



THE LORD'S PRAYER

Matthew 6:5-13

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1. Prayer is a Relationship, Not a Religious Performance

2. Remember Who He Is

- A. Our Father
- B. Who is in heaven
 - Isa. 40:22, Heb. 1:3, Dan. 4:24
- C. Hallowed be Your name
- D. Your kingdom come
- E. Your will be done

James 5:16-18

16. 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.

17. Elijah was a man with a nature like ours, and he prayed earnestly that it would not rain, and it did not rain on the earth for three years and six months.

18. Then he prayed again, and the sky poured rain and the earth produced its fruit.

I Kings 18:36

At the time of the offering of the evening sacrifice, Elijah the prophet came near and said, "O Lord, the God of Abraham, Isaac and Israel, today let it be known that You are God in Israel and that I am Your servant and that I have done all these things at Your word.

3. Then We Ask for What We Need

- A. Provision
 - Give us this day our daily bread.
- B. Relationships
 - Forgive us as we forgive others.
- C. Protection
 - From temptation / deliver from evil



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