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Colossians 4:2-6 (NIV)

2 Devote yourselves to prayer, being watchful and thankful. 3 And pray for us, too, that God may open a door for our message, so that we may proclaim the mystery of Christ, for which I am in chains.

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4 Pray that I may proclaim it clearly, as I should. 5 Be wise in the way you act toward outsiders; make the most of every opportunity. 6 Let your conversation be always full of grace, seasoned with salt, so that you may know how to answer everyone.

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- **Be prayerful**
- **Be watchful**
- **Be thankful**
- **Be wise**

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- **Be opportunistic**
- **Be graceful**
- **Be salty**
- **Be ready to answer everyone**

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Start with the heart!



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Proverbs 4:23 (NIV)

Above all else, guard your heart, for everything you do flows from it.



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Proverbs 23:7 (NKJV)

For as he thinks in his heart, so *is* he.



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Luke 6:43-45 NIV

“No good tree bears bad fruit, nor does a bad tree bear good fruit. Each tree is recognized by its own fruit. People do not pick figs from thorn bushes, or grapes from briers.

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A good man brings good things out of the good stored up in his heart, and an evil man brings evil things out of the evil stored up in his heart. For the mouth speaks what the heart is full of.

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Revelation 3:20 (NIV)

20 Here I am! I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears My voice and opens the door, I will come in and eat with that person, and they with Me.

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John 10:10 (NIV)

10 The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy; I have come that they may have life, and have it to the full.

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Jeremiah 6:16 NIV

This is what the Lord says: “Stand at the crossroads and look; ask for the ancient paths, ask where the good way is, and walk in it, and you will find rest for your souls.

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Jeremiah 29:11-14 (NIV)

11 For I know the plans I have for you,” declares the Lord, “plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.

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12 Then you will call on Me and come and pray to Me, and I will listen to you. 13 You will seek Me and find For me when you seek Me with all your heart. 14 I will be found by you,”

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Isaiah 43 (NIV)

**“Do not fear, for I have redeemed you;
I have summoned you by name; you are
mine.**

**2 When you pass through the waters,
I will be with you;
and when you pass through the rivers,
they will not sweep over you.**

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**When you walk through the fire,
you will not be burned;
the flames will not set you ablaze.
3 For I am the Lord your God,
the Holy One of Israel, your Savior;**

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Isaiah 26:3 (NIV)

**You will keep in perfect peace
those whose minds are steadfast,
because they trust in You.**



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Revive:

"return to consciousness; restore to health," from Latin *revivere* "to live again," from *re-* "again" + *vivere* "to live"