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If you don't have meaningful relationship with God than you won't be connected to him.

Abba(father) wants you to have a relationship with him. Relationship is developed through the avenue of prayer. Come boldly to the throne of God! You don't have to wait for a set time we have open access to our Lord as often as we want.

Glory to God for allowing us to pray anytime we desire!!!

The following is a recap of the types of prayer

II. Kinds of Prayer

- 1) Supplication: To ask humbly and earnestly; an entreaty; to kneel; to seek or ask for by humble entreaty; to submissively pray.
 - o Daniel 9:3-4 Ephesians 6:18 Philippians 4:6 I Timothy 2:1 Hebrews 5:7
- 2) Prayer (proseuche): Prayer in general; to request; to ask.
 - o I Thess. 5:17 Colossians 4:2
- 3) **Prayer (deesis/supplication):** A much stronger word, which stresses a need; a sense of urgency; shows agony.
 - o II Kings 20:2-3 St. Matthew 26:36-38 St. Luke 22:41-45
- **4) Intercession:** A petition on behalf of others; meeting with God to offer a plea for another.
 - Numbers 14:13-20 Acts 12:5 Acts 12:12 Romans 8:26-27 Romans 10:1

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- 5) Gratitude: Giving of thanks; thankfulness; this is a prayer of thanksgiving, and not to request or ask for anything from God. Strictly—"God. I THANK You."
 - o St. Luke 2:38 Philippians 4:6 II Cor. 9:11-12 Ephesians 5:4
 - ❖ When we go through trials, we can count it all joy; it may not be joyous when you're going through the trial but you will always have joy!
 - ❖ As a believer when trials come you have extra strength to go through it because God is on your side.
 - Every day you wake up you can stand by Proverbs 3:5-6 trusting that he can handle all your problems.
 - ❖ Whatever lies ahead of you is not something you have to worry about because God is already ahead of you and knows what the end result will be.
 - ❖ You might have moments where you feel overwhelmed but remember your struggles are already won.
 - ❖ Victory is won in your own Garden of Gethsemane(place of daily surrender)
 - ❖ Sometimes you have to be pressed in order for your oil to run.
 - On a daily basis you should strive to be transformed so that the mind of Christ will be with you!
 - Prayer is a daily tool you should be accessing in order to grow closer with God!

God has already gone to prepare the way; he only desires for us to trust him daily.

To be continued on 5-21-2023

III. Biblical Background (Various forms and usages of the word "pray")