

THE SECRET KEY TO HEAVEN: THE VITAL IMPORTANCE OF PRIVATE PRAYER (Thomas Brooks)

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11 Christ is very much affected and delighted in the secret prayers of His people.

12 Only Believers share God's Secrets.

3 Secrets the Lord Reveals to the Elect:

1. Secrets of Providence
2. Secrets of His Kingdom
3. Secrets of His Favor and Special Love

13 Consider that in times of great straits and trials...afflictions and persecutions, private prayer is the Christian's meat and drink; it is his chief city of refuge; it is his shelter and hiding place in a stormy day.

14 Consider that God is
Omnipresent.

15 If we neglect private prayer, God will not hear our public prayers.

16 The times in which we live
call aloud for secret prayer.

17 Those near to the Lord
should engage in secret
prayer.

18 Consider that God has set a special mark of favor, honor, and observation upon those who have prayed in secret.

19 Consider that Satan is a very great enemy to secret prayer.

20 The Lord's secret ones
should engage in secret
prayer.

