

Prevailing in Prayer II

Prayer honors God; it dishonors self
E. M. Bounds "Purpose in Prayer"

Prayer is communion with God.

Prayer is dialogue with God.

- Vision is sharpened through prayer.

Consider **Matthew 6:9-13** the Lord's prayer pattern and model.

Matthew 6:9 After this manner therefore pray ye: Our Father which art in heaven, Hallowed be thy name. 10 Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done in earth, as it is in heaven. 11 Give us this day our daily bread. 12 And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. 13 And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen

I

Our Father who art in heaven hallowed be thy name... vs9

- A revelation of His Name:
- There are singular and compound names.
- Who has He been?
- Who is He now?
- Who do you need Him to be?

II

Thy kingdom come; thy will be done in earth as it is in heaven... vs10

- A declaration of His Kingdom:

- Your throne and dominion come...
- Your sovereign rule come...
- Your desire come...

III

Give us this day our daily bread...vs11

- God is the source and sustainer of life...
- He provides our daily bread...
- He supplies all our needs...

IV

Forgive us our debt as we forgive our debtors...vs12

- Forgiveness from the Holy God.
- Debt forgiveness...
- Debt release for our debtors...
- Forgiveness to and for others.

V

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil...vs13a

- Give us discernment...
- Help us see temptation afar off.
- Deliver us from any entrapment.
- Deliver us from entanglement.

VI

For thine is the Kingdom and the power and the glory forever...13b

- Jesus the King of the kingdom.
- Holy Spirit is the power of God.
- Our Father is to be glorified in our Liturgy, our Lips and our Life, as we give Him all.

VII

Amen – vs13c

- So be it...
- It is said...
- It is declared...
- I agree...