

FAITH THAT WORKS

PART 5

Faith that Prays

The Importance of the Ask

You do not have, because you do not ask. You ask and do not receive, because you ask wrongly. — James 4:2-3, ESV

In our suffering we ask for help

"Is anyone among you in trouble? Let them pray. — James 5:13, NIV

In our sickness we ask for health

Is anyone among you sick? Let them call the elders of the church to pray over them and anoint them with oil in the name of the Lord. And the prayer offered in faith will make the sick person well; the Lord will raise them up. — James 5:14-15, NIV

In our sin we can ask for restoration

Confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so that you can live together whole and healed. — James 5:16, MSG

Powerful prayer is within your reach

Elijah was a human being, even as we are. He prayed earnestly that it would not rain, and it did not rain on the land for three and a half years. 18 Again he prayed, and the heavens gave rain, and the earth produced its crops. — James 5:17-18, NIV