

# Pray For Non-Believers

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“Brothers, my heart’s desire and prayer to God for them is that they may be saved.”

ROMANS 10:1

In Romans 10, Paul is expressing his heart and prayer for his fellow countrymen, the nation of Israel, to come to a saving relationship with Jesus Christ. It’s a wonderful look into the heart of a follower of Jesus who had a great love for the lost, which ultimately comes from the love of God.

This is also a great pattern for us as we look at praying for those in our lives that don’t know Christ. A question that I like to regularly ask myself is, how often do I pray for the lost, and are my prayers full of compassion and love? Paul says that it is his heart’s desire to see the lost come to know Christ.

This brings us to a great point of application today: who are you praying for that doesn’t know Jesus? Are you praying for God to grow your heart for the lost? How often do our hearts break for those who are living as enemies of Christ? Let’s be a church that is moved to compassion and prayer as we engage each day with the world around us.