

ANOINTING PRAYER (NOT WITHOUT YOU)

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God enables you to stand firm for Christ-- **God has ANOINTED you**,
Paul told dedicated Christ-followers in 2nd Corinthians 1:21 (paraphrase).
This fervent prayer song for anointing includes God's Words that are still
applicable in this 21st century.

"VERSES" = music of the chorus during scripture readings about Anointing.

1

FIRST JOHN 2, VERSE 20 and 27 to 27

But you have an anointing from the Holy One, and you know all things....
And this is the promise that He has promised us--eternal life.
These things I have written to you concerning **those who try to deceive you**. But the
anointing which you have received from Him abides in you,
and you do not need that anyone teach you;
but as *the same anointing teaches you concerning all things, and is true*,
and is not a lie, and just as it *has* taught you, **you will abide in Him**.

PRAYER SONG

I don't want to "BE" without You,
I don't want to BREATHE without You,
I don't want to DO a thing without YOU, GOD, as my Guide.

If I were a perfect genius,
if I had skills to do anything, ANY thing,
if people loved me just the way I am,
Still I would choose YOU, God!

Still I would pray, "Anoint me, Lord!"

Please anoint me to spread Your Word and **give You joy, through me**.

God I humbly pray for anointing. I don't
want to serve You without You..... You
deserve only the Best, dear God! PLEASE

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2

2nd Corinthians 1 verse 21 New Living Translation

It is God who enables us, along with you, to stand firm for Christ. He has commissioned us....

2nd Corin. 1 verse 21 New International Version

Now it is God who makes both us and you stand firm in Christ. He anointed us....

2nd Corin. 1 verse 21 English Standard Version

(c2001, c2007 by Crossway Bible, Good News Publishers):

"And it is God Who establishes us with you in **Christ**, and has anointed us..."

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2nd Corinthians 1 verses 21 and 22

Now it is God who makes both us and you stand firm in Christ.
He **anointed** us, set His **seal** of ownership on us, and
put His Spirit IN our hearts as a deposit, guaranteeing what is to come.

Song Story. *The song was inspired by the obvious... an
urgent, fervent, ongoing prayer, __
spurred by a nightmare _ I won't yet share, __
music was gifted by God within minutes... a
beautiful song gift from Him.... for us all.*

The song was also inspired by the sad realization that once again, God had not opened up to me a place to serve Him in a worship band... and yet the humble if not glad realization that I could easily convince some worship place to invite me to play -- but I most assuredly did not want to be any place that God Himself had not opened up.

Abraham was indeed God's friend, someone who deeply loved God. But today's 21st Century political situations are greatly impacted by the fact that Abraham had waited so long for God to open up Sarah's womb that he -- Abraham-- decided with his human intellect to stop waiting. Deciding that God was waiting for him to "help God out."

It's so easy for any of us to do the same, serving God with much LOVE and RESPECT for God, **yet not waiting for God's anointing upon us -- God's consecration or commissioning, as some Bible versions translate $\chi\rho\iota\omega$ (**chriō**) for "anointed."** Not just alone but also together, LET US UNITE IN THIS PRAYER: *Lord God, help us YOUR CHURCH ALSO, to obey Psalm 46:10... to WAIT until YOU decide whether to anoint us for the ministry that it seems to us we'd so much love to serve You with.*