

Prayer Pt. 2

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1. How to pray.

- **CONFESS first.**

Therefore, confess your sins to one another, and pray for one another so that you may be healed. The effective prayer of a righteous man can accomplish much. James 5:16 (NASB)

If I regard wickedness in my heart, The Lord will not hear; Psalm 66:18 (NASB)

- **Pray in JESUS NAME.**

"Whatever you ask in My name, that will I do, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. ¹⁴ "If you ask Me anything in My name, I will do it. John 14:13-14 (NASB)

- **Be THANKFUL and HUMBLE.**

Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. Philippians 4:6 (NASB)

O LORD, You have heard the desire of the humble; You will strengthen their heart, You will incline Your ear.

Psalm 10:17 (NASB)

2. What to pray for?

- **WISDOM**

But if any of you lacks wisdom, let him ask of God, who gives to all generously and without reproach, and it will be given to him.

James 1:5 (NASB)

- **ENEMIES**

"But I say to you, love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you, Matthew 5:44 (NASB)

- **LEADERS**

First of all, then, I urge that entreaties and prayers, petitions and thanksgivings, be made on behalf of all men, ² for kings and all who are in authority, so that we may lead a tranquil and quiet life in all godliness and dignity. 1 Timothy 2:1-2 (NASB)

- **OTHERS**

With all prayer and petition pray at all times in the Spirit, and with this in view, be on the alert with all perseverance and petition for all the saints, Ephesians 6:18 (NASB)

- **What ever is on your HEART**

This is the confidence which we have before Him, that, if we ask anything according to His will, He hears us. ¹⁵ And if we know that He hears us in whatever we ask, we know that we have the requests which we have asked from Him.

1 John 5:14-15 (NASB)

3. Pray all the TIME.

Rejoice always; ¹⁷ pray without ceasing; ¹⁸ in everything give thanks; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus.

1 Thessalonians 5:16-18 (NASB)

4. BELIEVE.

"Therefore I say to you, all things for which you pray and ask, believe that you have received them, and they will be granted you. Mark 11:24 (NASB)

Prayer is more than talking to God it is also LISTENING.