



Spending Time With Your Father

...Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name...
...thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven...
...lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thou art the kingdom, the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

A
PRAYING
LIFE

1. God created humanity to be in relationships.









A person is walking on a beach at sunset. The sun is low on the horizon, creating a bright glow and reflecting on the water. The sky is filled with soft, colorful clouds. In the background, there are dark, silhouetted mountains. The overall scene is peaceful and contemplative.

...APART FROM ME
YOU CAN DO NOTHING
(JOHN 15:5 NIV)

2. “apart from me
you can do
nothing.”



GOD

**HELPS THOSE
WHO HELP
THEMSELVES.**

Here are some examples of people coming helpless:

- The Samaritan woman has no water – John 4
- The official's son lacks health – John 4
- The crowd has no bread – John 6
- The blind man has no sight – Mark 10
- Lazarus has no life – John 11



“We are all beggars.”

Martin Luther

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**3. Prayer works because
we come as helpless
beggars.**

Strong Christians pray more
because they realize how weak
they are.



**Lord, hear
my voice**

