

Prayer

Give Us Today Our Daily Bread

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⁹ "This, then, is how you should pray:"

'Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,

¹⁰ your kingdom come,
your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

¹¹ Give us today our daily bread. **Matthew 6:9-11, NIV**

¹⁵ The eyes of all look to you, and you give them their food at the proper time. ¹⁶ You open your hand and **satisfy the desires of every living thing.** **Psalm 145:15-16, NIV**

What is daily bread?

Daily bread is everything I _____ for my body and life.

⁶ But godliness with contentment is great gain. ⁷ For we brought nothing into the world, and we can take nothing out of it. ⁸ But **if we have food and clothing, we will be content with that.** ⁹ Those who want to get rich **fall into temptation and a trap** and into many foolish and harmful desires that plunge people into ruin and destruction. ¹⁰ For the love of money is a root of all kinds of evil. **Some people, eager for money, have wandered from the faith** and pierced themselves with many griefs ¹¹ But you, man of God, flee from all this, and pursue righteousness, godliness, faith, love, endurance and gentleness. **1 Timothy 6:6-11, NIV**

Some of the traps of wealth:

Rich people live in _____.

Rich people struggle with _____.

Rich people tend to tie _____ and _____ to wealth.

⁸ *Keep falsehood and lies far from me; give me neither poverty nor riches, but give me only my daily bread.*

⁹ *Otherwise, I may have too much and disown you and say, 'Who is the LORD?' Or I may become poor and steal, and so dishonor the name of my God.* **Proverbs 30:8-9, NIV**

Receiving daily bread reminds us of our _____ on God and daily _____ for him in every facet of our lives.

⁹ *For you know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, yet for your sake he became poor, so that you through his poverty might become rich.* **2 Corinthians 8:9, NIV**

Jesus took my _____ and gave me his _____.
I am _____.

¹⁹ "Do not store up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moths and vermin destroy, and where thieves break in and steal. ²⁰ But store up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where moths and vermin do not destroy, and where thieves do not break in and steal. ²¹ For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also." **Matthew 6:19-21, NIV**

⁴ Take delight in the LORD, and he will give you the desires of your heart. **Psalm 37:4, NIV**

³³ But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well. **Matthew 6:33, NIV**

"Give us today our daily bread" helps us keep our lives in the right _____ and reflects our _____ system.

MEMORY VERSE

⁸ *Keep falsehood and lies far from me; give me neither poverty nor riches, but give me only my daily bread.* **Proverbs 30:8, NIV**

Bottom Line: I will depend on Jesus for every physical and spiritual blessing. I will remember that I am truly rich!

What's your next step today?

Mark it on your Communication Card.