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# Jesus Directs Prayer

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## Pray for Workers for the Lord's Harvest | Matthew 9

<sup>35</sup> Jesus was going through all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues and proclaiming the gospel of the kingdom, and healing every kind of disease and every kind of sickness. <sup>36</sup> Seeing the people, He felt compassion for them, because they were distressed and dispirited like sheep without a shepherd.

<sup>37</sup> Then He said to His disciples, "The harvest is plentiful, but the workers are few. <sup>38</sup> Therefore beseech the Lord of the harvest to send out workers into His harvest."

# Pray for Those Who Persecute and Mistreat Us | Matthew 5

<sup>43</sup> “You have heard that it was said, ‘You shall love your neighbor and hate your enemy.’ <sup>44</sup> But I say to you, love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you, <sup>45</sup> so that you may be sons of your Father who is in heaven; for He causes His sun to rise on the evil and the good, and sends rain on the righteous and the unrighteous. (Matthew 5)



# Pray for Those Who Persecute and Mistreat Us | Luke 6

<sup>27</sup> “But I say to you who hear, love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, <sup>28</sup> bless those who curse you, pray for those who mistreat you. (Luke 6)



# Pray Genuinely | Matthew 6

<sup>5</sup> “When you pray, you are not to be like the hypocrites; for they love to stand and pray in the synagogues and on the street corners so that they may be seen by men. Truly I say to you, they have their reward in full. <sup>6</sup> But you, when you pray, go into your inner room, close your door and pray to your Father who is in secret, and your Father who sees what is done in secret will reward you.

<sup>7</sup> “And when you are praying, do not use meaningless repetition as the Gentiles do, for they suppose that they will be heard for their many words. <sup>8</sup> So do not be like them; for your Father knows what you need before you ask Him.

# Pray Faithfully | Matthew 21:18–22

<sup>18</sup> Now in the morning, when He was returning to the city, He became hungry. <sup>19</sup> Seeing a lone fig tree by the road, He came to it and found nothing on it except leaves only; and He said to it, “No longer shall there ever be any fruit from you.” And at once the fig tree withered. <sup>20</sup> Seeing this, the disciples were amazed and asked, “How did the fig tree wither all at once?”

# Pray Faithfully | Matthew 21:18–22

<sup>21</sup> And Jesus answered and said to them, “Truly I say to you, if you have faith and do not doubt, you will not only do what was done to the fig tree, but even if you say to this mountain, ‘Be taken up and cast into the sea,’ it will happen.  
<sup>22</sup> And all things you ask in prayer, believing, you will receive.”



# Pray Faithfully | Matthew 17:19–20

<sup>19</sup> Then the disciples came to Jesus privately and said, “Why could we not drive it out?” <sup>20</sup> And He said to them, “Because of the littleness of your faith; for truly I say to you, if you have faith the size of a mustard seed, you will say to this mountain, ‘Move from here to there,’ and it will move; and nothing will be impossible to you.





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