

**Those who are in government (law-makers)
and the justice system. Pray for:**

Those in government:

- Wisdom, godly counselors and advisors
- Boldness to change laws to criminalize the purchase of sex
- Truth to reign
- A desire to work in partnership with other sectors (education, health, social services) to eliminate poverty, homelessness and unemployment)

Those in the justice system:

- Justice to be served
- Truth to be revealed in the matters before them.

Proverbs 31:8 - "Speak up for those who cannot speak for themselves, for the rights of all who are destitute. Speak up and judge fairly; defend the rights of the poor and needy."

Exodus 23:6 - "Do not deny justice to your poor people in their lawsuits."

Psalms 106:3 - "Blessed are they who maintain justice, who constantly do what is right."

Isaiah 56:1 a - "This is what the Lord says: Maintain justice and do what is right."

Amos 5:15a - "Hate evil, love good; maintain justice in the courts."



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PRAYER GUIDE

Those who are trafficked and prostituted. Pray for:

- Freedom from the bondage of poverty, homelessness and hopelessness
- Protection from violence and oppression
- Healing in their body, soul and mind (physical, spiritual, and emotional)
- Restoration to their families, friends and community
- Justice

Psalm 146: 7-9 - “He (the Lord) upholds the cause of the oppressed and gives food to the hungry. The Lord sets prisoners free, the Lord gives sight to the blind, the Lord lifts up those who are bowed down, the Lord loves the righteous. The Lord watches over the alien and sustains the fatherless and the widow, but he frustrates the ways of the wicked.”

Psalm 34:18 - “The Lord is close to the brokenhearted and saves those who are crushed in spirit.”

Isaiah 42:3 - “A bruised reed he will not break, and a soldering wick he will not snuff out; in faithfulness he will bring forth justice.”

Psalm 147:3 - “He heals the brokenhearted and binds up their wounds.”

Psalm 9:9 - “The Lord is a refuge for the oppressed, a strong tower in times of trouble.”



Those who are trafficking, pimping, entangled in criminal activity. Pray for:

- Freedom from the bondage of sin (greed, wickedness, sexual immorality, violence)
- Truth to be revealed
- Repentance and turning away from sin
- Justice

1 Cor. 15:34a - “Come back to your senses as you ought, and stop sinning.”

2 Tim. 2:25b – 26 - “..in the hope that God will grant them repentance leading them to a knowledge of truth, and that they will come to their senses and escape from the trap of the devil who has taken them captive to do his will.”

Psalm 34:14 - “Turn from evil and do good; seek peace and pursue it.”

Ezekiel 33:11 - “Say to them, ‘As surely as I live, declares the Sovereign Lord, I take no pleasure in the death of the wicked, but rather that they would turn from their ways and live. Turn! Turn from your evil ways!’”

John 8:32 - “Then you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free.”

Those who are buying sex. Pray for:

- Freedom from the bondage of sexual immorality
- Truth and godly sorrow which leads to repentance
- Restoration to their families
- Reconciliation
- Forgiveness

2 Cor. 7:10 - “Godly sorrow brings repentance that leads to salvation and leaves no regret, but worldly sorrow brings death.”

Proverbs 28:13 - “He who conceals his sins does not prosper, but whoever confesses and renounces them finds mercy.”

Isaiah 1:18 - “Come now, let us reason together, says the Lord. Though your sins are like scarlet, they shall be white as snow, though they are red like crimson, they shall be like wool.”

Jer. 15:19a - “Therefore this is what the Lord says: If you repent, I will restore you that you might serve Me.”