

Bible - Time

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Study No. 1

Being a Christian - Learning About Prayer

Read

Luke 11: 1-10

Matthew 6: 5-15

Suggested Further Reading

Luke 18: 1-14

1 Timothy 2: 1-6

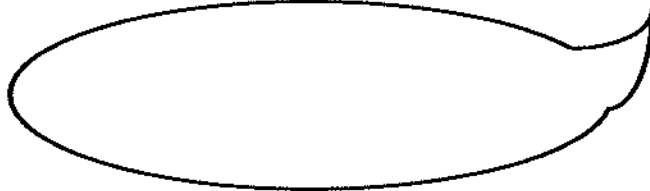
Philippians 4: 6 & 7

Key Verse

Luke 11: 9

The Gospel of Luke records many of the occasions when the Lord Jesus prayed. He is the greatest example of a man of prayer. Therefore, all Christians should follow the example of the Lord Jesus and spend time 'talking with God' in prayer.

What did the disciples ask the Lord Jesus when He had finished praying?



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We may ask ourselves, "What is prayer?"
Write out your own definition of prayer.

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It is important to note to WHOM we are praying. We can only speak to God as our Father, when we have trusted in the Lord Jesus to forgive us our sins. Then, we become members of God's family and God becomes our Father. The prayer that the Lord Jesus taught His disciples, wasn't just for us to repeat, but to be used as a pattern, teaching us WHAT to pray for and WHAT is involved when we talk to God.

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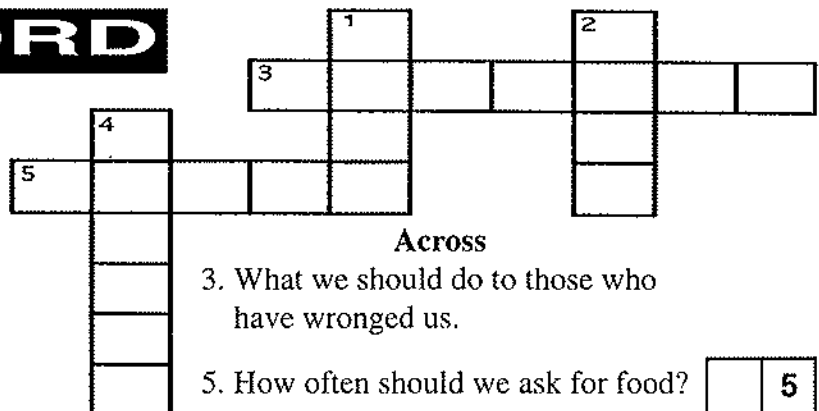
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1. God's name is to be hallowed or kept

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2. We should ask for forgiveness for these.

4. To Whom we should pray.



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3. What we should do to those who have wronged us.

5. How often should we ask for food?

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Some people pray only when things go wrong. Others think of prayer as simply asking God for the things they need. **Unscramble the letters to complete the following words to discover what prayer really consists of:-**

ODRA **A _ _ _ _ TION**
This means praising God for His love and goodness.

OSSFEN **C _ _ _ _ _ ION**
This means admitting our sins to God.

AHSKN **T _ _ _ _ _ GIVING**
This means being grateful for what God has given us.

PUP **S _ _ _ _ LICATION**
This means asking God for specific needs.

RETN **I _ _ _ _ _ CESSION**
This means asking for God's help on the behalf of others.



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Now let's look at HOW and WHERE we should talk to God.

Turn back to Matthew 6 to see what the Lord Jesus taught.

Answer TRUE or FALSE to the following statements:-

Prayer should be in private, alone with God.

Prayer should consist of repetitive phrases.

Prayer should be made with a humble spirit,
seeking to receive God's reward and not men's praise.

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What does Matthew 6: 8 teach us about the God to whom we pray?

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In the Bible Reading in Luke we are also taught that we need to be persistent and regular in our praying. **Write out the Key Verse which encourages us not to give up praying.**

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Never forget that we can pray **AT ANY TIME** and **IN ANY PLACE**.

Write down the places where these three men prayed.

JONAH (Jonah 2: 1)

SILAS (Acts 16: 24 & 25)

PETER (Acts 10: 9)

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What extra discoveries have you made about prayer in this study?

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