

Prayer Life

Best Life: Making the Rest of Your Life The Best of Your Life

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1. Prayer is a _____

God gives only to _____.

Isaiah 59:2 "But your iniquities have separated you from your God; your sins have hidden his face from you, so that he will not hear."

Isaiah 1:15-16 "When you spread out your hands un prayer, I will hide my eyes from you; even when you offer many prayers, I am not listening...take your evil deeds out of my sight."

1 John 1:7 "The blood of Jesus, his Son, purifies us from all sin."

2. The _____ of prayer is _____

and _____ -- _____.

2 Kings 20:5 I have heard your prayer and seen your tears; I will heal you."

Acts 9:40 "Peter sent them all out of the room; then he got down on his knees and prayed. Turning toward the dead woman, he said, 'Tabitha, get up.' She opened her eyes, and seeing Peter she sat up."

James 5:17 "Elijah was a human being, even as we are. He prayed earnestly that it would not rain, and it did not rain on the land for three and a half years."

Luke 5:16 "Jesus often withdrew to lonely places and prayed."

3. God promises to _____

our prayers in _____.

Matthew 7:7 "Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you."

Matthew 11:28 "Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest."

James 5:16 "The prayer of a righteous person is powerful and effective."

Titus 1:2 "...the hope of eternal life, which God, who does not lie, promised before the beginning of time."

4. We _____ to pray.

Psalms 50:15 "Call on me in the day of trouble; I will deliver you, and you will honor me."

1 Peter 5:7 "Cast all your anxiety on him because he cares for you."