Praying Biblical Prayers for Our Loved Ones By Karen Sue Nyquist

This method of prayer is called "personalizing the scriptures." I love it and use it often in my prayers. These are the three main scriptures that I pray over my loved ones.

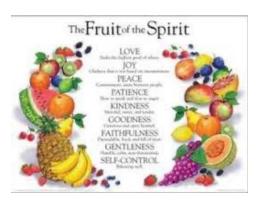
1. For Salvation, Strength, Protection, & That Their Daily Walk w/the Lord Will Be Fruitful - Based on Colossians 1:9-14

(I ask that You help me to not cease praying for my family, my relatives, my church family, and my friends. I ask that You will fill each of them) with the knowledge of Your will in all wisdom and spiritual understanding; that (they) may walk (daily) worthy of (You) Lord, fully



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pleasing (You), being fruitful in every good work and increasing in the knowledge of (You; That they will be) strengthened with all might, according to (Your) glorious power, for all patience and longsuffering with joy; giving thanks to (You) Father who has qualified (each of us) to be partakers of the inheritance of the saints in the light. (Please, continue to protect and deliver each of them) from the power of darkness and (save them, convey them into) the kingdom of (Your) Son (Who You) love. (Thank You God, that each of them will) have redemption through (Jesus') blood, (and) the forgiveness of sins.



2. For the Baptism of the Holy Spirit, Spiritual Strength, Gifts of the Spirit, & Fruit of the Spirit - Based on Ephesians 3:16-20

(I pray that You will) grant unto (my family, my relatives, my church family, and my friends), according to the riches of (Your) glory, to be strengthened with might through (Your) Spirit in (their) inner man, that Christ may dwell in (each of their) hearts through faith; that (they), being rooted and grounded in love, may be able to comprehend (through knowledge, understanding,

wisdom, revelation, and discernment) with all the saints, what is the width and length

and depth and height (what is going on in the natural and spiritual and) — to know the love of Christ which passes knowledge; that (each one) may be filled with all the fullness (of You) God. (Please, fill each one with Your Spirit, the Fruit of the Spirit, and the Gifts of the Spirit. I put each of them into Your hands, Lord, knowing that You are) able to do exceedingly, abundantly above all that (I can) ask or think, according to the power that works in us.



I do not cease to give thanks for (my family, my relatives, my church family, and my friends), making mention of (them all) in my prayers: that (You) the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give to (each of them) the spirit of wisdom and revelation in the knowledge of (You, God), (that their eyes) of understanding being enlightened; may know what is the hope of (Your calling and that they may know what their callings are), (that they may know) what are the riches of the glory of (Your) inheritance in (them) the saints, and what is the exceeding greatness of (Your) power toward us who believe, according to the working of (Your) mighty power. In Jesus' Name I pray, Amen!