

Devoted to PRAYER

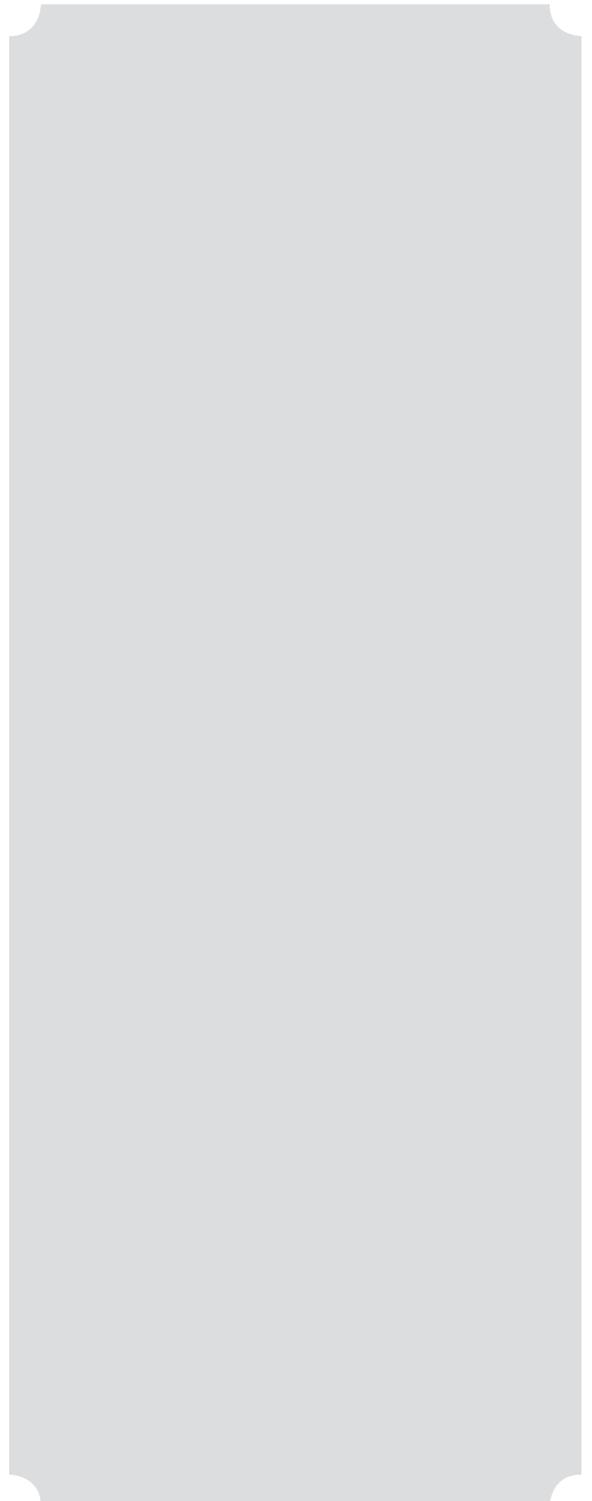
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I. KEY CHARACTERISTICS OF PAUL'S PRISON PRAYERS

- A. Prayer is necessary.
- B. God's power to save is immense.
- C. God's glory is at stake.

II. PHILIPPIANS 1:9-11

- A. Situation in Philippi
 - 1. Already displayed love
 - a) The gift
 - b) The participation in the gospel
 - 2. There were tensions



B. Essence of the prayer

1. That your love would abound in

a) Genuine knowledge

b) Every kind of discernment

C. The expected result

1. That you would approve the things
which are excellent

2. That you would be sincere and
blameless

3. Filled with the fruit of
righteousness

D. Ultimate aim

1. Faith in Christ

2. The glory and praise of God

