

## ***When I Pray...***

I can acknowledge that my help comes from above (Psalm 121:1,2).

I can acknowledge that if God is for me, no one else can be against me (Romans 8:31).

I can see my unworthiness contrasted with the magnificence of God (Nehemiah 1:5-7).

I can, as a child, talk to my Father (Matthew 7:11).

I can pursue the will of God in my life (Matthew 26:39).

I can seek true wisdom (James 1:5).

I can seek the blessings of God on behalf of the ones I love (John 17:20, 21).

I can seek forgiveness—even for my secret sins (Acts 8:22).

I can ask what ever I want—according to his will (1 John 5:14).

I can have confidence that my prayer will be heard (1 John 5:14, 15).

I can thank God for all that has done and is doing on my behalf (Philippians 2: 13; 4:6).

I can thank God for my brothers and sisters in Christ (Philippians 1:3).

I can draw closer to God (James 4:8).

I can petition God on behalf of the sick (James 5:13, 16).

I can take advantage of the promises God has made (Hebrews 13:5).

I can “tap into” the vast resources of heaven (Ephesians 3:20).

I can request help in resistance of the devil (Ephesians 6:18).

I can win a battle against the devil (James 4:7).

I can separate my self from the world—for a while (Matthew 6:6).

I can expect mercy and grace in time of trouble (Hebrews 4:16).

I can find peace (Philippians 4:7).

. . . So, I *must not* stop praying (1 Thessalonians 5:17)!!

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