

The Lord's Prayer: Guidance and Deliverance - Matthew 6:13

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Our hope in this series has not been just to learn about prayer, but that we would become a praying people!

Matthew 6:9-13

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"Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name.

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on earth as it is in heaven.*

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*¹² and forgive us our debts,
as we also have forgiven our debtors.*

*¹³ And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.*

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Philippians 4:6

Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God.

Jesus teaches us two things that we need:

- Guidance from temptations to sin
- Deliverance from the one who wants us to sin

Jesus instructs us to:

I. Ask for his guidance from the areas where we are weak.

James 1:2-4

² Count it all joy, my brothers, when you meet trials of various kinds, ³ for you know that the testing of your faith produces steadfastness. ⁴ And let steadfastness have its full effect, that you may be perfect and complete, lacking in nothing.

a. It calls for a humbleness.

James 4:10

Humble yourselves before the Lord, and he will lift you up.

b. It calls for a self-awareness.

I Corinthians 10:13

No temptation has overtaken you that is not common to man. God is faithful, and he will not let you be tempted beyond your ability, but with the temptation he will also provide the way of escape, that you may be able to endure it.

Jesus instructs that when we pray....

II. Ask for deliverance from the grasp of the evil one.

a. It calls for honesty.

b. It calls for a Spiritual awareness.

Ephesians 6:12

For we do not wrestle against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the cosmic powers over this present darkness, against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly places.

Satan is a powerful being.

I Peter 5:8

Be sober-minded; be watchful. Your adversary the devil prowls around like a roaring lion, seeking someone to devour.

Guidance and deliverance are received through surrender.

Prayer time...

We would love to encourage you today through prayer or answering any questions you may have. Please click on the LIVE PRAYER button in the bottom right or go to www.shades.org/info

Then all will recite:

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glory, forever. Amen*