

Pleading the Blood of Jesus

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I want to highlight a very powerful prayer that parents of children of any age can use. It's "Pleading the Power of the Blood of Jesus." A woman I met many years ago, who had a direct line to heaven with her own prayers, taught me this prayer and encouraged me to use it. Since my conversation with this holy woman about this prayer, I have said it every day.

Here's how it goes. I say, "I plead the power of the Blood of Jesus over _____." I fill in the blank with the name of each of my children, each son-in-law and daughter-in-law, each grandchild and then my wife and me. I say a separate prayer for each person, like this: "I plead the power of the Blood of Jesus over Laura. I plead the power of the Blood of Jesus over Dan. I plead the power of the Blood of Jesus over Ford..." and so on. This takes a bit of time for me, as I have six married children, one unmarried daughter, and 20 grandchildren.

This prayer is extremely powerful and effective, especially in protecting our children from all kinds of harm. As Christians, we believe that the strongest force in the history of the world is the saving power of the Blood of Jesus. So I strongly encourage all of you to use this prayer for your loved ones every day.

"He [Jesus] entered once for all into the sanctuary, not with the blood of goats and calves but with his own blood, thus obtaining eternal redemption." Hebrews 9:12