



UnBound Seattle Prayer Guide

James 5:16 says that the “prayer of a righteous person is powerful and effective.” Thank you for praying with us and wielding one of the most powerful weapons we have in the fight against trafficking.

When you pray alone, pray about each point or points that stand out to you. Commit to pray over this list consistently. Jesus also says in Matthew 18:20 that where two or three are gathered in His name, there He is. If you want to host a prayer meeting, gather a few people and spend time praying out loud for the points above. Take turns praying for the points above. Choose a few or choose all of them and simply ask for God to move.

Local:

- Local legislation would be passed that protects and helps restore victims
- Demand Reduction -- The demand for buying young girls and women would cease and that buyers of sex in Seattle would live in sexual purity
- Community mobilization -- The public at large would become aware of the issue and choose to do something impactful to fight it
- UnBound prevention programs would be impactful in seeing youth stay out of sex trafficking
- The Hope House -- Incredible transformations for women of The Hope House and more than enough funding
- Blessing for other organizations in Seattle fighting trafficking like REST, OPS, Genesis Project
- That churches in Seattle would be the hope of Seattle regarding this issue

National:

- National legislation would be passed that helps victims and prosecutes/rehabilitates buyers and traffickers
- Awareness of influential people regarding the issue
- An increase in public awareness that leads to action
- The demand for purchased sex would be stopped and men would live in purity
- More resources for survivors, especially housing and vocational rehabilitation
- Traffickers of humans for labor or sex would be cut off and that the lives of traffickers would also be restored
- People in our country would receive the resources they need so that individuals' vulnerabilities to sex trafficking no longer exist

International:

- The individual lives of the 45.8 million enslaved (statistic from the Global Slavery Index, 2016) would be restored and that each person in slavery would find complete freedom
- That the refugees in crisis would not fall into hands of exploiters but would find the true help they need
- Vulnerable populations in the world would be helped instead of exploited
- God's heart for justice would be enacted worldwide. “Is not this the fast that I choose: to loose the bonds of wickedness, to undo the straps of the yoke, to let the oppressed go free, and to break every yoke?” (Isaiah 58:6)
- Corrupt governments around the world would be righted and world leaders would disallow exploitation