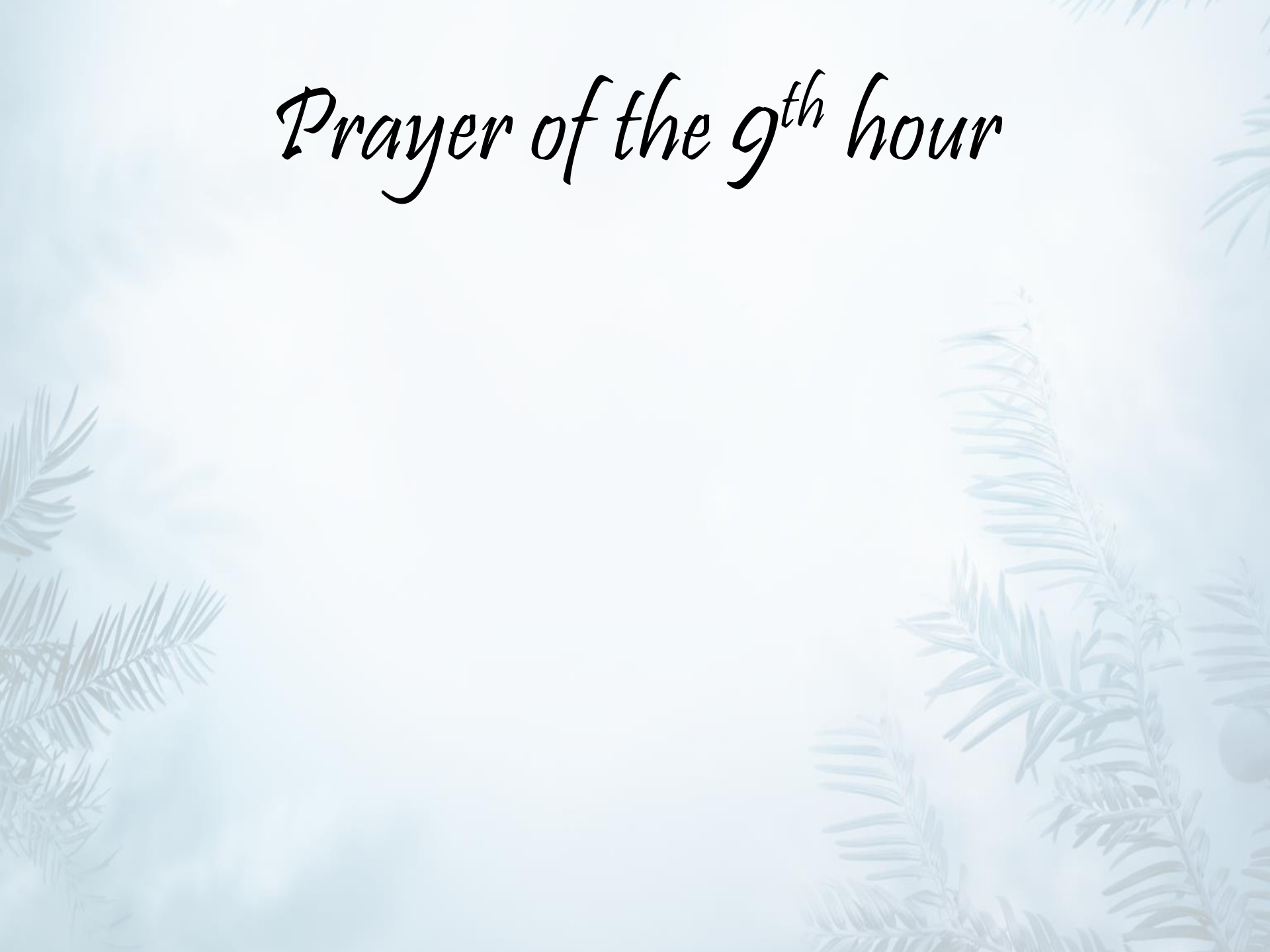


"I will praise You throughout all the days of my life, for all the power of the heavens sing Your praise."

