

10 REASONS *your* PRAYER ISN'T ANSWERED

■ UNCONFESSED SIN IN YOUR LIFE

*If I regard iniquity in my heart the Lord will not hear.
(Ps. 66:18)*

REBOUND BEFORE EVERY PRAYER: *If we confess our sins,
He is faithful and righteous so that He will forgive us our sins
and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. (1 John 1:9)*

■ FAILURE TO USE GOD'S PROCESS FOR PRAYER

Whatever you ask of the Father in My name. (John 15:16)

■ ABSENCE OF FAITH

*All things you ask in prayer believing you will receive.
(Matt. 21:22)*

■ WRONG MOTIVATION

*You ask and do not receive because you ask with wrong
motives. (James 4:3)*

■ REJECTION OF GOD'S COUNSEL

Listen to counsel, accept discipline. (Prov. 19:20)

■ NOT IN GOD'S WILL

*If we ask anything according to His will, He hears us.
(1 John 5:14)*

■ ARROGANCE IN PETITION

*They cry out but He does not answer because of their pride.
God will not listen. (Job 35:12-13)*

■ LACK OF DOMESTIC TRANQUILITY

*Honor each other so your prayers will not be hindered.
(1 Peter 3:7)*

■ SPIRITUAL GROWTH ISN'T A PRIORITY

*Grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus
Christ. To Him be the glory. (2 Peter 3:18)*

■ YOU AREN'T A BELIEVER IN JESUS CHRIST

The only prayer an unbeliever can pray is a prayer for
salvation. *Whoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall
be saved. (Rom. 10:13)*

A simple prayer—*Father, I believe and I want to receive Christ
as my Savior*—changes your destiny, changes your life!
*Believe in the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved.
(Acts 16:31)*



GOD'S PRAYER PROTOCOL

God designed the correct way to come to Him in prayer—it is His protocol for how to enter His throne room of grace. If you don't follow God's protocol your prayer will not be heard or answered.

HOW TO PRAY

- Be in fellowship and filled with the Holy Spirit by confessing any known sins to God the Father.
1 John 1:9 & 1 Thes. 5:19
- Address your prayer to God the Father, in the power of the Holy Spirit, and close in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ. *Matt. 6:6 & Eph. 6:18*

WHAT TO PRAY

- **GRATITUDE & THANKSGIVING**
Give adoration and thanksgiving to God for His daily grace provisions. *1 Thes. 5:18 & Eph. 5:20*
Devote yourselves to prayer, keeping alert in it with an attitude of thanksgiving. Col. 4:2
- **INTERCESSIONS**
Pray for others. *Eph. 6:18*
Pray for your nation and its leadership.
2 Chron. 7:14 & Num. 14:13
Pray for those who seek to do you harm.
Matt. 5:44 & Luke 6:28
- **PETITIONS & SUPPLICATIONS**
Pray for yourself. *Heb. 4:16*
Request sanctification of food. *1 Tim. 4:4-5*

WHY PRAY

- **HELP IN TIME OF NEED**
Let us draw near with confidence to the throne room of grace that we may receive mercy and may find grace to help in time of need. Heb. 4:16
- **MANDATE FROM GOD**
Pray without ceasing. *1 Thes. 5:17*
Call upon Me and come and pray to Me and I will listen to you. Jer. 29:12

**BE PATIENT AND PERSISTENT IN PRAYER.
GOD ANSWERS IN HIS TIMING, NOT YOURS .**

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