Adult Prayer Resources
Patterns of Prayer

THE LORD’S PRAYER

Our Father Which Art In Heaven

1. Your Father in Heaven is not neglectful or absent- God told Moses: " I have seen, I have heard, I know, I have come etc.
2. He's not too busy.
3. He's not abusive- Psalms 103: 8-14- The LORD is merciful and gracious, slow to anger, and plenteous in mercy.

He will not always chide: neither will he keep his anger for ever.
He hath not dealt with us after our sins; nor rewarded us according to our iniquities.
For as the heaven is high above the earth, so great is his mercy toward them that fear him.
As far as the east is from the west, so far hath he removed our transgressions from us.
Like as a father pitieth his children, so the LORD pitieth them that fear him.
For he knoweth our frame; he remembereth that we are dust.

1. He's not in a far distant land- Psalms 139:1-

the chief Musician, A Psalm of David. O LORD, thou hast searched me, and known me.
Thou knowest my downsitting and mine uprising, thou understandest my thought afar off.
Thou compassest my path and my lying down, and art acquainted with all my ways.
For there is not a word in my tongue, but, lo, O LORD, thou knowest it altogether.
Thou hast beset me behind and before, and laid thine hand upon me.
Such knowledge is too wonderful for me; it is high, I cannot attain unto it.
Whither shall I go from thy spirit? or whither shall I flee from thy presence?
If I ascend up into heaven, thou art there: if I make my bed in hell, behold, thou art there.
If I take the wings of the morning, and dwell in the uttermost parts of the sea;
Even there shall thy hand lead me, and thy right hand shall hold me
Hallowed Be Thy Name

1. Uphold the Holiness of your Name
2. Let your Name be Holy
3. May your name be honored
4. May your reputation be honored, revered, and respected because of who you are. May your reputation, name, person and character be untarnished.
5. Trust God, obey God, rejoice, that’s how you honor God’s name

May Your Kingdom Come

1. I enlist in your cause.
2. I adopt your agenda.
3. Here I am.
4. I relinquish the rule of my own life.
5. I pray for peace, grace. I pray for his kingdom to invade seeking souls and hungry hearts. I pray for the church to be healthy, united and effective.
6. It means: I am reporting for duty.

May Your Will Be Done

1. Submit to God’s will, it means: I will do what you say.
2. Glorify your name, spread your kingdom, accomplish your will.

Give This Day Our Daily Bread

1. Day by day dependence on God
2. God- gives you ability to produce wealth. Pray with the right motive
3. How might your life change? If you depend on God daily
4. Keep record of the prayers God answers
5. Pray with fervency and with passion
6. What do you want God to do for you? Pray desperately
7. Pray for physical needs etc.
8. Pray for financial needs etc.
9. Pray for relational needs etc.
Forgive Us Our Debts As We Forgive Our Debtors

1. Keep a contrite spirit
2. Forgiveness is only valuable when given away
3. Confess your sin- keep the soul uncluttered
4. Accept God's forgiveness
5. Give: daily bread
6. Forgive: forgive us
7. Lead: lead us

Lead Us Not Into Temptation

1. Pray to be led
2. Ask God to keep your faith from failing
3. Ask God to direct your path
4. Ask God to keep your family

Deliver Us From Evil

1. Acknowledge the existence of evil
2. It means: the need for deliverance
3. Pray for deliverance from doing evil
4. Deliver us from the surrounding us: family, nation, schools etc...

Yours Is The Kingdom

1. I acknowledge you God. All of your prayers must be in the view of God is king.
2. Yours is the kingdom, I bow.
3. Yours is the power, I obey.
4. Yours is the Glory, I worship.
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