



# The Gospel of Matthew

## Review

Remember who you are praying to (v. 9)

Remember what matters most (v. 10a)

Remember your goal in life (v. 10b)

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**Remember our total dependence on God (v. 11)**

A petition for God's help

An affirmation of God's goodness

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**Remember our indebtedness to God (v. 12, 14-15)**

**The corruption of sin**

**The cure for sin**

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**Remember our spiritual weakness (v. 13)**

**The textual conundrum**

**The textual clarification**

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## Some practical helps to improve prayer life

- Prayer must be inundated with the Words of God
- Pray the promises of God
- Pray in a unique and quiet place
- Before beginning, close your eyes and focus on where you are at
- If possible, pray out loud
- Sing hymns/songs as part of your prayers

