

How to Enjoy God in Prayer

Real prayer is the Christ in us praying to the Christ on the throne

Romans 8:26 - For we do not know for what we should pray as is fitting, but the Spirit Himself intercedes **for us** with groanings which cannot be uttered.

Romans 8:34 - It is Christ Jesus...who is at the right hand of God, who also intercedes for us.

Real prayer is nothing but waiting on God and breathing in God; breathing God is to absorb God:

1. Appear

Psalm 42:1-2 - My soul thirsts for God / For the living God / When will I come and **appear** / Before God?

2. Be Silent

3. Behold Him

4. Inquire of Him

Psalm 27:4 - One thing I have asked from Jehovah; / That do I seek: / To dwell in the house of Jehovah / All the days of my life, / To **behold** the beauty of Jehovah, / And to **inquire** in His temple.

John 15:7 - If you abide in Me and My words abide in you, ask whatever you will, and it shall be done for you

5. Wait on Him and Allow Him to Finish Speaking

Genesis 18:33 - And Jehovah went away as soon as He had finished speaking with Abraham, and Abraham returned to his place.

The best prayer is to pray to God as a friend; Abraham was the friend of God; in Genesis 18 the God of heaven humbled Himself in order to befriend Abraham - Genesis 18:1-33

Hymn:

Just as I am, though tossed about
With many a conflict, many a doubt;
Fightings within, and fears without,
O Lamb of God, I come, I come!

Just as I am, poor, wretched, blind;
Sight, riches, healing of the mind;
Yes, all I need, in Thee to find,
O Lamb of God, I come, I come!

Song

Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus

O soul, are you weary and troubled?
No light in the darkness you see?
There's light for a look at the Savior,
And life more abundant and free.

Turn your eyes upon Jesus,
Look full in His wonderful face,
And the things of earth will grow strangely dim,
In the light of His glory and grace.

Through death into life everlasting
He passed, and we follow Him there;
O'er us sin no more hath dominion
For more than conqu'rors we are!

His Word shall not fail you, He promised;
Believe Him and all will be well;
Then go to a world that is dying,
His perfect salvation to tell!