



Scripture and Prayers for Women Walking Through Cancer

Carried Through Cancer
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Day 22

"You will never wash my feet," Peter said. Jesus replied, "If I don't wash you, you have no part with me." Simon Peter said to him, "Lord, not only my feet, but also my hands and my head."

JOHN 13:8–9

PRAYER: Dear Father, Thank you for giving us an example of serving and being served in the story of Jesus washing Peter's feet. In my sinful nature I want to be self-sufficient. Help me humble myself to receive help from others, knowing it is what you want, and that by serving me, others are blessed. *Amen.*

Day 4

"Turn, Lord! Rescue me; save me because of your faithful love. . . . I am weary from my groaning; with my tears I dampen my bed and drench my couch every night."

PSALM 6:4, 6

PRAYER: Dear Father, Thank you that I can lament to you. Help me lay my anguish at your feet knowing you are big enough and loving enough to take it and to comfort me with your presence, even when you don't take the pain away. *Amen.*

Day 34

"Commit your activities to the Lord, and your plans will be established."

PROVERBS 16:3

PRAYER: Dear Father, Thank you that it's okay for me to say no to some good things in order to have the time and energy to do the more important things you have for me. Help me seek your strength as a caregiver, and lead me to the things you want me to do and away from the things you don't. *Amen.*

Day 11

"The Lord is the one who will go before you. He will be with you; he will not leave you or abandon you. Do not be afraid or discouraged."

DEUTERONOMY 31:8

PRAYER: Dear Father, Thank you that you not only come alongside us in our hard circumstances but you also prepare us in advance. You are faithful to prepare me for roads I would never choose to travel on my own. Give me the eyes to see your provision, and give me peace for the journey. *Amen.*

Day 46

"Now we have this treasure in clay jars, so that this extraordinary power may be from God and not from us. We are afflicted in every way but not crushed; we are perplexed but not in despair; we are persecuted but not abandoned; we are struck down but not destroyed."

2 CORINTHIANS 4:7–9

PRAYER: Dear Father, Thank you that we can have joy regardless of our circumstances. Help me choose joy in the hard things so that I can live life to the full and so others can see that you are good, even when life is not. *Amen.*