

Prayer Against Domestic Violence

Lord, Your Word says that violence and abuse of any kind is wickedness, or evil. Whatever a man sows, that shall he also reap. I realize that if I sow violence, I will reap the same in my life. Evil pursues those who commit this sin.

I realize that if I do this wrong, I will receive for the wrong I have done. It is because of my transgression (sin) that I have been afflicted with trouble. My sin has withheld the good things of God from me. But I make the decision this day that neither this sin nor Satan has any place in my life. I will no longer let him influence me to commit violence to anyone. He will not destroy my life. From this moment on, I choose to turn from my violence so that the curse of the Lord will not be on my house.

Lord, You said in Your Word that You hate the wicked and anyone who loves to use violence. The wicked are turned into hell because violence is in the heart. This violence is the result of pride, covetousness, and selfishness in my heart. Even my mouth has been covered with violence. Your Word says that violence will return to my head. This violent lifestyle has kept me from finding peace in my life. Shame now covers my life. My life has become desolate (*no joy or comfort*). It is filled with sorrow. I have been abandoned by many because of my violent and wicked ways.

Lord, I acknowledge that I have caused grief and pain to others. I have provoked You to anger against me, and You have not had pity upon me; neither have You heard my prayer. But God, I cry unto You today. I do not want to die in my sin. Therefore, I acknowledge my sin and confess it to you, Heavenly Father. Have mercy upon me, Lord. Wash me, cleanse me, and purge me. Create within me a clean heart and renew a right spirit within me. Restore unto me the joy of my salvation. I want to be delivered of anger and violence. Forgive me of my sin against You and those whom I have hurt. I turn from my sin that I may have life. I repent of my evil ways and the violence my hands have done. No longer will I be an oppressor, doing violence and shedding innocent blood. I will not sow or do violence to any one.

Lord, I ask You to save me from violence. Holy Spirit, remove the temptation of violence from my heart, my lips and my hands.

Lord, You said in Your Word that true love will never work ill or harm to another person. This day, I make a commitment that I will never do violence again to anyone. I will walk in love to those whom I have hurt or physically wounded.

I believe that Jesus Christ is Lord and Savior. He died for my sins that I might be saved. The blood of Jesus cleanses me now of every sin of my past. I overcome the devil by the blood of the Lamb.

Now that I have accepted Jesus as my Savior, Lord, You said You would remember my sin no more. You are plenteous in mercy and are ready to forgive those who call upon You. Thank You, Lord, for turning away from Your fierce anger. No longer do You hold my sin against me. I receive Your mercy. Now Lord, prosper me in life.

In Jesus' name, Amen.

Scripture References

Job 4:8	Galatians 6:7	Proverbs 13:21	Colossians 3:25	Ephesians 4:27
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