

Bible Study Series: Moving to A New Level in Prayer

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How to Call Upon the Lord

Are you ready to go to a new level in your prayer life? Are you ready to leave church usual and experience church unusual? Are you aware of what you need to know to go to a new level in your prayer life? In this lesson, you will learn some things you need to know about moving to that new level in your prayer life. If you want to go further with God than you have ever been, then implement the truths discovered in this lesson.

I. What Does It Mean to Call Upon the Lord?

Call – “to summon His aid.”

Call – “to cry out loudly in order to get someone’s attention.”

Call – “to shout.”

- Jeremiah 29:11-13 says, “for I know the thoughts that I think toward you, says the Lord, thoughts of peace and not of evil, to give you a future and a hope. Then you will **call** upon Me and go and pray to Me, and I will listen to you. And you will seek Me and find Me, when you search for Me with all your heart.
- Jeremiah 33:3 says, “**call** to Me, and I will answer you, and show you great and mighty things, which you do not know.”
- Psalm 145:18 says, “the Lord is near to all who **call** upon Him, to all who **call** upon Him in truth.”
- Genesis 4:25-26 says, “and Adam knew his wife again, and she bore a son and named him Seth, for God has appointed another seed for me instead of Abel, whom Cain killed. And as for Seth, to him also a son was born; and he named him E’nosh. Then men began to **call** on the name of the Lord.”
- Psalm 80:18 says, “then we will not turn back from You; revive us and we will **call** upon Your name.”

II. When Should You Call Upon the Lord?

Scripture is clear that every Christian should practice calling upon the Lord in prayer individually and corporately. When should believers call upon the Lord? We will highlight five situations in which Christians should call upon the Lord.

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