



Let Us Pray

In the name of the Creator God,
and of Jesus Christ,
and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

THE ELEVENTH STEP

Turn your heart toward God.

I turn my heart to you, O God,

and recognize the gift of this day.

I am about to enter a difficult step on this journey

and I now need your help as never before.

For I seek to change my habits and lifestyle

to more accurately reflect my own faith

and to more fairly make use of the earth's resources.

I know this means a difficult change,

a reduction in my own consumption

and the willingness to share what I have with others.

Pause to think over the possible ways you could reduce your consumption.

This is no easy task, O God,

because old habits die hard.

Because of this, I seek your help

to have a willing heart

willing hands,

and a willing spirit.

For I know that the pathway to human happiness

consists in a simpler life.

Amen.

Now turn to the eleventh step and continue your journey.