

The Lord's Prayer
or
The prayer of a son

“And when you pray, you must not be like the hypocrites. For they love to stand and pray in the synagogues and at the street corners, that they may be seen by others. Truly, I say to you, they have received their reward. But when you pray, go into your room and shut the door and pray to your Father who is in secret. And your Father who sees in secret will reward you.

“And when you pray, do not heap up empty phrases as the Gentiles do, for they think that they will be heard for their many words. Do not be like them, for your Father knows what you need before you ask him. Pray then like this:

“Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day 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 evil.

Go into a secret place....

Describes a relationship

Intimacy

Personal

Not empty phrases = religion

We are different for... our Father knows 😊

Our Father in Heaven, holy is your name

Who God is

In heaven - safety and security

Holy - set apart but ok to approach

Jeremiah 3:19, 2 Cor 6:18

Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth
as it is in Heaven

A Son's life

As for Jesus so for us

John 4:34, John 5:19, John 14:23

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What the Father does

Provides for us

Healthy bodies, he knows what we need before we ask

Matt 6:25-32, Psalm 23:1

Healthy hearts

Ps 130:4 forgiveness is your habit

Give us this day 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 evil.

What the Father does

Protects us

Psalm 61:1-4

Psalm 91:11-16