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IN NEED OF PRAYER (continued)

(1 Timothy 2:1 – 8)

1. ALL FAMILIES

It's been said, "Strong homes provide for strong congregations."
Pray for the families in our congregation to continue to model that example.

2. WIDOWS / WIDOWERS

(James 1:17) "... visit the fatherless and widows in their afflictions ... "
"Visit" - to care for; to stop by with a purpose; and include them in your prayers.

3. UNMARRIED YOUNG ADULTS

Pray that they find one to marry who is a Christian.
(Amos 3:3) "Can two walk together, unless they are agreed?"
(Ecclesiastes 4:9-10) "Two are better than one ... "

4. MARRIED

- 1) **Newly married** - pray for a great beginning with each other and their walk with God.
- 2) **Old married** - thank God that it lasted and still lasts.
- 3) **Troubled marriages** - pray for troubles to be resolved in Godly fashion..
- 4) **Happy marriages** - thank God for their joy, and thank God for the joy we receive when we observe a happily married couple.
- 5) **Our own marriage** - (1 Peter 3:7) "Husbands, likewise, dwell with them with understanding, giving honor to the wife, as to the weaker vessel, and as being heirs together of the grace of life, that your prayers be not hindered."

We need a show-n-tell love in marriage for prayers to be effective.

5. CHILDREN

(Genesis 17:18-20) "Abraham said to God, **O that Ishmael** might live before Thee ... "
(1 Chronicles 29:18-19) "... and **give to Solomon my son** a perfect heart,
to keep Thy commandments, Thy statutes, Thy testimonies ... "
Let your children hear you call their name in prayer and for them to live Godly.

6. PARENTS - pray that you (all parents) will guide children in paths of righteousness.

Samson's father, Manoah, made this request: (Judges 13:8) "Then Manoah prayed to the Lord, and said, O my Lord, please ... **teach us** what we shall do for the child who will be born."