

Title: What Results Can We Expect?

Text: John 14:13-14

Take your Bibles, please, and turn to John chapter 14. The third in our series on PRAYER. The subject: WHAT RESULTS CAN WE EXPECT?

The sad thruth is that many people do not believe that prayer works. One writer who speaks about prayer says that "prayer is basically to claim our hearts. It is a mistake to think that anything will take place."

Well, my dear friends, that is liberal theology. Prayer is not some sort of fedish. It is not some sort of thing that we go through to make us feel better. Prayer is not addressing a higher power and hoping that He is there. It is not whistling in the dark. We have a living God and He answers prayer. And, dear, friends, we are going to talk this morrowing about the results.

John chapter 14 verse 13....(READ Vs 13-14)

John 15 verse 7....(Read Vs 7)

John 16 verse 24...(Read Vs 24)

Now, turn back to Matt, please. Matthew chapter 7 verse 7..(READ Vs 7-8)

Matt. chapter 17 verse 14...(Read Vs 14-21)

Matt. chapter 21 verse 18...(Read Vs 18-22)

Luke chapter 11...Luke chapter 11 verse 9....(Read Vs 9-13)

LET'S PRAY

Father, we thank you that you answer prayer. And I pray that you will strength our hearts, today, That you are a God who hears and answers prayer. Our Father, help us to block out whatever maybe hindering our understanding of your precious Word. We ask that you would focus in our minds the glory of your power and the glory of your strength. We who doubt so much, fell us with faith. We who question so often, bring answers and solutions from you.

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Now, what results, according to the Bible, can we expect to have when we pray? What excellly takes place.

Let's start with Philippians chapter 4. And I am going to give you a long list today. I hope you have a pencil handy. And you will take this all down. And I know it will be a blessing to you.

(1 ) Philippians chapter 4 and verse 6 and 7 tells us a very practical result that will occur if we will only pray. Philippians chapter 4 verses 6 and 7. And that practical result is peace of mind and heart. Are you troubled ? Right now are you troubled about something? How many of you have in the past week something about which one could be troubled? Let me see your

hands...Right! We all do. Maybe something today.

Now, what should we do? James 5:13 says "is anyone among you suffering?" And the word "suffering" means emotional suffering. Let him pray. Now, let's suppose you are troubled about something. What should you do? The Bible says, LET HIM PRAY. PEACE OF MIND AND HEART IS A PROMISED RESULT OF PRAYER.

PHILIPPIANS 4:6.. "Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God" and don't expect God to do anything about it. IS THAT WHAT IT SAYS? NO! It says "And the peace of God, which surpasses all comprehension"...you willn't be able to figure it out..."shall guard your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus."

Now, what results do we receive from prayer? The first thing is PEACE OF MIND.

I love Isaiah 26:3 which says "I will keep him in perfect peace whose mind is on thee." There are a thousand things that take our minds off of the Lord. And we need to have peace.

Now, I want you to look carefully and Philippians 4 verses 6 and 7 and maybe you will find out why you don't get peace when you pray. You say, "Hay! I have been praying and I don't get peace." Well, please take a look at it.

"Be anxious for nothing." I mean why pray when you can worry.

RIGHT! AMEN! The word "anxious" is a Greek word meaning "to divide."

Do you remember when Jesus was at the home of Mary and Martha in Luke chapter 10? And Jesus said to Martha, "Martha, Martha you are distracted about many things. Mary has chosen the good part. She sat at the feet of Jesus to learn from him and to hear from him. Martha I appreciate your gift of serving, but you are all mixed up. You are troubled. She was troubled because Mary wasn't helping her. And Jesus said, "Martha, Martha you are distracted about many things. It is the same word translated "anxious " in Philippians 4:6.

It is the Greek word divide. What it means is instead of focusing on the Lord and what he can do, you are looking at your circumstances or the problem with the emotional stress that you are in, and that controls your heart. Not Jesus. Not what Jesus can do. In fact you are not asking Jesus to do anything because you are troubled with everything that is happening. And the circumstances of life on any given day can wipe out the best of us. Do you believe that? You can just be over whelmed by the circumstances in any given day. And God permits that to happen just to show you that you need his peace. Peace is the result of not losing your focus. Of keeping your mind and heart centered on the Lord and what he can do. Don't be divided about anything.

