



Empowering People to Change the World

**The Lord's Prayer
A Kingdom Revolution Prayer**

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“The Lord’s Prayer” A KINGDOM REVOLUTION PRAYER!

Last week I failed to recognize our many veterans. If you are in the service or are retired, would you stand.

Let’s all stand and say the most revolutionary prayer ever given!

*Our Father in heaven,
Hallowed be Your name.*

¹⁰ Your kingdom come.

Your will be done

On 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 do not lead us into temptation,

But deliver us from the evil one.

For Yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever.

Amen. (Matthew 6:9-13)

Jesus said, “In this manner, therefore, pray...” (Matthew 6:9)

This morning I do not just want to teach The Lord’s Prayer but rather challenge us, as I believe Jesus was doing to his disciples; to see this as a Template for a Kingdom Revolutionary Prayer.

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This prayer is powerful:

- It begins with our Relationship with God.
- It moves into our Relationships with People.
- How many of you know that this is actually the essence for a successful life?
- Our relationship with God is the *spine of life*, and our relationships with people are the *arms and legs of life*.

Matthew 6:9a “Our Father in heaven”

- The title “Father” is mentioned 18 times in the Sermon on the Mount. Arguably the most repeated title for God used in this revolutionary sermon.
- The Pharisees would have never used this term for God.
- None of the great saints of the Old Testament ever addressed God as Father.
- This points to the theme of the sermon: an intimate relationship Jesus had with His Father and His passion for all of us to experience God as our Father.
- Jesus ties this relationship with the Father to His definition of “eternal life.”

John 17:1-3

Jesus spoke these words, lifted up His eyes to heaven, and said: “Father, the hour has come. Glorify Your Son, that Your Son also may glorify You, ² as You have given Him authority over all flesh, that He should give eternal life to as many as You have given Him. ³ And this is eternal life, that they may know You, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom You have sent.

- Eternal Life, according to Christ, is to know the Father and the Son!
- The Kingdom Revolution Prayer begins with intimacy with God, knowing Him as our Father!

Matthew 6:9b “Hallowed be Your name.”

- From intimacy to the character of God: who He is and how He works in our life.
- Hallow the names of God corresponding to the five benefits in the new covenant.
- In faith; declare, that God is your provision in these areas.

5 Covenant Benefits when we Pray the Names of God

1) SIN - forgiveness of sin

- **Jehovah-Tsidkenu** “Jehovah our righteousness”

- **Jehovah-M’Kaddesh** “Jehovah Who sanctifies”

2) **SPIRIT- fullness of the Holy Spirit**

- **Jehovah-Shalom** “Jehovah is our peace”
- **Jehovah-Shammah** “Jehovah is there”

3) **STRENGTH - health and healing**

- **Jehovah-Rophe** “Jehovah heals”

4) **SUCCESS - freedom from the curse of the law**

- **Jehovah-Jireh** “Jehovah will provide”

5) **SECURITY - freedom from the fear of death and hell**

- **Jehovah-Nissi** “Jehovah my banner”
- **Jehovah-Rohi** “Jehovah my Shepherd”

Matthew 6:10 *“Your kingdom come, Your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.”*

Pray the reign and rule of Christ for:

- Yourself and your family (spouse, children, other family members.)
- Your church (pastor, leadership, faithfulness of people, harvest of souls.)
- Your job.
- Your nation (city, state and national political and spiritual leaders, harvest of souls.)

Matthew 6:11 *“Give us this day our daily bread.”*

- You cannot have bread if you do not have money and you will not have money without a job.
- Pray for God’s favor over you in your work.
- Ask the Lord to strengthen you in being a solid, good employee.
- Ask for the power you need to work hard.

- If you are out of work, cry out to God!!

Matthew 6:12 “And forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors.”

- Jesus is saying forgive in the same way that He has forgiven you.
- Forgive and release others!
- Set your will to be at peace with all people!
- The Bible says **“Depart from evil and do good; seek peace and pursue it” (Psalm 34:14)**; In **Hebrews 12:14** we are told to **“Make every effort to live in peace with all men.”** In **Romans 12:18** we are exhorted **“As far as it depends on you, live at peace with everyone.”**
- Jerry Weitz spoke at our Staff Meeting recently and gave us 4 Promise related to Forgiveness:
 1. Promise not to dwell on the forgiven offense.
 2. Promise not to bring up forgiven offenses and use them against the forgiven.
 3. Promise not to speak of the offense to others (it is buried and remembered no more.)
 4. Promise not to allow this forgiven offense to hinder our personal relationship.

Matthew 67:13a “And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil.”

- Put on the whole armor of God. Put on the Lord Jesus Christ.
Ephesians 6:10-18
 - Put on the helmet of salvation,
 - Put on the breastplate of righteousness,
 - Put on the belt of truth,
 - Put on the shield of faith,
 - Put on the sword of the Spirit,

- Shod your feet with the Gospel of Peace.

Matthew 6:13b *“For Yours is the kingdom, the power, and the glory forever. Amen.”*

- One of the greatest declarations in all of the Scriptures!
- The Kingdom is HIS.
- The power is HIS.
- The glory is HIS.

Lets stand,

***Because Yours is the Kingdom, the power, and the glory
God can move mountains in my life
I am building up my faith with God’s Holy Word
I am coming alive in the power of the Holy Spirit
With Jesus, all things are possible***