

## A Prayer for Marriage

Heavenly Father,  
through the intercession of the Holy Family,

Help us treasure the gift of marriage that  
reflects the love of Christ for the Church,  
where the self-giving love  
of husband and wife  
unites them more perfectly and  
cooperates in your plan for  
new life created in your image.

Help us support men and women  
in their vocation of marriage,  
especially in difficult times when  
they join their sufferings to Christ on the Cross.

Help us uphold the institution of marriage  
in our society as the place where  
love is nurtured and family life begins.

Help us acknowledge that our future  
depends on this love and on your  
providential care for us. Amen

*Please pray daily for the vocation of marriage.*

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