

# PRAY ONE MILLION

May I be candid with you? There's been a lot of clamor lately—in the news, in the church—and sometimes I find myself so distracted by the clamor that I forget—I'm embarrassed to admit—I forget about our mission to reach every man, woman and child for Jesus in this home division that we love. That's why I'm grateful for this new prayer initiative our leaders are calling us to—this new and renewed focus on reaching lost people.



I love this idea of challenging ourselves—members and leaders alike—to devote a minute a day in earnest intercession for one lost soul—a neighbor, a colleague, a child, a friend, a stranger even—somebody who desperately needs to know God and discover a forever friendship with Him.

Imagine it—if even half our members prayed for only one lost soul a day for one minute—every 3 – 4 months there would be a million hours of intercessory praying on behalf of lost people in North America alone! Wow.

And why not? Has there ever been a more critical time, a more opportune time in history to unite in one simple, single passion—praying for the salvation of the lost people we know?



You say, “Come on, Dwight, one minute—please—are you serious?” Why not? Who knows? Maybe a minute will grow to two, and a list of one becomes a list of five. The unassailable point is that it is HIGH time that we DEVOTE time—concentrated PRAYER time—in petitioning God to help us fulfill the mission He has entrusted to us.

A mission that HAS to begin with praying. Prayer isn’t the only piece in our strategy. But it is the only FIRST piece that can move the arm of Heaven to intervene on a continent and a society so lost and so desperately in need of Christ.

So please ... would you join me ... as Seventh-day Adventists in North America ... let us join our forces and unite our prayers over what we can all agree on—Calvary’s passion to seek and save the lost. Because surely, the sound of united prayer is the clamor God’s been waiting for.

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