

# Morning Prayer 13

## Peace Within

Lord, may today there be peace within me, (*2 Thessalonians 3:16*). May I trust this day that you will be exactly where you are meant to be in my life, (*Hebrews 4:12*). May I never forget the infinite possibilities that are born of faith, (*Proverbs 3:5-6*). Lord may my heart and life be open to use those gifts that you have given me, (*1 Peter 4:10*) and pass on the love you have for me, (*1 Thessalonians 3:12*). Today may I be confident in knowing that I am a child of God, (*John 1:12*).

Lord, may your presence with me today allow my soul the freedom to sing, and praise your glory, (*Matthew 5:8*). Lord may I know today, through your presence in all I do, who I am and what I am, Lord, and bring inspiration to those whose eyes I meet, (*1 Thessalonians 5:11*). May I have the strength to stand tall in the face of conflict, and the courage to speak out, even when I'm scared, (*Deuteronomy 31:6*).

Lord, may any darkness I face today, be as light in your presence, (*Psalms 139:12*). May I be brave enough to hear and follow your voice in my heart, (*Proverbs 11:12*). Lord today I surrender anything that stands between the sacredness of my humanity and your divinity, (*Philippians 4:6-7*). May I be drenched in your Holiness and engulfed by Your love, (*Romans 8:38-39*).

Lord, as I awake to the gift of this new day, please help me to be ready for whatever it may bring, (*Matthew 25:1-13*). Help me to sit quietly in your presence, (*Lamentations 3:28*) and help me to wait patiently, (*Psalms 27:14*). Lord free my thinking and feelings today. Help me to turn from all forms of self-will, self-centredness, dishonesty, and deception, (*Romans 8:8-18*). So that in this freedom, all the choices I make today will be according to your will, (*Psalms 57:2*). Send your Spirit to inspire me in time of doubt and indecision so that, together, we can walk along your path, (*2 Timothy 3:16*).

Lord, I thank you that you are with me in every transition and change. May I always enter into the new things that you bring into my life with excitement and even some anxiety, as I recall your deep compassion, presence, and abounding love, (*Philippians 4:6-8*). Lord, I thank you for the gifts, talents and skills with which you have blessed me, (*2 Corinthians 9:15*) and I thank you for the work of others that gives breadth and depth to your active will among us, as we move forward, rejoicing with you and supporting one another, (*1 Corinthians 1:10*).

Lord, awaken me today to creation, which is not an event in the past, but a living event in me, in the present. Help me Lord to participant in every moment of your creative work, God within me and with me, (*Philippians 2:13*). Gracious and gentle Spirit of God light my day with your, Goodness, truth and beauty, (*Psalms 50:2*). Open my mind and heart today to a deeper awareness of your unique presence, (*Jeremiah 29:13*).  
*May all I do bring praise and glory to you Name, Amen, (Psalm 86:12).*