

+ A Time of Remembrance +

LORD, You alone are my portion and my cup; You make my lot secure. The boundary lines have fallen for me in pleasant places; surely I have a delightful inheritance! (Psalm 16:5-6)

**No eye has seen, nor ear heard, nor the heart of man imagined, what God has prepared for those who love Him!
(I Cor. 2:9)**

A Moment of Silence

For all the saints who have gone before us, who made a difference in our lives,

Thank You, God!

For all the saints who live beside us, whose weaknesses and strengths are woven with our own,

Thank You, God!

For all the saints who will live beyond us, challenging us to better the world for them,

Thank You, God!

The Reading of Names

Prayer

Prayer for Illumination

Jesus, knowing You by faith on earth, may we come to know You by sight in Heaven. This is our hope and joy! Amen

+ Selected Bible Verses +

We know we are children of God, and the whole world is under the control of the evil one.

Jesus tells us, "In this world, you will have trouble. But take heart! I have overcome the world!"

I am convinced neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither the present nor the future, nor any powers, neither height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Do not fear, for I am with you; do not be dismayed, for I am your God. I will strengthen you and help you; I will uphold you with My righteous right hand.

We are hard pressed on every side, but not crushed; perplexed, but not in despair; persecuted, but not abandoned; struck down, but not destroyed.

Let us fix our eyes on Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of our faith . . . when the Chief Shepherd appears, you will receive the crown of glory that will never fade away.

The LORD will swallow up death forever. The Sovereign LORD will wipe away the tears from all faces; He will remove His people's disgrace from all the earth.

There will be no more death or mourning or crying or pain, for the old order of things has passed away . . . I am making everything new!

Do not let your hearts be troubled. You believe in God; believe also in Me. My Father's house has many rooms . . . I am going there to prepare a place for you.

We know that if the earthly tent we live in is destroyed, we have a building from God, an eternal house in Heaven, not built by human hands.

Since you have been raised with Christ, set your hearts on things above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things above, not on earthly things.

None of us lives for ourselves alone, and none of us dies for ourselves alone. If we live, we live for the Lord; and if we die, we die for the Lord. So, whether we live or die, we belong to the Lord.

Live a life worthy of the calling you have received. Be completely humble and gentle; be patient, bearing with one another in love. Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace.

God, You make known to me the path of life; You fill me with joy in Your presence, with eternal pleasures at Your right hand.

God sent His Son, Jesus, into the world,
to bring us into Eternal Life!

The Eternal God is our refuge,
and underneath are God's everlasting arms! Amen