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PRAYER: WHEN GOD IS
INVITED

3 questions
which cause
people to
struggle to pray:

1. If I have experienced unanswered prayers, is it worth my time to pray?

Daniel 3:17-18

17 - If we are thrown into the blazing furnace, the God we serve is able to deliver us from it, and he will deliver us from Your Majesty's hand.

18 - But even if he does not, we want you to know, Your Majesty, that we will not serve your gods or worship the image of gold you have set up."

2. If God has predestined my path, is prayer even necessary?

3. If God is sovereign, why should I pray?

To answer these questions we must understand what birthed the need for prayer.

Genesis 1:26

26 - And God said, Let us make man in our image, after our likeness: and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the earth, and over every creeping thing that creepeth upon the earth.

The secret to accessing God's supernatural power:

1. Jesus and the Miraculous Catch of Fish (John 21:1-12)
2. Calming a storm (Mark 4:35-41; Matthew 8:18-27; Luke 8:22-25)
3. Casting demons out of a lunatic boy (Mark 9:14-29; Matthew 17:14-21; Luke 9:37-42)
4. Casting out a dumb and blind spirit (Luke 11:14-26; Matthew 12:22-32; Mark 3:22-30)

5. Casting out a spirit (Matthew 9:32-34)

6. Cleansing of ten lepers (Luke 17:11-19)

7. Delivering a man in the synagogue from demonic spirits (Mark 1:21-28)

8. Feeding 5,000 with five loaves and two fish (John 6:1-14)

9. Feeding another 4,000-plus (Mark 8:1-10)

Healing a deaf and dumb man (Mark 7:31-37)

Luke 11:1

1 - And it came to pass, that, as he was praying in a certain place, when he ceased, one of his disciples said unto him, Lord, teach us to pray, as John also taught his disciples

Matthew 18:18

18 - Verily I say unto you,
Whatsoever ye shall bind on earth
shall be bound in heaven: and
whatsoever ye shall loose on earth
shall be loosed in heaven.

