

 **Praying Scripturally for Children with Special Needs**

**Pray for Student**

**II Chronicles 20:12**—That they would learn to focus on God instead of their circumstances

**Psalm 5:8, I Kings 3:9**—That God would make straight the way before them and help them discern between good and evil

**Psalm 22:24**—That they would learn to cry to the Lord for help and that they would learn that the Lord hears their cries

**Psalm 31:20**—That the Lord would keep them from hearing all the cruel things that their peers might say concerning them

**Psalm 62:8**—That they would pour out their hearts to the Lord

**Psalm 68:19, Psalm 55:22**—That they would learn to daily bring their burdens to God

**Psalm 73:24**—That the Lord’s counsel would guide them

**Psalm 90:12**—That they would be taught by God to spend their day wisely

**Psalm 119:67, 71**—That their afflictions would keep them close to the Lord; that they would be led by Him to help them learn His ways and laws

**Psalm 119:99, Psalm 19:7**—That those children especially with learning problems, would gain wisdom through their study of and meditation on the Word of God

**Psalm 139:7-10**—That they would have an awareness that God is always with them; that this awareness would help them when trying to choose between right and wrong

**Psalm 139:13-15**—That they would know that they are fearfully and wonderfully made and that God’s works are wonderful—He makes no mistakes!

**Proverbs 12:25**—That they would not be weighed down by anxiety

**Proverbs 21:5a, Proverbs 6:6-8, Proverbs 12:27**—That they would learn the reward of diligence

**Isaiah 40:29-31**—That they would not grow faint or weary; that the Lord would renew their strength daily

**Isaiah 43:7**—That they would realize that they were created for God’s glory

**John 9:1-3**—That they would grow to see their disability as a way for God to be displayed and glorified in their lives

**Romans 5:3-4**—That God would build character in their lives through their disability

**Romans 8:18**—That they would have an eternal perspective and not get weighed down by the day to day tasks

**Romans 8:28**—That they would know that all things work together for good to them that love the Lord and are called according to His purpose

**I Corinthians 7:7**—That they would find their own gift in Christ’s body early in life

**II Corinthians 1:3-4**—That they would not be absorbed with their own difficulties; that they would learn to reach out to others with difficulties

**II Corinthians 7:6**—That God would comfort them when they get depressed

**II Corinthians 12:7-10**—That they would dedicate their weaknesses to God as an opportunity to show His strength

**Philippians 4:6-7, I Peter 5:7**—That they would learn not to be anxious, to pray and to bring their requests to God; that they would experience God’s peace, especially before tests

**Philippians 4:8**—That they would learn to focus on the good, true, noble, right, pure and lovely things about themselves and not just their handicap or their disability

**Hebrews 4:15**—That they would know they have a God who can relate to weaknesses

**Hebrews 5:8**—That, like Jesus, they would learn obedience from the things which they have suffered

**James 5:13**—That they would learn to pray when in trouble; that they would learn the power of prayer

**I Peter 5:10**—That the Lord, through their handicap, would make them strong, firm and steadfast

**Promises for Afflicted**

I Chronicles 28:20 Psalm55:22 Isaiah 41:10 Job 5:19

Psalm 81:7a Isaiah 43:2 Psalm 4:1-3 Psalm 126:5

Isaiah 63:8-9 Psalm 27:5 Psalm 129:1-2 Hosea 6:1

Psalm 34:19 Psalm 138:7 Micah 7:8 Psalm 37:23-24

Psalm 146:8 Luke 7:13 Psalm 50:15 Isaiah 25:4a

II Corinthians 1:3-4

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