

the children of men, as God's creatures and our fellow-creatures.

(3.) That in prayer, as well as in the tenour of our lives, we must seek first the kingdom of God and the righteousness

How not to Pray

According to Matt 6:1-8, Jesus discusses three expressions of Jewish religion; prayer, almsgiving, and fasting. In each of these we, are reminded to practice each of them for God and not to be seen by other people. Jesus rebukes the Pharisees for their pompous display of prayer. He makes it clear that religious acts are done for show and not pleasing to God. God wants us to come before Him with humble hearts and quiet spirits. He wants us to focus on praying and not on letting people know that we pray. Length and eloquences do not determine the quality of our prayers.

To Learn the Power of Intercessory Prayer

Praying on behalf of others is powerful because prayer is the most potent force known to mankind. In prayer, we have a weapon that has "divine power to destroy strongholds" An intercessor is one who takes up a burden that goes far beyond his or her own needs and intentions. They learn to trust in the Lord because they have experience the infinitely compassionate God is.

The Epistle of James tells us that "The prayer of the righteous is powerful and effective" So ask the Holy Spirit to teach you how to pray in union with the mind of God. Paul tell us the Spirit helps us in our weakness, for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but that very Spirit intercedes

Pray in "Spirit and in Truth"

John 4:24 says that "God is spirit, and those who worship him must worship in spirit and truth. To pray in the spirit is to pray with a sincere heart and steadfast mind. The objective of this kind of praying is to give God the glory and not praise others. Praying in truth describes prayers that are based on reality from the Bible. So, we add to this truth by growing in our knowledge of the Bible and praying the prayers of the Bible.



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