

# A Prayer Alphabet

"Come now, let us reason together,"  
says the Lord. Isa. 1:18a NIV

**ASK** Matt. 7:7 NIV ' "Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you." '

come **Boldly** Heb. 4:16 NKJV  
"Let us therefore come boldly to the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy and find grace to help in time of need."

**Call** unto me Jer. 33:3 KJV ' "Call unto me, and I will answer thee, and shew thee great and mighty things, which thou knowest not." '

**Devoted** . . to prayer Acts 2:42 NIV "They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and to the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer."

**Earnestly** "The prayer of a righteous man is powerful and effective. Elijah was a man just like us. He prayed earnestly that it would not rain, and it did not rain on the land for three and a half years." James 5:16b-17 NIV

**"Forgive Us"** Matt. 6:12 NIV  
' "Forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors." '

with **Gratitude** Col 3:16 NIV  
"Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly as you teach and admonish one another with all wisdom, and as you sing psalms, hymns and spiritual songs with gratitude in your hearts to God."

lifting up **Holy Hands** "I desire therefore that the men pray everywhere, lifting up holy hands, without wrath and doubting;" I Tim 2:8 NKJV

**Instant** "Rejoicing in hope; patient in tribulation; continuing instant in prayer;" Rom. 12:12 KJV

**Jesus' Name** John 14:13-14 NASV  
' "Whatever you ask in My name, that will I do, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If you ask Me anything in My name, I will do it." '

**"thy Kingdom come"**  
Matt. 6:10a KJV ' "Thy kingdom come." '

**Looking** unto Jesus Heb. 12:2 KJV "Looking unto Jesus the author and finisher of our faith; who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is set down at the right hand of the throne of God."

**Meditation** Ps. 19:14 KJV "Let the words of my mouth, and the meditation of my heart, be acceptable in thy sight, O LORD, my strength, and my redeemer."

**NOT LIKE** hypocrites ' "And when you pray, do not be like the hypocrites, for they love to pray standing in the synagogues and on the street corners to be seen by men. I tell you the truth, they have received their reward in full." ' Matt. 6:5 NIV

**Open** my mouth "Pray also for me, that whenever I open my mouth, words may be given me so that I will fearlessly make known the mystery of the gospel, for which I am an ambassador in chains. Pray that I may declare it fearlessly, as I should." Eph. 6:19 NIV

**Praising** Acts 2:46b-47 NIV "They broke bread in their homes and ate together with glad and sincere hearts, praising God and enjoying the favor of all the people. And the Lord added to their number daily those who were being saved."

**Quiet** you "The Lord your God is with you, he is mighty to save. He will take great delight in you, he will quiet you with his love, he will rejoice over you with singing." Zeph. 3:17 NIV

**Reverent** Submission "During the days of Jesus' life on earth, he offered up prayers and petitions with loud cries and tears to the one who could save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission." Heb. 5:7 NIV

His **SONG** Ps. 42:8 NIV "By day the Lord directs his love, at night his song is with me-- a prayer to the God of my life."

**Thanksgiving** Phil. 4:6 NKJV "Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God;"

**Unwavering** "If any of you lack wisdom, let him ask of God, that giveth to all men liberally, and upbraideth not; and it shall be given him. But let him ask in faith, **nothing wavering**. For he that wavereth is like a wave of the sea driven with the wind and tossed." James 1:5-6 KJV

**my Voice** PS. 116:1 NKJV "I love the Lord, because He has heard My voice and my supplications."

**"thy Will be done"** ' "Thy will be done in earth, as it is in heaven." ' Matt. 6:10b KJV

**eXamine my heart** "Test me, O Lord, and try me, **examine my heart and my mind**; for your love is ever before me, and I walk continually in your truth." Ps. 26:2 NIV

Psalms 139:23-24 KJV "Search me, O God, and know my heart: try me, and know my thoughts: And see if there be any wicked way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting."

**into Your Room** "But when you pray, go into **your room**, close the door and pray to your Father, who is unseen. Then your Father, who sees what is done in secret, will reward you." Matt 6:6 NIV

**Zzz! Rest in the Lord**

Ps. 37:7 NKJV "Rest in the Lord, and wait patiently for Him; Do not fret because of him who prospers in his way, Because of the man who brings wicked schemes to pass."

Ps. 40:1 NIV "I waited patiently for the Lord; he turned to me and heard my cry."

## To God be the Glory!!!

"For from him and through him and to him are all things. **To him be the glory forever!** Amen." Rom. 11:36 NIV

Ps. 57:5 NIV "Be exalted, O God, above the heavens; let your glory be over all the earth."

I Tim: 1:17 NIV "Now **to the King eternal**, immortal, invisible, the only God, be honor and **glory for ever and ever**. Amen"

I Peter 1:7 NIV "These have come so that **your faith**--of greater worth than gold, which perishes even though refined by fire--may be proved genuine and **may result in praise, glory and honor** when Jesus Christ is revealed."

Luke 15: 6 & 7 NIV ' "Then he calls his friends and neighbors together and says, 'Rejoice with me; I have found my lost sheep.' I tell you that in the same way there will be **more rejoicing in heaven over one sinner who repents** than over ninety-nine righteous persons who do not need to repent." '

"All this is for your benefit, so that the grace that is reaching more and more people may cause **thanksgiving to overflow to the glory of God**." II Cor. 4:15 NIV

'In a loud voice they sang: "**Worthy is the Lamb, who was slain**, to receive power and wealth and wisdom and strength and honor and glory and praise!" ' Rev. 5:12 NIV