

The Believer and His Prayer Life and Witness

Colossians 04:02–06

1 *Pray and continue in prayer*

- a. Persevere in prayer
- b. Watch in prayer
- c. Pray with thanksgiving
- d. Pray for others,
in particular for their ministries
— be an intercessor

2 *Walk wisely before people who are without Christ*

3 *Speak with grace — answering and sharing what it is that makes your life different*

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.

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.