

maranatha

A Prayer

From This Moment



Lord,
I do not know
why I am
as I am,
I do not understand
the reasons
for my condition
and how I feel
this moment.
But now,
as an act
of my will,
I give you
my discomfort
I give you my concerns
I give you
my insecurity
I give you
my fears.
I declare
before you
my belief
that You
are gladly
receiving them,
freeing me
from them.
You want me
to give them
to You,
holding nothing back.

I declare before You
my belief
that You want
to receive
my praises – now
that You want
to receive
my love – now
that You want
to receive
my trust – now.
I believe
You are
at the centre

of my situation,
at the centre
of my life.
I believe
You are present
now.
I believe
You are speaking
now.
I believe
Your hand
is upon me
now.
I believe
You want me
to respond
to your presence,
to your touch,
to your words.
I believe
that You yearn for
me to declare
my love
for You,
my faith
in You,
my hope
in You.
I believe
You are waiting
for my yes
to all the promises
You have made
for me
and to me.

And so
I say yes
to Your promise
of wholeness.
I say yes
to Your promise
of confidence.
I say yes
to Your promise
of vitality.

I say yes
to Your promise
of life
in all its
abundance.

From this moment
I will keep
my eyes
fixed on You,
alone
– none other.
From this moment
I will let You
have Your way
with me.
I will allow You
to use
my present,
my past
and my future
for Your glory.
Although
I do not deserve it
I claim
the riches
of Your grace,
and of Your healing
in the mighty name of
Jesus
– the One
to whom
nothing
is impossible,
my Lord
my Saviour
my all in all.

Amen

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