



My Surrender Prayers

These are some of the prayers I love to pray because they are hard prayers, honest prayers, taking me to a place of vulnerability and transparency with God. Try saying them out loud to God!

I am no longer my own, but Thine.
Put me to what Thou wilt, rank me with whom Thou wilt.
Put me to doing, put me to suffering.
Let me be employed for Thee or laid aside for Thee,
Exalted for Thee or brought low for Thee.
Let me be full, let me be empty.
Let me have all things, let me have nothing.
I freely and heartily yield all things to Thy pleasure and disposal.
And now, O glorious and blessed God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit,
Thou art mine, and I am Thine. So be it.
And the covenant which I have made on earth,
Let it be ratified in heaven. Amen.

John Wesley

O God, I have tasted Thy goodness, and it has both satisfied me
and made me thirsty for more.
I am painfully conscious of my need for further grace.
I am ashamed of my lack of desire.
O God, the Triune God, I want to want Thee;
I long to be filled with longing;
I thirst to be made more thirsty still.
Show me Thy glory, I pray Thee, so that I may know Thee indeed.
Begin in mercy a new work of love within me.
Say to my soul, "Rise up my love, my fair one, and come away."
Then give me grace to rise and follow Thee up
from this misty lowland where I have wandered so long.
A.W. Tozer, The Pursuit of God

In willing surrender and passionate longing
let me take [Jesus] to my heart,
that henceforth I may live as He lived,
love as He loved and, following His footsteps,
bring help to the needy, courage to the weak,
comfort to the sorrowing and hope to the lost.
The Incarnation: An Anthology