Top 3 Ways to pray for people in authority in America

Pray that they be God-fearing and recognize that they are accountable to Him for each decision and action (Prov. 9:10).

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Pray that they be granted wisdom, knowledge, and understanding (James 1:5).



Pray that they be presented with the gospel and a loving Christian witness (Rom. 10:14).

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"A republic, if you can keep it."

— Benjamin Franklin, 1787

The Founders believed that the constitutional framework of the U.S. would be vital. But they also knew, as Franklin famously said, that the citizens of this nascent republic would ultimately be responsible for its success or failure. The American experiment would require the active involvement of citizens who cherished justice and righteousness.

When the righteous are in authority, the people rejoice; but when a wicked man rules, the people groan (Proverbs 29:2).

How are we meeting that challenge today? The evidence shows we've lost our way: the toxicity, violence, and glorification of vices in our society. Our republic is teetering on a cliff of destruction. Many have strayed from the Way, the Truth, and the Life. They have forgotten the biblical values that are the fabric for any healthy nation.

Christians have also lost their way in the public square. Some have coopted their beliefs to conform to the world. Many avoid the messy political arena altogether.

If we want to keep our republic, Christians are needed in every level of government. We know how to keep our republic strong and secure in the hands of the Lord. Let's pray for disarming love and prophetic truth to open the door to spiritual healing and new life for our nation.

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Roy & Betsy Washam South Carolina

Roy and Betsy Washam have been involved with IFA since the early 1980s. But at an IFA election prayer event in 2016, Roy was deeply moved by the power of the unified Body in prayer. From that time, the Washams have been deeply connected to and invested in IFA.



They are committed to praying with other believers, leading a weekly prayer group in their home and leading IFA's SC prayer group. Betsy describes their passion: "Praying with others builds camaraderie and deep relationships when you labor together. That sacrifice in prayer and intercession is really pleasing to the Lord. As we give up our time, He deepens our walk personally and corporately. The time and effort that you give is laying up treasures in heaven."

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