You say, "Hey! you don't know my problem." No matter how serious

you think it is, focus on the Lord.

(2 ) Number two. You may not have peace because you did not do what the verse says. It says, 'WITH THANKSGIVING.'

NOW, I DON'T KNOW ABOUT you, but I find it hard to give thanks for that which is in my category 'BAD'. Do you find that hard? TO SAY..THANK YOU LORD! Thank you Lord that I broke my arm and it is now in a cast.

AMEN!

You know, it is amazing how many things in life are troublesome. You cannot figure out why they happen. You just don't understand. And God says "Don't be distracted." You know, I could come to the conclusion that we are not going to understand anything, until we get to heaven. WHAT DO YOU THINK?

I mean there are so many things that happen in life that you can't figure out. Now, why in the world is all of this happening?

BE ANXIOUS FOR NOTHING. Yet, a lot of us make a game out of that. We are in to it. We are anxious.

Now, do you want to know how severe this is? Turn to Matthew chapter 6. And let me show you that maybe one of the reasons why you don't have peace. Why you are still troubled about it. Matthew chapter 6 and notice vs 25.

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Jesus said, "For this reason I say to you, do not be anxious." You know, that is the exact same statement as found in Philippians 4:6. Do not be anxious. Do not worry. Do not be distracted about your life. "as to what you shall eat, or what you shall drink; not for your body, as to what you shall put on. Is not life more than food, and the body than clothing?"

(Read Vs 26-34)

Vs 34 is a real punch line. "Therefore do not be anxious for tomorrow." Don't take one thought..don't be anxious..don't get distracted about it. WHY? BECAUSE tomorrow will care for itself." Have you noticed that?

I like this next phrase. I find a lot of humor in the bible. It says, "Each day has enough trouble of its own." What that means is that there is so much hassell and trouble tomorrow that if God let you in on it in advance, it would wipe you out. So, why even bother to think about it.

You say, "Oh, I tell you. This is going to led to something. I can't believe what could happen. A month from now, I just know what is going to happen"

Know you don't. You don't know anything about tomorrow. Not a thing. You say, "Well, I get up and have breakfast." You don't even know that. It could change tomorrow. Your wife may get mad and not serve it to you. You never know.

"Be anxious for what?....NOTHING...YOU say, wait a minute. I have my

list. NO, NO , NO...It says, 'FOR NOTHING'

Now, let me share this. It is sort of amusing. But it might help. If you are troubled. And you don't have peace. I will tell you what to do. Just make yourself a list. List all the things. Number one, I didn't get paid this week. Number two..had a flat tire. Number three, wife yelled at me. Number four, I yelled back. Number 5....You know, make a list. O.K. you got your list.

Now, look at that list and realize that God said, "Be anxious for nothing." And just tear up the list and throw it away.

I mean it. Get out your list. Say what you want to say. Put down all that you are worried about. Now, just tear it up. God said, "Don't think about it. Be anxious for nothing.

It is fun to watch the audience. People are going...O.K. is he serious...  
(2 )Number two, turn to John chapter 16 verse 24. One of the wonderful results from prayer is peace of mind and heart. And God has promised to keep your heart and mind through Christ.

John chapter 16 and look at verse 24..."Until now you have asked for nothing in my name; ask, and you will receive, that your joy may be made full." Write it down...FULNESS OF JOY..

Why should I pray. What results can we expect. Number two..you can have fulness of joy.

If you want to stop being happy, just stop praying. Real easy to do.

Just stop telling the Lord about it. Take all the burden yourself. Don't once ever think about giving it to the Lord. Just build your shoulders so that you can carry all the burdens yourself. Tell everybody that you are able. That you can handle it. But, don't consider prayer at all. That is a good why to be unhappy.

