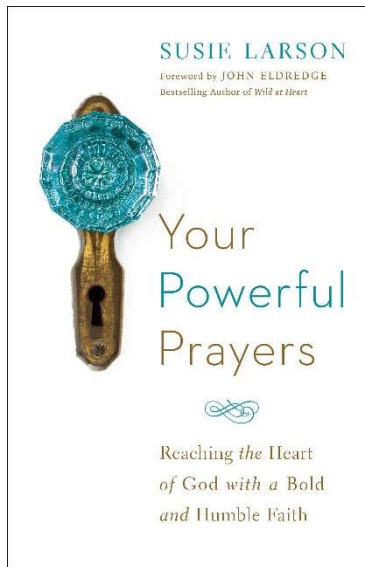


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LEARNING TO PRAY WITH EXPECTANCY IN 2018

DISCOVERING POWERFUL PRAYER WITH RADIO HOST AND AUTHOR SUSIE LARSON



Bloomington, MN — Susie Larson remembers praying as a child, hiding under her blankets, unsure of God’s protection. Today, Susie hosts a radio talk show and encourages listeners to trust God’s promises. *How did a fearful young girl become a confident woman of faith and prayer?* Susie explains that everything changed as she discovered she was deeply loved by God.

As this new year begins, Susie Larson invites Christians to pray with expectancy—as beloved heirs of God with access to the Father’s presence, promises and power. Her latest book, ***Your Powerful Prayers***, guides readers into a new season of faith-filled prayers.

“Do we want to be powerful in prayer?” Susie asks in her latest book. “Then we must spend our lives learning to accept and embrace how fiercely God loves us. Do we long for our souls to be filled with the fullness of God – spilling over with grace, insight and power? It can happen. Jesus says so. Here’s the answer: get to know his love.”

Your Powerful Prayers: Reaching the Heart of God with a Bold and Humble Faith (Bethany House, a division of Baker Books) invites readers to a deeper, more intimate walk with Jesus, and into a bolder and braver prayer life. Susie also shares stories of how she personally learned to pray relentlessly: for sons who had wandered from faith, for impossible physical healing, and for faith in God’s promises when all seemed lost.

Susie recounts stories from scripture (Naomi and Ruth, Hannah and Samuel, more) to illustrate how God cares for his own and responds to their prayers. Rather than staying stuck in their circumstances or just focusing on relief from their problems, Susie invites readers to discover the presence, purpose and provision of a Good Father.

Susie Larson is available for interview and eager to share what she has learned about prayer, including:

- Bored with Prayer? New Ways to Pray in 2018
- The Prayer God Finds Irresistible
- 3 Questions to Ask When Disappointment Paralyzes Your Prayers
- Praying for Your Prodigal
- Blow the Roof Off Your Prayers: Make Scripture the Center of Your Prayer Life
- Praying with Humility – and Against Shame
- My Mid-Life Prayer Crisis
- What Happened When I Prayed for Physical Healing

Your Powerful Prayers is ideal for personal or group study. Each chapter concludes with a blessing, a scripture reading, a prayer, and questions for reflection. Also available are a *Your Powerful Prayers* DVD, featuring six 30-minute teaching sessions with Susie, and a free downloadable *Your Powerful Prayers* workbook.

Susie Larson's first creative devotional project, ***Bountiful Blessings*** (Bethany House) will release in January 2018. These interactive, artistic blessings can provide a focal point for one's prayer or devotional time.



Susie Larson is a popular radio show talk host, national speaker and author of fifteen books. Susie has a passion to see women and men everywhere strengthened in their faith and mobilized to live out their high calling in Jesus Christ. Susie and her husband Kevin live near Minneapolis, Minnesota. More at www.SusieLarson.com.

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