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BIBLE STUDY

Definition of prayer:

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Prayer is an _____ conversation with God—where we
_____ honestly with Him, _____ for His voice, and
_____ our hearts with His will. It's not just asking for things; it's
building _____, drawing _____, and learning to
_____ on Him in _____ circumstance.

Think “THIS NOT THAT” when it comes to Prayer

1. Prayer is _____, NOT _____. (Isaiah 29:13)
2. Prayer is about _____, NOT _____. (Matthew 6:5-8))
3. Prayer is an honest and authentic _____, NOT a _____.
(Psalm 62:8, Matthew 11:28-30)
4. Prayer is _____ too, NOT only _____. (John 10:27, Psalm
46:10, Exodus 14:14)
5. Prayer is _____ and _____ NOT a _____ session.
(1 Thessalonians 5:16-18, Psalm 100:4).
6. Prayer is an opportunity for _____, NOT just for _____. (1
Timothy 2:1, Ephesians 6:18).
7. Prayer is _____ with God's _____, NOT God _____ to
our _____. (Luke 22:42).

When starting a Prayer Practice:

- Remember, God DELIGHTS in spending time with you.
- Prayer should be your FIRST option, not your LAST.
- Use Scripture: Pray God's Word back to Him.
 1. YAWEH
 2. BREATH PRAYERS
 3. ALLOW THE LORD TO SPEAK TO YOU IN FIRST PERSON
- Keep a Journal: Write prayers, answers, and reflections.
- Stay Real: Talk to God as you would to a trusted friend—ALL DAY LONG.
- PRAYER is THE OPEN DOOR for the Holy Spirit to usher in HOPE and PEACE.
- A great starting place is with the Lord's Prayer as your model. (Matt 6:9-13)
- Prayer is POWERFUL and EFFECTIVE. (James 5:16)
- Be CONSISTENT: Build prayer into DAILY RHYTHM. (commute, meals, bedtime).