

## FATHER'S DAY PRAYERS

### PRAYER FOR THE LOSS OF A FATHER

Dear Jesus, come wait here, come dwell here with me. I hide in your presence, and rest in the grief. I lost so much when dad passed away, his comfortable arm around my shoulder, his generous love of me. Lord, stir up these wonderful memories and help me to soak in that warmth. And when I am chilled by his absence, please cover me with your love and surround me with your arms. Fill up my dreams with the hope of Heaven, my mind with the promise of truth. Give me the vision to trust that my father is safe now with you. Lead me to new springs of life to enjoy, until I too come home Lord to you.

*Amen.*

### PRAYER THAT HE FEELS MY LOVE

All-Powerful Lord, I miss my dad telling me that he loves me. Deep down, I am happy that he is with You because You are the God of all love. But I am struggling. I need to feel Your loving presence as I deal with the grief of losing my earthly father. Help me, dear Lord. And please tell my dad that I love him and that I know he loves me.

*Amen.*

### PRAYER FOR GOD'S CARE

Precious Savior, my dad is with You now, and I miss being able to go to him for help. He watched over me my whole life. Knowing he was there for me was a great comfort. I know that You are my ultimate Father, Lord. I depend on You for all things. Please watch over my dad and bless him in heaven.

*Amen.*



# C E M E T E R Y P R A Y E R S

## PRAYER FOR COMFORT

Almighty God, I thank You for the comfort of Your Word. You have told me that my heart can be at peace about my dad's passing. I know he went immediately into Your presence when he left us here on earth. Thank You, my heavenly Father! Please calm my heart about the loss of my earthly father, and comfort him in Heaven. Please tell him that we miss him dearly, and that we are doing our best to find joy in knowing he is with You. Thank You for loving my dad and making the way for him to be there with You.

*Amen.*

## PRAYER ABOUT SEEING DAD AGAIN

Dear Jesus, thank You for giving us the beautiful picture of Heaven in Your Word, where you said no longer would there be any more curse or any more night. I look forward to that time, for I know I will be with You and will be able to see my earthly father in Heaven. Please comfort my dad with the thought that one day we will be together again. Lord, if I need to make any changes in my life so that I can see him in Heaven, please forgive me and guide me to the assurance of my salvation and my future home in Your presence in Heaven. Amen.

## PRAYER FOR JOY

Gracious Lord, sometimes Heaven seems so far away. Please help my heart feel that You are always near to me. My dad is with You now. I know he is enjoying the unbelievable blessing of Your presence. You told us that You were going to prepare a place for us and that You would be there with us. How awesome it is to know that my dad is in the presence of You! God, please bless him with the supreme joy that can only come from You. Please help me also to have joy, because I know that he is there with You.

*Amen.*



# C E M E T E R Y P R A Y E R S

## PRAYER FOR GOD'S LOVE

Loving Father, I feel like my dad has been ripped from this world. His death has been so painful for me and my family.

I am comforted knowing that my dad's death has brought him closer to You, and that his death ends his struggle.

Thank You for bringing him home to You, arriving safely in Your kingdom, where his work is finished and he can finally rest in Your love. Please let Your love flood over my dad in heaven.

I rejoice because he now sees You, face to face.

*Amen.*

