

Directions: Join us in praying for these "7 Mountains of Culture", just pick one you are passionate (or are concerned about): Religion (The Church & Israel) Family • Education • Business • Government • Media/Sports/Entertainment/Arts • Military/Law Enforcement/ First Responders

The Religion Mountain

Reflect: *"I have given them the glory you gave me, so that they may be one as we are one. I am in them and you are in me. May they experience such perfect unity that the world will know that you sent me and that you love them as much as you love me." (John 17:22-23, NLT)*

Pray:

- Put aside your personal beliefs, opinions, and politics for a moment to echo Jesus' prayer for unity in the Body of Christ and a passion for the lost.
- Pray for God's love to drive out division in the Church.
- Pray that the love within the Church would inspire and empower every sphere of society to know God.
- Pray that followers of Christ would pray out of an intimate, living relationship with Jesus and boldly share their faith as God leads.
- Pray for the Holy Spirit to stir up a passion for the Word within every follower of Jesus.
- Pray for walls to break down between those of Jewish and Christian faith, and that they will show the God's love to anyone who has a different belief system.

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The Family Mountain

Reflect:

"Unless the Lord builds a house, the work of the builders is wasted.

"Children are a gift from the Lord; they are a reward from him.

Children born to a young man are like arrows in a warrior's hands." (Psalm 127:1 & 3-4, NLT)

Pray:

- Take time to thank God for your family. Release any fears or feelings of control that you have toward your family and trust God with their wellbeing.
- Pray for marriages to be restored. This involves praying for healing in marriages harmed by infidelity, pornography and addictions.
- Pray that your nation will stand for the life of unborn babies.
- Pray for parents to model Godly behavior for their children; that fathers and mothers would step up to fulfill their calling as household leaders.
- Renounce family curses from previous generations and release blessings upon the next generation. Declare that all prodigals are coming home to God and to their families.
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The Education Mountain

Reflect: *"How much better to get wisdom than gold! To get understanding is to be chosen rather than silver." (Proverbs 16:6, KJV)*

"The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom and knowledge of the Holy One is understanding." (Proverbs 9:10, NIV)

Pray:

- Pray for educators to have a Spirit of wisdom and understanding.
- Pray that educators would teach the truth about God.
- Pray that educators would speak destiny and purpose into the children they teach and know how to reach the heart of each student.
- Pray that parents would take authority over what their children are taught
- Pray for godly people to be elected to school boards and that they use wisdom, seeking the Holy Spirit's input for all decisions.
- Pray for the schools in America to have sufficient resources and to be filled with bold followers of Christ, both in the student body and staff.

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The Business Mountain

Reflect: *"Whatever you do, work heartily, as for the Lord and not for men, knowing that from the Lord you will receive the inheritance as your reward. You are serving the Lord Christ." (Colossians 3:23-24, ESV)*

Pray:

- Pray that leaders, workers, and businesses will conduct their business with integrity and for the glory of God.
- Pray for believers in the marketplace to be awakened to their mission. Pray for them to have a revelation of how they can experience and share the presence of God in their daily work.
- Pray for the businesses to be free of corruption and greed. Pray for evil deeds to be exposed and accounted for, so that righteousness can prosper.
- Pray for business leaders to have a biblical view of success. Declare that they will care about their employees, their impact on society, and affect on the surrounding environment, as well as their bottom line.
- Pray for Christians to be empowered with the knowledge, understanding, and wisdom about how to build wealth so that an abundance of resources can be consecrated for the Kingdom of God.

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The Government Mountain

Reflect: *"For the kingdom is the LORD's, And He rules over the nations." (Psalm 22:28, NKJV)*

Pray:

- Declare a holy alignment of the nation's civil laws to God's laws.
- Pray for believers in government to have a sincere, intimate relationship with God. Pray against the fear of man and that they will reverence God.
- Pray for judges and political leaders to make decisions using wisdom, revelation and truth.
- Pray for a spirit of justice and restraint of evil.

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The Military, Law Enforcement & First Responders

Reflect: *"God is a shield to those who walk with integrity; He guards the path of the just and protects those who are faithful to Him." Proverbs 2:7-8 NKJ*

Pray:

- Pray for supernatural protection: physically, emotionally and spiritually.
- Pray for divine wisdom and strategies regarding impending danger and potential volatile situations so they can be diffused easily and quickly, with minimal damage to lives and property.
- Pray for honor and respect of the law (which God made to protect us) and respect for all those enforcing the law.
- Pray for peace for each one and that they will not "take their work home" but leave the trauma and any false responsibility at the feet of Jesus.

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The Media/Sports/Entertainment & Arts Mountain

Reflect: *"How beautiful on the mountains are the feet of those who bring good news, who proclaim peace, who bring good tidings, who proclaim salvation, who say to Zion, 'Your God reigns!'" (Isaiah 52:7, NIV)*

*"Finally, brothers, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence, if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things."
(Philippians 4:8, ESV)*

Pray:

- Pray for truth and integrity to be proclaimed in Media without an exaggeration of the facts or misuse of their place of influence.
- Pray that the media would hold politicians accountable with the truth and honor God.
- Pray for artists to reflect the beauty and truth in the world; that the meditation of their hearts and minds would be on what is true, honorable, just, pure, lovely, commendable, excellent, and praiseworthy things.
- Pray for athletes, artists and entertainers to recognize the divine gift they've been given plus the connections and relationships He's placed in their lives and use them for His glory.
- Renounce the cultural celebration of ungodly values displayed in entertainment. Pray for believers' eyes to be opened to the true spirit behind the entertainment they consume.
- Pray for an increase in movies, television shows, social media, and artwork that are centered on God.

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