### WATCHMEN ON THE WALL

# Prayer Guide for Lesson 2 (NIV unless noted)

### **WATCHING GOD**

Lord God Almighty, help me to watch You...to keep my eyes fixed upon You...and to worship You for all that You are!

### Habakkuk 2:1

I will stand at my watch and station myself on the ramparts; I will look to see what he will say to me, and what answer I am to give to this complaint.

### Psalm 59:9

You are my strength, I watch for you; you, God, are my fortress...

### Micah 7:7

But as for me, I watch in hope for the LORD, I wait for God my Savior; my God will hear me.

### WATCH WHAT IS HAPPENING AROUND YOU

Lord Jesus, help me to watch the nations and all that You are doing around me.

#### Habakkuk 1:5

"Look at the nations and watch – and be utterly amazed. For I am going to do something in your days that you would not believe, even if you were told."

#### Matthew 24:42

"Therefore keep watch, because you do not know on what your Lord will come."

### Mark 13:34-37

"It's like a man going away: He leaves his house and puts his servants in charge, each with his assigned task, and tells the one at the door to keep watch. Therefore keep watch because you do not know when the owner of the house will come back – whether in the evening, or at midnight, or when the rooster crows, or at dawn. If he comes suddenly, do not let him find you sleeping. What I say to you, I say to everyone: 'Watch!'"

### Matthew 26:38-41

"Then He said to them, 'My soul is overwhelmed with sorrow to the point of death. Stay here and keep watch with Me.' Going a little farther, He fell with His face to the ground and prayed, 'My Father, if it is possible, may this cup be taken from Me. Yet not as I will, but as You will.' Then He returned to His disciples and found them sleeping. 'Could you men not keep watch with Me for one hour?' He asked Peter. 'Watch and pray so that you will not fall into temptation. The spirit is willing, but the body is weak."

### • Deuteronomy 4:9

"Only be careful, and watch yourselves closely so that you do not forget the things your eyes have seen or let them slip from your heart as long as you live. Teach them to your children and to their children after them."

### • 1 Peter 4:7 (NKJV)

But the end of all things is at hand; therefore be serious and watchful in your prayers.

### Isaiah 52:8

Listen! Your watchmen lift up their voices; together they shout for joy. When the LORD returns to Zion, they will see it with their own eyes.

### **GOD IS A WATCHER**

Father, help me to watch WITH You and to see through Your eyes.

### Genesis 28:15

"I am with you and will watch over you wherever you go, and I will bring you back to this land. I will not leave you until I have done what I have promised you."

### • Ezekiel 22:30

"I looked for someone among them who would build up the wall and stand before me in the gap on behalf of the land so I would not have to destroy it, but I found no one."

### Psalm 66:7

"He rules forever by his power, his eyes watch the nations—let not the rebellious rise up against him."

### Psalm 121:7-8

"The LORD will keep you from all harm—he will watch over your life; the LORD will watch over your coming and going both now and forevermore."

### Psalm 141:3

"Set a guard over my mouth, LORD; keep watch over the door of my lips."

### Proverbs 15:3

"The eyes of the LORD are everywhere, keeping watch on the wicked and the good."

### • Jeremiah 1:12

"The LORD said to me, "You have seen correctly, for I am watching[a] to see that my word is fulfilled."

## • Psalm 32:8

"I will instruct you and teach you in the way you should go; I will counsel you with my loving eye on you."