Prayer of the 9th hour



Teach me

Teach me
(To wait for you Oh Lord) (x2)
Show Me
(Your vision for my path) (x2)

For I have no one except You
You're my support
And Your spirit is guiding me
And Your word is my path
(x2)

Teach me

Make me taste
(The richness of Your love) (x2)

Lead me
(To Your majestic light) (x2)

For I have no one except You

**You're my support
And Your spirit is guiding me
And Your word is my path
(x2)**

Teach me

Make me feel
(Your hand with me O Lord) (x2)
Strengthen me
(To serve Your Holy name) (x2)

For I have no one except You
You're my support
And Your spirit is guiding me
And Your word is my path
(x2)

The prayer of Manasseh

“ O Lord Almighty, God of our fathers, of Abraham and Isaac and Jacob, and of their righteous seed, You Who have made heaven and earth with all their adornment, You Who have bound the sea by the word of your command, You Who have shut the deep, and sealed it with your fearsome and glorious Name, You at whom all things shudder, and tremble before Your power, for unbearable is the magnificence of Your glory, and not to be withstood is the anger of Your threat towards the sinners, and immeasurable and inscrutable in the mercy of Your promise, for You are the Lord Most High, compassionate, patient, and merciful, repenting from the evil deeds of people. You, O Lord, according to the fullness of Your clemency, promised repentance and forgiveness to those who have sinned against You, and in the fullness of Your mercies, You have appointed repentance for sinners toward salvation.

The prayer of Manasseh

Therefore, You, O Lord of the righteous, have not given repentance for the righteous, for Abraham and Isaac and Jacob, who had not sinned against You, but you have given repentance for me, the sinner. For I have sinned more than the number of sand of the sea; my lawless deeds are multiplied, O Lord, multiplied, and I am not worthy to look and see the heights of heaven because of the multitude of my unrighteous deeds.

I am bent down by too many a bond of iron for the lifting of my head because of my sins, and there is no relief for me, for I have provoked Your wrath and done evil before You. I have set up abominations and multiplied provocations. And now I bent the knee of my heart, begging for Your clemency. I have sinned, O Lord, I have sinned, and I know my lawless deeds.

The prayer of Manasseh

I am asking, begging You: forgive me, O Lord, forgive me! Do not destroy me with my lawless deeds, nor for all ages keep angry with me, nor condemn me to the depths of the earth, for You, O Lord are the God of those who repent. And in me You will display Your goodness, for my being worthy, You will save me according to Your great mercy. And I will praise You throughout all the days of my life, for all the power of the heavens sing Your praise. For Yours is the glory, to the ages. Amen.

I open my mouth with praise

I open my mouth with praise: and say with a broken heart:

O my Lord Jesus Christ: grant me a praising tongue.

That I may praise Your Name: and thank You for Your grace:

O my Lord Jesus Christ: teach me Your statutes.

Holy is Your Name and wonderful: and glorified in Your saints:

O my Lord Jesus Christ: have mercy on me.

Worthy and right are You: to be praised and glorified:

O my Lord Jesus Christ: Your praise is sweet and good.

I cried unto You all day: I raised my hands to You:

O my Lord Jesus Christ: Your name is sweet to me.

I open my mouth with praise

I cast my cares on You: O Lord, neglect me not:

O my Lord Jesus Christ: do not forsake me.

Your Holy Spirit: cast not away from me:

O my Lord Jesus Christ: with Your might help me.

**The enemy has injured me: and has deeply wounded me:
give me Your Body as ointment: and Your Blood as bandage.**

Seven times daily: every day I praise Your Name:

O my Lord Jesus Christ: grant me as Your portion.

My soul has long waited: for You as a barren land:

O my Lord Jesus Christ: in Your mercy, remember us.

I open my mouth with praise

Do not forget our Church: fill it with Your goodness:

O my Lord Jesus Christ: cleanse me from my sins.

Your laws are sweet on my lips: as honey is sweet in my mouth:

O my Lord Jesus Christ: cleanse me from my sins.

Let us thank the Beneficent: and worship the Lord Jesus:

Christ the Lord of hosts: in fear we bow unto Him.

Confirm us in Your statutes: establish us in Your oracles:

O my Lord Jesus Christ: raise the state of the church.

Raise the state of the Christians: in all the world:

O my Lord Jesus Christ: embrace and support them.

I open my mouth with praise

If we live in poverty: Your name shall sustain us:

O my Lord Jesus Christ: Your goodness shall make us rich.

Unto You is due praise: unto You is due blessing:

O my Lord Jesus Christ: the Fountain of Goodness.

O Lord save Your people: and bless Your inheritance:

raise their state in Your Name: and grant them Your kingdom.

Your Kingdom O my God: is an everlasting Kingdom:

and Your Lordship O my King: is an everlasting Lordship.

Everlasting and exalted: and wonderful are Your deeds:

O my Lord Jesus Christ: You are the Master of kingdom.

I open my mouth with praise

All kingdoms shall perish: and the money of the world:

O my Lord Jesus Christ: Your Kingdom is everlasting.

