

## Learning To Pray - 6

*"In this manner, therefore, pray: Our Father in heaven, Hallowed be Your name. **Your kingdom come. Your will be done on earth as it is in heaven.** Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And do not lead us into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one. For Yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen."* Matthew 6:9-13 NKJV

**Jesus taught His disciples this pattern of prayer:**

- 1. Worship**
- 2. Declaration**
- 3. Provision**
- 4. Forgiveness**
- 5. Protection**
- 6. Thanksgiving**

IV. THE FIFTH PRAYER TOPIC: **PROTECTION**

**3 Requests:**

1. LEAD ME **AWAY FROM** TEMPTATION.

*"When tempted, no one should say, "God is tempting me." For God cannot be tempted by evil, nor does he tempt anyone; but each one is tempted when, by his own evil desire, he is dragged away and enticed."* James 1:13-14 NIV

*"So, if you think you are standing firm, be careful that you don't fall!"* 1 Corinthians 10:12 NIV

2. LEAD ME **THROUGH MY** TEMPTATION.

*"My brethren, count it all joy when you fall into various trials, knowing that the testing of your faith produces patience. But let patience have its perfect work, that you may be perfect and complete, lacking nothing."* James 1:2-4 NKJV

*"Then Jesus was led up by the Spirit into the wilderness to be tempted by the devil. And when He had fasted forty days and forty nights, afterward He was hungry. Now when the tempter came to Him, he said, 'If You are the Son of God, command that these stones become bread.'" Matthew 4:1-3 NKJV*

*"A satisfied soul loathes the honeycomb, but to a hungry soul every bitter thing is sweet."* Proverbs 27:7 NKJV

- **There is a promise:**

*"No temptation has seized you except what is common to man. And God is faithful; he will not let you be tempted beyond what you can bear. But when you are tempted, he will also provide a way out so that you can stand up under it."* 1 Corinthians 10:13 NIV

- **There is a promotion**

*"Blessed is the man who endures temptation; for when he has been approved, he will receive the crown of life which the Lord has promised to those who love Him."* James 1:12 NKJV

3. DELIVER ME FROM THE **SNARE OF** TEMPTATION.

*"Then you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free."* John 8:32 NIV

*"This is the message we have heard from him and declare to you: God is light; in him there is no darkness at all. If we claim to have fellowship with him yet walk in the darkness, we lie and do not live by the truth. But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus, his Son, purifies us from all sin."* 1 John 1:5-7 NIV

*"If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness."* 1 John 1:9 NIV