Do you want fulness of joy, even when things seem to be going bad? Then pray. Take your burdens to the Lord. And be sure to keep them after you have talk with Him. Is that what it says? NO WAY. You have to dump them on Him. Cast your burdens on the Lord, and He will sustain you, says Isa. 55. And 1 Peter 5:7 says, "cast all your cares upon Him" and guess what? It is are old friend 'ANXNITY AGAIN'. "Cast all you anxiety, you worry times, your distractions, all that you are concerned about. Just cast it all on the Lord. He cares for you. He will take care of it. Don't worry about it. That is what Jesus said. FULNESS OF JOY IS A BY PRODUCT OF CONSISTENT PRAYER. There will be joy in your heart when you see what God can do.

(3 ) Number three. Turn to James chapter 5. DIVINE HEALING is a result you can expect from prayer. It is amazing to me how many folks ask me, "Do you believe in healing?" Well, of course. Don't you?

First of all, I would like to tell you that I believe very strongly in the best healing that you could get. The resurrection of your body. Now, that is what I call healing. We are talking permentant, the very best healing that you could ever get. It is the resurrection. When the Lord come again...AMEN!

That is healing.

Now, everything from now until your death or the Lord's return is kind of a troublesome deal. You say, 'CAN THE LORD HEAL ME?'

First of all, can the Lord heal you of a bad spirit? Sure!

Can the Lord heal you of a sick mind? YES!

Can the Lord heal you of a drug addiction? YES!

Can the Lord heal you of alcoholism? YES!

Can the Lord heal a sore that is on your body? Well!!!! People say, "in time."

Have you ever notice how people vassolate about healing. Suppose it doesn't happen And you have prayed for it? What is the next step? Well, you didn't have enough faith. It is very clear.

Now, that is interesting. Because Jesus healed people who didn't even believe in him. Evidently, it is not necessary. But, a lot of us think that. So, you go through this little mind game. John over here prayed and he got healed. But, I prayed and I never got healed.

You know, there is also an assumption that some how healing is better than sickness. I haven't figured that one out yet from the Bible. I tell you I have been trying to look at this. But, I do not believe that you can prove that temporary healing, that is something that happens before the resurrection, is better than sickness.

First of all, if you make a list there is more good things said about

sickness and suffering then there is about healing. It seems to me that it would be better if we suffered a little bit. We could learn a lot more. More blessings come to us that way. But, I don't believe that many of us go into deep earnest prayer over suffering. "Please, Lord, bring a tone of suffering tomorrow to me. Just flood my body with illness. Lord. Make me sick. NO! I don't think anybody prays like that. But, there is a lot more blessings in suffering and sick. So, you see, we have a little problem, here, don't we?

So, does God heal everybody who is sick? NO!! Or, yes...Ultimately He does. Again, if you get sick and you die. And you are a believer. The resurrection is going to heal you. RIGHT? So, God does ultimately heal everyone who is sick. RIGHT?

I read a little book, once, entitled, GOD WANTS YOU WELL. Some one gave it to me. It isn't worth much in my opinion. But, I read the book. GOD WANTS YOU WELL. And I thought that person could have saved a lot of time writting that book and instead just told us about the resurrection. Because if you centered in on the resurrection, I would agree that God wants you well. In fact it wants you so well that he will eliminate the problem completely that made you sick.

Now, let's come back to the question as it relates to this life, right now. DOES GOD HEAL PEOPLE WHO ARE SICK? ANSWER: YES!!!

Let me ask you a question. If you took some medicine and got better.

And they said that the medicine did it. Did God heal you?

Look if there is any properties, or eliminates in anyone's medicine, or any chemicals that has come from anyone's soil on the planet, who do you think made it? GOD MADE IT.

Now, let's suppose that a surgent helps you. Did the surgant heal you or did God heal you?

O.K. think with me carefully. Does God when He heals you, only heals the things that no one sees? For example. Does it bother you, it bothers me, that a broken bone that comes through the skin is not just immidiately put back together. Just ..bang..it is back together. Why doesn't that happen?

Why is the healing that people say happens hard to varify? I hope you are all listening to me. I might make some of you uncomfortable. I don't know.

