

# PRAYING FOR THE LOST

## 1. BIND THE SPIRIT THAT BLINDS THE MINDS OF THE LOST.

II. Corinthians 4:4 And even if our gospel is veiled, it is veiled to those who are perishing. The god of this age has blinded the minds of unbelievers, so that they cannot see the light of the gospel of the glory of Christ who is the image of God.

Jesus Christ has given us authority over the evil spirits. Unbelievers are victims of the enemy - they are not the enemy.

Matthew 28:18, Mark 16: 15-20, John 14:12, Luke 10:17-20, Acts 1:8, Acts 9:32-35

John 14:12 I tell you the truth everyone who believes in me will do what I have done. He will do even greater things than these because I'm going to the Father.

John 16:11 The prince of this world now stands condemned.

## 2. IN PRAYER WE LOOSE (ALLOW - OPEN THE DOOR) TO THE SPIRIT OF ADOPTION.

Matthew 16:19 I will give you the keys of the Kingdom of heaven, whatsoever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven and whatsoever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven.

Romans 8:15...you received the Spirit of sonship and by Him we cry" Abba Father".

## 3. LOOSE THE SPIRIT OF WISDOM AND REVELATION. (Revelation simply means it dawns on you, wisdom is to know what to do with what they hear)

Ephesians 1:17 I pray.....that God would give you the spirit of wisdom and revelation that you might know Him better.

Satan has been lying about God to the unbelievers - if they would know the truth about Him and know Him better they would love him too.

## 4. THAT THEY WOULD BE DRAWN TO THE LORD JESUS BY THE FATHER THAT GOD WOULD GRANT THEM REPENTANCE AND WOULD CHOOSE THEM TO BE IN HIS FAMILY.

John 16:8 When He (the Holy Spirit ) comes He will convict the world of sin, and righteousness and judgment. He will bring glory to me John 16:14.

II Timothy 2:25 ...that God would grant them repentance, leading them to the knowledge of the truth. That they would come to their senses and escape from the trap of the devil who has taken them captive to do his will.

Ephesians 2

## 5. THAT THEY WOULD COME INTO POSITIVE RELATIONSHIP WITH HEALTHY CHRISTIANS.