

THE LORD'S PRAYER



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MATTHEW 6:7-8





WHEN YOU PRAY

Matthew 6:7-8





“We rightly long to see righteousness and truth and justice prevail. We are actually desperate for what no earthly revolution can produce. We long for the kingdom of God and for Jesus as King of kings and Lord of lords. We are looking for a kingdom that will never end and a King whose rule is perfect. This is why Christians pray the Lord’s Prayer.”

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5 “And when you pray, you must not be like the hypocrites. For they love to stand and pray in the synagogues and at the street corners, that they may be seen by others. Truly, I say to you, they have received their reward.”

MATTHEW 6:5



6 “But when you pray, go into your room and shut the door and pray to your Father who is in secret. And your Father who sees in secret will reward you.”

MATTHEW 6:6



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ASSUMPTION



7 “And when you pray...”

MATTHEW 6:7a



“Is there any activity more essential to the Christian life, and yet more discouraging in the Christian’s life, than prayer?”

KEVIN DEYOUNG

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ADOMINATION



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MATTHEW 6:7





²⁴ “And you call upon the name of your god, and I will call upon the name of the Lord, and the God who answers by fire, he is God.” And all the people answered, “It is well spoken.”

1 KINGS 18:24



²⁷ And at noon Elijah mocked them, saying, “Cry aloud, for he is a god. Either he is musing, or he is relieving himself, or he is on a journey, or perhaps he is asleep and must be awakened.”

1 KINGS 18:27



36 And at the time of the offering of the oblation, Elijah the prophet came near and said, “O Lord, God of Abraham, Isaac, and Israel, let it be known this day that you are God in Israel, and that I am your servant, and that I have done all these things at your word. **37** Answer me, O Lord, answer me, that this people may know that you, O Lord, are God, and that you have turned their hearts back.”

1 KINGS 18:36-37







ASSURANCE



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