

Praying For The Brain

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Session #1

Jesus is supreme is over all situations, including issues of the brain.

“For by Him all things were created: things in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or powers or rulers or authorities; all things were created by Him and for Him. He is before all things, and in Him all things hold together” (Colossians 1:16-17).

“ I have come that you may have life and have it to the full” (John 10:10b)

In praying for the brain the Christian community has frequently failed to act on the concept of the supremacy of Christ. Consequently medicine and psychology are the first place most people turn to when they find a problem in their learning.

Our brain was designed by God.

“ For You created my inmost being; You knit me together in my mothers womb. I praise You because I am fearfully and wonderfully made; Your works are wonderful” (Psalm 139:13-14).

We are in awe of the brain God created!

Prayer Targets:

- Command in Jesus name that the neurons be conformed to the way the Father created them and that all damage be healed.
- Ask the Lord to heal the dendrites and in Jesus name command them to function normally.
- Using the authority of Jesus, command all neuron and dendrite misfiring to cease.

- In Jesus name command the synapses and axons to perform they way they were created.
- In Jesus name command the brain chemistry to rebalanced to the way the Father created it to be.
- Ask Jesus to expand the window of opportunity for learning:
 - Motor Development
 - Emotional Control
 - Vocabulary
 - Language
 - Math/ Logic
 - Instrumental Music

Brainstem

Location: in the high neck area - the lower extension of the brain where it connects to the spinal cord. Functions of the brainstem include those necessary for survival (breathing, digestion, heart rate, blood pressure, arousal/being awake and alert).

The brainstem is the pathway for all fiber tracts passing up and down the back and brain etc.

Suggested Prayer Targets

- Increased efficiency of nerve function/ Pray for faster speed of processing with fewer errors.
- Increase of spiritual heart rate/ passion for Christ
- Blood pressure- that the person would never feel pressured by life
- Breathing- For the “ruach” breath of the Holy Spirit to become an automatic part of the person’s spiritual life.
- Digestion- Pray for the ability to supernaturally automatically digest the word of God.
- Pray for God to create a super highway in this part of the brain for His communications.

Cerebellum

Location: sits at the top of spinal column. Place hand between the ears in back of head/ or on right side behind ear. The Lord will tell you which position to use. Function: responsible for learned rote movements/ tying shoes/ playing the piano/ hitting a tennis ball/ brushing teeth etc.

Suggested Prayer Targets

- That every mental movement would be towards Jesus
- Ask the Holy Spirit to clean out any rote habits that reduce the Lord's ability to talk with you.
- Ask the Lord to take all the person's "hot buttons" away (automatic anger responses)
- Ask Jesus to remove all false signals and negative self-talk.

Occipital Lobes

Location: one hand width above cerebellum right side. Function: processes images from the eyes, links information stored with images stored in memory, memory of visual things seen.

Suggested Prayer Targets

- That Jesus would filter and screen all incoming visual information. Ask Jesus to filter the unholy information coming in and to throw it away.
- Pray for healing of visual images the person has seen in the past (ungodly images)
- Pray for increased speed of visual processing
- That the person would have the permanent visual image of the Lord high and lifted up.
- Isaiah 6:1 "In the year King Uzziah died I saw the Lord sitting on a throne, high and lifted up, and the train of His robe filled the temple."
- Pray that this image would always be in process (the train of his robe getting longer etc.)
- Cleanse the optic nerve from demonic influence
- Lord may we see at the speed of light, clear vision of your kingdom without distortions.

Praying Life Into My Mind and Brain

In Jesus name, I declare that Satan will not be renting space in my brain any longer (Psalm 107:2: Colossians 1:13).

In Jesus name, I declare that I am a new creature and that my mind and brain are being renewed daily. I welcome this renewal! (2 Corinthians 5:17, Romans 12:1).

In Jesus name I agree that I will not panic when my brain makes a mistake. I declare that in terms of learning my future will not be like my past (Ephesians 6:10 2 Corinthians 4:18).

In Jesus name, I break, shatter, and destroy the lie that says I will always have difficulty with learning (1Peter 2:24).

Lord Jesus I ask you to take control over my brain and help me to be continuously led by your Holy Spirit (Romans 8:14).

I agree to use my brain to bless the Lord at all times, continually praising the Lord in my daily activities (Psalm 34:1).

Lord Jesus I ask you to put your hand on my brain and bless it with all spiritual blessings (Ephesians 1:3)

In Jesus name I declare that my mind and brain are strong in the Lord and in the power of his might (Ephesians 6:10).