

Christlike in a PC World

As Jesus Prays

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Prayer was vital to Jesus

What can we learn from his example?

- Prayer is often an "away" thing-
MK 1:35; MK 6:45-46; Matt 14:23; Luke 5:16:
Luke 6:12

- Prayer is serious business
Mk 14:32-35

- Prayer has vital components (Matthew 6:9-13)

Let's take a look at these

#1. Let your name be "hallowed"

- a. Request for God's name to be revered
- b. The necessary starting point for prayer

#2. The advancement of God's kingdom and will

- a. Notice- Not our will but His
- b. These first two components form our attitude in prayer.

#3. Oh Lord please meet my needs today

- a. Emphasis on "Daily"
- b. Placing my anxiety/ worry in his hands

#4. Dealing with sin

- a. Acknowledging my guilt; and need
- b. Experiencing God's forgiveness leads to forgiving others

#5. Battle

- a. This is a relief from testing- or strength in testing to not Become tempted
- b. We are in a Spiritual battle

How do we pray?

Matthew 6:9-13

New International Version (NIV)

9 "This, then, is how you should pray:

"Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name,

your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

(Prayer)

Give us today our daily bread.

And forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one.'

Discuss how; where and when Jesus prays-