

I Can Talk To God

Questions and Answers about Prayer

Unscramble the words to answer the questions about prayer.

<p>What is prayer?</p> <p>Prayer is _____ L I N G A K T with God.</p>	<p>Why do people pray different ways?</p> <p>They _____ their _____ or _____ S L E C O Y E E S D O L F their _____ so they won't be thinking about other things. S N A D H</p>
<p>When should we pray?</p> <p>Pray _____ time N A Y (Psalm 55:17)</p> <p>Pray _____ the time L L A (1 Thessalonians 5:17)</p>	<p>They pray _____ _____ so others can hear their U T O O U L D prayers.</p> <p>They _____ down on their _____ to show honor to T E G S N E E K God.</p> <p>But you can pray in any way – silently, with your eyes open, and walking down the street! Just pray any time you think about it.</p>
<p>What should we pray about?</p> <p>The Lord's Prayer is found in Matthew 6:9-13. Sometimes people repeat it together in a worship service. It can also be used as an example prayer, to show what we should pray about.</p> <p>To give _____ to God (Matthew 6:9) N O R O H</p> <p>For the _____ we _____ (Matthew 6:11) H N G I S T D E N E</p> <p>For God to _____ our _____ (Matthew 6:12) G R O F E I V N I S S</p> <p>To _____ us from _____ (Matthew 6:13) P E K E N I G N I S N</p>	



Word List:

ANY
ALL
CLOSE
EYES
FOLD
FORGIVE

GET
HANDS
HONOR
KEEP
KNEES
NEED

LOUD
OUT
SINNING
SINS
TALKING
THINGS

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Does God Always Answer Our Prayers?

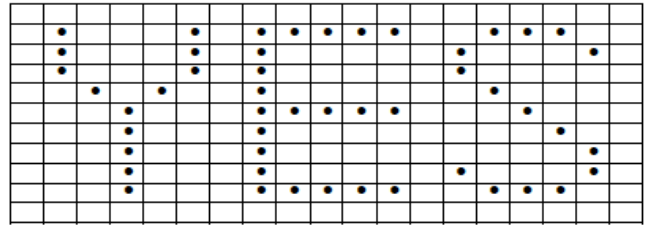
God doesn't always answer our prayers the way we want or expect.

Read each verse and the sentence below it. Then work the puzzle to find out how God might answer the prayer. (Color each square with a dot in it.)

Read John 16:23.

When we pray in Jesus' name (ask for what Jesus wants), God gives us what we ask for.

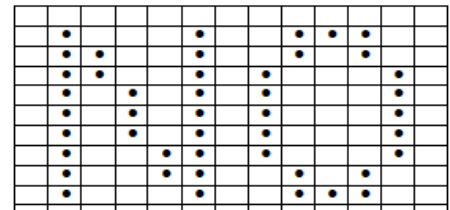
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Read James 4:3.

When we ask for the wrong thing or for the wrong reason, God may not give us what we ask for.

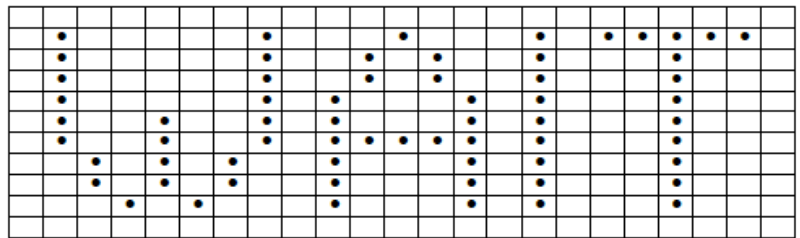
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Read Luke 18:1.

When we pray for something and God doesn't answer right away, we need to keep praying.

God's answer is ...



How Will God Answer?

Read each story, and write "yes", "no", or "wait" below it.

You pray for your friend who is sick and ask God to heal them.

You ask God for a new bike because your friend has a new bike. Your parents already told you no because you just got a new bike.



Your friend doesn't know much about Jesus, so you ask God to help you tell your friend about Jesus.



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