

A PRAYER FOR GRADUATES / FOR LIFE

Ephesians 3:14-21 - New Living Translation (NLT)

¹⁴ When I think of all this, I fall to my knees and pray to the Father, ^[a] ¹⁵ the Creator of everything in heaven and on earth. ^[b] ¹⁶ I pray that from his glorious, unlimited resources he will empower you with inner strength through his Spirit. ¹⁷ Then Christ will make his home in your hearts as you trust in him. Your roots will grow down into God's love and keep you strong. ¹⁸ And may you have the power to understand, as all God's people should, how wide, how long, how high, and how deep his love is. ¹⁹ May you experience the love of Christ, though it is too great to understand fully. Then you will be made complete with all the fullness of life and power that comes from God. ²⁰ Now all glory to God, who is able, through his mighty power at work within us, to accomplish infinitely more than we might ask or think. ²¹ Glory to him in the church and in Christ Jesus through all generations forever and ever! Amen.

I. G_____ D_____ - verses 14 & 16

Prayer needs to become our first r_____ and r_____, not our
l_____ r_____

- John 15:5

II. G___ D_____ - verses 17 & 18

- Psalm 1:2

- Colossians 2:6 & 7

III. G___ B_____ or G___ H_____ - verses 19 & 20

K_____ God's love; Be F_____ ; D_____ Big

III. CONCLUSION

“Between this day and your last you are going to g_____ y_____ to something.
Give it to C_____ ! Give it to the l_____ c_____ ! Give it to the
proclamation of the g_____ ! For those are the only things that have
F_____ written on them.”

Bill Hybels