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Prayer: To the Father, Through the Son, In the Spirit

To The Father

1. Jesus Prayed to the Father

Luke 10:21; Matthew 11:25, 26

John 11:41, 42

John 12:27-30

John 17:1, 5, 11, 21, 24, 25

Matthew 26:39, 42; Mark 14:36; Luke 22:42-44

Luke 23:34

Luke 23:46

2. Jesus Taught Us to Pray “Our Father”

PROTOCOL

PRIORITY

PETITIONS

PRAISE

3. Key Teachings about the Father

A. There is only one Father and He is Perfect

Matthew 23:9

1 Corinthians 8:6

Matthew 5:43-48 (Matthew 18:10, 14)

B. He is perfect in Seeing our Needs

Matthew 6:32; Luke 12:30

Hebrews 4:13

C. He is perfect in Knowledge of the Future

Matthew 24:36; Mark 13:32
1 Corinthians 15:24
Ephesians 2:6

D. He is perfect in Generosity

Matthew 7:7-11; Luke 11:5-13
Luke 18:1-8
James 1:5-8, 17, 18

E. He is perfect in Rewarding

Matthew 6:1-8, 14-18
John 14:21-23

F. He is perfect in Revealing

Matthew 11:25, 26; Luke 10:21
Matthew 16:17
John 6:44
John 14:9

G. He is perfect in Producing Fruit

John 15:1-8
Hebrews 12:5-11

Through the Son

1. In the Name of Jesus

A. Matthew 18:18-20

B. John 14:13, 14

John 15:7, 8, 16

John 16:23, 24

2. Our Great High Priest

A. Romans 8:34-39

B. Ephesians 1:18-23

C. Hebrews 2:14-18

4:14-16

5:1-10

6:13-20

7:20-28

8:1, 2

9:11-28

10:19-25

13:15, 16

3. We Are Priests

1 Peter 2:4-10

Revelation 5:9, 10

In The Spirit

John 4:23, 24

Romans 8:26

Ephesians 6:18-20

Focus on Self / Focus on God

Concerned about what people think / about what God thinks

Rationalizes what we want / not my will but thine . . .

Empty words, repetitious phrases / from the heart

Tells God what to do / asks and submits

Bitterness, unforgiving spirit / love, graciousness . . .

Acts 4:21-35

Acts 7:55-60

Acts 13:1-3