## Prayer Topic #5:

A Prayer for People Who are Transitioning or Who Need to Transition to Another Job

## Scripture Reading:

Psalm 1. Il Corinthians 4:8-18

## **Reflections of the Heart**:

Transition is a necessary part of life. But sometimes transitions comes at a time when we least expect them. Take heart and know that even it you must endure a process, God will lead You to your place called "there". Stay focused on Him and You can't help be victorious!

## Scriptural Prayer:

Divine Father, thank You for the Holy Spirit who guides us into all truth. You have provided us with gainful employment, and bridged every gap when we have been underemployed or unemployed. Our hearts become lighter just knowing that no matter what the job market looks like, we don't have to fear. We know that we have the favor of our God working on our behalf. Thank You for Your favor, Lord! Thank You for already going before us, making the crooked places straight. You have sustained us and supplied all of our needs from Your glorious riches, which have been given to us in Christ Jesus. You have honored Your every word to us. For this, we give honor You and give You our grateful praise.

Glorious Father, we know that You take pleasure in the prosperity of Your servants. Therefore, as they seek new and better job positions, their path grows brighter and brighter. We cover our brothers and sisters who are transitioning into a new job position and those who are seeking better jobs with believing prayer. We confess that they will not launch out impulsively, but they will remain calm and confident. They will proceed with their job search in wisdom; understanding that You are good to those who depend on You and to those who search for You. If the wait seems long, they will not yield to fear and anxiety. We decree that they will never let loyalty and kindness leave them. They will tie them around their necks as a reminder, and write them deep within their hearts. Then they will find favor with both You and men, and they will earn a good reputation. With that good reputation, they will excel and be brought to the attention of those are in position to help them get to the next level You have in store for them.

| If you know someone who is unemployed or who wants new employment, write down their names and include them in this prayer: |  |  |  |  |  |  |              |             |  |
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Holy Spirit, help those who are preparing to transition to release any negative thoughts or habits caused by past experiences. May they begin again with a clean heart and mind. Lead them to the right people who can help them with whatever they will need to go from good to great. For those who are not where they would like to be, give them patience and help them to endure with a peaceful spirit until their season comes. Given them discernment to know when You are ready for them to move forward. For those who are already about to make the next step into a new position, give them even greater capacity to receive instruction and remind them of the purpose for their transition. Lord, increase them in character, ability, and knowledge. Let them stand out as true witnesses for Christ in the workplace.

Almighty Father, forgive those people who demonstrate a poor work ethic. Forgive those who have used manipulation or deception to help them get what they want. Forgive those who refuse to accept Your will over their own. Forgive those who hold unforgiveness in their hearts toward past or present employers and/or coworkers. Lord, forgive me for (list any sins that You have committed). Holy Spirit, remind those people who are transitioning into new employment of those they need to forgive and help them to be quick to forgive. As for me, Holy Spirit, bring to my remembrance those I need to forgive. (Take a moment and ask the Holy Spirit to

show You names or faces of people that You may need to forgive. As He shows You, say aloud, "Iforgive name of person(s)." Now, trust the Lord to heal any wounds in Your soul caused by unforgiveness.)

Divine Father, help them not to yield to temptation; but deliver them from the evil one.

Worthy Father, Your eternal word stands firm in heaven. Your faithfulness extends to every generation, as enduring as the earth You created. Your regulations remain true to this day, for everything serves Your plans. Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and strength belong to You forever and ever! In Jesus' Name, amen.

| Scripture References for the Written Text: John 16:13, Isaiah 45:2 (NKJV), Ph | ilippians 4:19, | Psalm 35:27 |
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| (NKJV), Lamentations 3:25, Matthew 6:13, Psalm 119:89-91, Revelation 7:12     |                 |             |
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| Today I will trust God to:  |                 |             |
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