

I need Prayer

Defining Prayer:

What is prayer in the Bible?

Prayer in the Bible is how believers of God talk to him.

It's how they make their praise and requests known.

The Scriptures are filled with beautiful examples of people crying out to God and asking for his strength, guidance, healing and more.

As a Christian, I can learn from the prayers in the Bible.

They can encourage me as I read answered prayers and give me hope that God truly does hear my prayers.

This leads to what is the purpose of prayer is.

If we don't understand the purpose of prayer in the Bible, how can we understand the purpose of prayer in our own life?

The Purpose of Prayer for Christians

The purpose of prayer in the Bible is to make your praise or request known to God.

Through prayer, men and women of God were able to ask Him for deliverance, mercy, healing, and miracles.

The reason Christians pray today is for the same reasons why people prayed in the Bible:

to speak to God and ask for healing, forgiveness, and direction.

Praying is how Christians grow a deeper relationship with Christ and how they know the direction he wants their life to go in.

Jeremiah 33:3

Call to Me, and I will answer you, and show you great and mighty things, which you do not know.

Prayer of Faith

A prayer of faith means you pray having faith God hears you and will do what is best in the situation.

No matter how big or small the prayer you can pray with faith.

This is easier said than done when we come face to face while trials, but you can hold on to the truth that God is listening to your prayers.

He sees you in the midst of your heartache and is still with you.

He will never leave you or forsake you!

And whatever you ask in prayer, you will receive, if you have faith.

Matthew 21:22

Prayer of Petition

A prayer of petition is making a request to God.

You can pray for anything you may need or someone you know needs.

Ideas of what you can pray for:

Health

Healing

Work

Peace

Relationships

Strength

Wisdom

Don't be afraid to speak your needs to God, He is waiting to hear your voice.

He longs for you to pray to Him and lay your cares and worries at His feet and admit you need Him!

Philippians 4:6

Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God.

Matthew 6:5-15

Prayer⁵ “And when you pray, do not be like the hypocrites, for they love to pray standing in the synagogues and on the street corners to be seen by others. Truly I tell you, they have received their reward in full.

⁶But when you pray, go into your room, close the door and pray to your Father, who is unseen. Then your Father, who sees what is done in secret, will reward you.

⁷And when you pray, do not keep on babbling like pagans, for they think they will be heard because of their many words.

⁸Do not be like them, for your Father knows what you need before you ask him.

⁹ “This, then, is how you should pray: “Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name,

¹⁰ your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

¹¹ Give us today our daily bread.

¹² And forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors.¹

¹³ And lead us not into temptation,^[a] but deliver us from the evil one.^[b]

¹⁴ For if you forgive other people when they sin against you, your heavenly Father will also forgive you.

¹⁵ But if you do not forgive others their sins, your Father will not forgive your sins.

**** Verse 6: When You pray, go into your room, close the door and pray to your father, who is unseen.**

Jesus is telling us to find a " quiet room or place," and that there shouldn't be any distractions taking place when we pray: TV is off, Radio is off, Cell Phone is Off, so that We can hear, when HE answers us.

If you are going through tough times and would like for us to pray for you, please reach out to us, you can remain anonymous and let's team up and get you the help that you need !

This is a topic that we can teach upon it for a while, I have broken it down to offer you a glimpse on this topic.