

# The Lord's Prayer

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## Part 1 – Prayer according to Jesus (Matthew 6:7-9a)

### Introduction

#### I. How not to pray (Matthew 6:7-8)

What about persistent praying?

#### II. How to pray (Matthew 6:9-13)

A. The Pattern for Prayer

B. The Priority in Prayer

C. The Person We Pray To

“***Our*** Father which art in heaven”

1. God isn't listening \_\_\_\_\_

2. God isn't listening \_\_\_\_\_

“Our ***Father*** which art in heaven”

1. Prayer in its essence is communication between \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

2. Prayer is about \_\_\_\_\_

3. Prayer is about \_\_\_\_\_

4. Prayer is about having \_\_\_\_\_

“Our Father ***which art in heaven***”

**Part 2 – Prayer According to Jesus (Matthew 9b)**  
***“Hallowed by Your Name”***

Introduction

I. A petition that rebukes \_\_\_\_\_

II. A petition that is \_\_\_\_\_

**Exodus 9:16**

**Isaiah 63:12-14**

**I Samuel 12:20-22**

**Isaiah 48:9-11**

**Ezekiel 36:19-24**

**Ezekiel 39:25**

**John 12:23, 27, 28**

**II Thessalonians 1:9,10**

**Ephesians 1:3-6**

III. A petition for \_\_\_\_\_

IV. A petition for \_\_\_\_\_

V. A petition for \_\_\_\_\_

VI. A petition that brings . \_\_\_\_\_

**Part 3 – Prayer According to Jesus (Matthew 6:10)**

***“Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.”***

Food For Thought: *“Prayer does not fit us for the greater work; prayer is the greater work.”*  
(Oswald Chambers)

Introduction

I. Praying for God’s Kingdom to Advance

A. God’s Kingdom is \_\_\_\_\_

B. Life is \_\_\_\_\_

C. Prayer is \_\_\_\_\_

D. Be careful of viewing prayer \_\_\_\_\_

II. Praying for the return of Christ

III. Praying for God’s will to be done

**Part 4 – Prayer According to Jesus (Matthew 6:11)**

***“Give us this day our daily bread”***

Introduction

I. A request that is not \_\_\_\_\_

II. A request for \_\_\_\_\_

III. A request that shows the \_\_\_\_\_

IV. A request that expresses \_\_\_\_\_

Is God doing a lousy job? Many around the world starve.

A. God has not obligated Himself to the \_\_\_\_\_

B. God stops providing daily bread when \_\_\_\_\_

V. A request that becomes an \_\_\_\_\_

**Part 5 – Prayer According to Jesus (Matthew 6:12)**

***“And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.”***

Introduction

*“Unless you have forgiven others, you read your own death-warrant when you repeat the Lord’s Prayer.”* (Charles Spurgeon)     **Matthew 6:14-15**

I. Corporate Forgiveness

II. God Forgiving Us

A. The Need for forgiveness

B. God’s Willingness to forgive

C. The basis for forgiveness

III. We forgive Others

1. Forgiveness \_\_\_\_\_

2. Forgiveness \_\_\_\_\_

3. Forgiveness \_\_\_\_\_

4. Forgiveness \_\_\_\_\_

5. Forgiveness \_\_\_\_\_

6. Forgiveness \_\_\_\_\_

7. Forgiveness \_\_\_\_\_

8. Forgiveness is NOT \_\_\_\_\_

9. Forgiveness is NOT \_\_\_\_\_

10. Forgiveness applied to an \_\_\_\_\_  
looks very different than when applied to a \_\_\_\_\_

**Part 6 – Prayer According to Jesus (Matthew 6:13)**  
***“And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil:”***

Introduction

I. This request shows \_\_\_\_\_

II. This request does not imply \_\_\_\_\_

III. Temptation Comes From \_\_\_\_\_

IV. Successful endurance of temptation requires . \_\_\_\_\_

A. Listen to \_\_\_\_\_

B. Do not listen to \_\_\_\_\_

C. Listen to \_\_\_\_\_

D. Actively and persistently \_\_\_\_\_

V. No person can escape temptation without \_\_\_\_\_