth.*

JESUS, I AM/Redeemer/Man of Sorrow: Prayer of Supplications

Apart from him we can do nothing. Today, write out the “I am” statements of Jesus found on page 355 of our Praying the Names of Jesus book and the book of John and form them into a prayer of your own.

Ask God For:

- many people to join in EE’s quarterly 24-hour worldwide prayer meetings as we pray through every nation on earth in preparation for our upcoming 2023 Congress of Nations. [Join now!](#)
- His favor on the **Equip America** on Nov 6 in Tampa FL. Pray for God to provide everything that is needed for a successful EA. May God be glorified through this event and His hand guide all the planning and preparation.
- all people in authority to have God’s wisdom, discernment and be instruments of peace.
- Lord, the intensity of what’s at stake regarding abortion in this nation is at a fever pitch. While the headlines tell the story of legal battles, we know there is a spiritual battle over life and death happening all around us.
- oh Lord, we are distorting Your perfect design. Thank You that the Gospel brings fulfilling clarity to the vision for gender and sexuality taught in Genesis. Help us to glorify You with our bodies because they are bought with a price.
- As Your adopted sons and daughters, help us to share this Gospel message with this broken world and live it out in our familial relationships—which includes our brothers and sisters in Christ.

(Share Your Faith Workshop, Everyday Evangelism, Hope For Kids, Mentoring for Multiplication)

SYFW	10/20-11/3/21	Faith Community Church	Dublin OH
SYFW	11/4-7/21		Arleta CA
SYFW	11/6-7/21	Immanuel Baptist Church	Hokes Bluff AL
SYFW	11/13/21		Dunn-Loring VA
SYFW	11/13/21	First Baptist Church	South Otselic NY
SYFW	11/13/21	First Baptist Church	Rogers AR
SYFW	11/13/21	New Life Church	Taylorsville NC
SYFW	12/4/21	Riverside Alliance Church	Akron OH
SYFW	12/3/21		Landisville PA
SYFW	12/11/21	Grace and Peace Presbyterian Church	Royersford PA
EV2 Launch	11/11-12/21	Zion Baptist Church	Brownsville TN