

## YOUNG ADULT PRAYER

### HURRAINE HARVEY

**Introduction:** Dear Lord, we thank you for all that you have given to us and taken away from us during the Tropical Storm Harvey. As Young Adults through this prayer we unite with those who are affected, and we ask that you help us recognize our gifts to share with others.

**Bible:** Matthew 19:20-21; 29-30

The young man said to him, "All of these I have observed. What do I still lack?" Jesus said to him, "If you wish to be perfect, go, and sell what you have and give to [the] poor, and you will have treasure in heaven. Then come, follow me." And everyone who has given up houses or brothers or sisters or father or mother or children or lands for the sake of my name will receive a hundred times more, and will inherit eternal life. But many who are first will be last, and the last will be first.

#### **Silent Meditation:**

1. Do you recognize what gifts God has given you that you can use during this recovery time?
2. Have you offered up your losses to God?

#### **Intercessions:**

1. We would like to pray for all those families affected by the storm. **Jesus we trust in you.**
2. We would like to pray for all young adults who are enduring this alone away from their countries or families. **Jesus we trust in you.**
3. We would like to pray for the young adults who are volunteering for the Lord to give them strength. **Jesus we trust in you.**
4. We thank you God for the opportunity to be united with others and the opportunity to build community. **Jesus we trust in you.**
5. Thank you for all the organizations that are collaborating to bring relief. **Jesus we trust in you.**
6. We pray for all those around the world who are also suffering due to natural disasters. (You may add other intercessions here) **Jesus we trust in you.**

#### **Our Father Prayer**

**Conclusion:** Lord, during this difficult moment we recognize that we need to be united with our fellow brothers and sisters. Through the intercession of our Lady of Guadalupe and in the name of Jesus we ask for strength, patience and love. Amen.

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