

# Stephen's Dying Prayer

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As Stephen was being stoned, he prayed two prayers—first committing his spirit to Jesus, then asking forgiveness for his murderers, echoing Christ's words on the cross.

## Key Verses

### **Acts 7:59-60**

And they stoned Stephen, calling upon God, and saying, Lord Jesus, receive my spirit. And he kneeled down, and cried with a loud voice, Lord, lay not this sin to their charge. And when he had said this, he fell asleep.

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