May the kingdoms perish: and the money of the world:

**O my Lord Jesus Christ: for the poor, You're their
treasure.**

The poor make them rich: and the sick please heal them:

comfort all the widows: O Lord make them rich.

**O please make them rich: and aid those who are in
debt:**

O my Lord Jesus Christ: You're the Treasure of the poor.

If we're ever in need: we have the Precious Gem:

the Rock of great value: Jesus the honored One.

I open my mouth with praise

Precious and honored: from all things in the world:

His Name is Jesus Christ: the Forgiver of sins.

The Forgiver of our debts: who hearkens to him who pleads:
all the nations confess Him: and all the kings praise Him.

Praise Him O you people: glorify Him all nations:

O my Lord Jesus Christ: grant us to do Your will.

We ask for Your kingdom: and Your never-ending mercy:

O my Lord Jesus Christ: O You the Powerful.

You are powerful and honored: there is no other like You:

O my Lord Jesus Christ: You are all-observing.

All-observing Who hearkens: unto us according to Your plan:

O my Lord Jesus Christ: cast us not away from You.

I open my mouth with praise

We know no other but You: in Your Gospel, we trust:

You are the Son of God: confirm us in Your faith.

Confirm us in the faith: and raise us up from idleness:

O my Lord Jesus Christ: Your praise enlightens our soul.

We rejoice with hymn: we chant with psalms:

O my Lord Jesus Christ: Your praise is joy and delight.

Our joy is in Your praise: our splendor is in Your glory:

O my Lord Jesus Christ: to You is due all glory.

I have sinned against You: and have transgressed Your law:

You are justified in Your words: and prevail when you judge.

I open my mouth with praise

Your judgments are true and righteous:

and your mercy is never-ending:

O my Lord Jesus Christ: have mercy on my soul.

I humbled myself before Your glory: and depended on Your words:

O my Lord Jesus Christ: cast me not on Your left-hand.

On Your left-hand cast me not: with the evil people:

I ask You to accept me: as You accepted the tax collector.

I cry out as the tax collector: with a broken heart:

O Lord forgive my sins: for Your servant is a sinner.

The sin is of my nature: and Your nature is goodness:

there is no slave without sin: nor a Master without forgiveness.

I open my mouth with praise

Forgiveness is of You: and Your mercy is endless:

O my Lord Jesus Christ: guide me to do Your will.

I have forgotten Your way: my life is far spent and passed away:

I ask You to accept me: and give me repentance.

Give me repentance and forgiveness: and clean me from my sins:

O my Lord Jesus Christ: forgive all my sins.

My sins have become: a burden unto me:

O my Lord Jesus Christ: purify all my senses.

Your mercy O my God: is great and plenteous:

Your mercy O my God: is numerous.

I open my mouth with praise

Your mercy O my God: is more than the plants of the earth:

Your mercy O my God: is beyond measure.

Your mercy O my God: is plentiful:

Your mercy O my God: is more than the sand of the sea.

Your mercy O my God: is as a fountain of water.

Your mercy O my God: is as living water.

O Lord save my soul: O Lord save me:

O Lord blot out my sins: with Your goodness remember me.

Prayer by St Macrina (the younger)

You have released us, O Lord, from the fear of death. You have made the end of life here on earth beginning of true life for us. You let our bodies rest in sleep in due season and you awaken them again at the sound of the last trumpet. You entrust to the earth our bodies of earth which you fashioned with your own hands and you restore again what you have given, transforming with incorruptibility and grace what is mortal and deformed in us. You redeemed us from the curse and from sin, having become both on our behalf. You have crushed the head of the serpent who had seized man in his jaws because of the abyss of our disobedience. You have opened up for us a path to the resurrection, having broken down the gates of hell and reduced to impotence the one who had power over death. You have given to those who fear You a visible token, the sign of the holy cross, for the destruction of the Adversary and for the protection of our life.

Prayer by St Macrina (the younger)

You who have cut through the flame of the fiery sword and brought to paradise the man who was crucified with You, who entreated your pity, remember me also in Your kingdom, for I too have been crucified with You, for I have nailed my flesh out of reverence for You and have feared Your judgments. Let not the dreadful abyss separate me from your chosen ones. Let not the slanderer stand against me on my journey. Let not my sin be discovered before Your eyes if I have been overcome in any way because of our nature's weakness and have sinned in word or deed or thought. You who have on earth the power to forgive sins, forgive me, so that I may draw breath again and may be found before you in the stripping off of my body without stain or blemish in the beauty of my soul, but may my soul be received blameless and immaculate into Your hands as an incense offering before Your face. Amen.

Silent personal prayers