I believe God heals. And I believe when God does heal he does a good job. HOW ABOUT YOU? AMEN!!

A woman told me once that God healed her tooth. I ask her what she meant. And she said that a filling fell out of a tooth. And the next morning when she woke up the filling was back in her tooth. And she said, "God filled my tooth." I said that couldn't be. And she said why? And I said because God doesn't do bad denistry. (ha)

FIRST OF ALL IT DOESN'T LOOK LIKE A REAL GOOD JOB. BUT, SECONDLY, WHY

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When they poured oil over the high Priest garments to anoint him and dedicate him to the Lord.

The word "Christ" is the same word. The anointed one. What we are talking about is a sacred symbol, emphasizing the power of God. It is the oil of the Holy Spirit's power. It is not referring to a medicine use of the word oil.

And according to the Bible it is just symbolic. But it is an important symbol. It is symbolizing the power of the Holy Spirit and what God can do.

And it says, "the prayer of faith." What kind of prayer is that? Hay! we are talking tonight about results. Don't you want to pray that way? I sure do.

The word "prayer" is not the word "demand." Out of all the words used for prayer, it is the simple word for "worship." We are to give thanks. Literally, give thanks toward. Meaning toward God. It is a prayer of thanksgiving. Lord, we are thankful that you are able to do this. So, we commit it unto you.

It is the prayer of faith. Not your faith. The Greek has the definite article "THE" .The prayer of THE FAITH. The sum total of what God has revealed. It is a prayer that is in light of the Word of God. It is in accordance with the faith that was once and for all time delivered to the Saints. It isn't

my ability to believe that heals anybody. It is God who heals.

I read again, Vs 15, the "Lord will raise him up."

Then it mentions the sin issue. Because the truth is that some people are blocking the power of God in their life, even in the area of physical

illnesses. Because of sin. Sins against brothers and sisters in Christ. And if we would confess them and get right with the Lord, healing would come. If that is the problem. But, many times it is not.

Now, we are given an example. It is the example of Elijah. The Bible says that Elijah is like us. He is no different. We are not talking here about super saints that could really believe God. Who had the power of healing in their life. Who could somehow do something that no one else could do. NO! WAY! We are not talking about that at all. Even when the disciples were given the authority to cast out demons in the days of Jesus, they could not do it. And Jesus said the reason you could not do it is because this happens by prayer. The point is that they were not trusting God. They were thinking that somehow they had the power.

Listen, the only one who performs healing is God. He is the one who heals. And I look at this text, and I say, WOW! Elijah is just like me. And he prayed that it would not rain and it didn't. For three years and six months it did not rain. Then he prayed again and it rained. You say, "well I am no Elijah. HAY!! I am not so sure. If you know the story, you know where Elijah ends up. He ends up in a cave running away from Jezebel. And God says, "What are you doing here, Elijah? And God gave him a visual demonstration of his problem. All kinds of natural things such as earthquakes and so forth. And God was in that still small voice in Elijah's heart. And basically God said, "Elijah, get out of here." You don't have any

business being here.

Here is this gaint who called upon the Lord to answer prayer to wholed back the rain and then to bring the rain., is now not even able to handle his own emotions. He is threated by Queen Jesabel. He is down in a cave and he is totally depressed. And he even says, "I am the only one left of all the prophets who is still faithful to God."

Do you know what God said to him? Hay! get up on your feet and do what I told you to do. By the way, I have 7 thousand other prophets who are serving me faithfully. You are not the only one. You can be replaced is the basic message.

Now, what results can we expect in prayer. The Bible says WE CAN BE HEALED.

Now, I want to ask you. DO YOU BELIEVE GOD CAN HEAL BY SIMPLE DOING IT? God doesn't heal everyone. He does what he wants to do.

Have you ever seen God heal anyone by this method? How many have? Let me see your hands? Look at that ===all over the audiance. I have too. I have seen it in my wife.

Listen, folks, God heals. But, it wants all the glory. Do you udnerstand? He wants all the glory. You can expect God to work when you pray like He told you to pray. But, so much in our generation is self centered. It is not centered in God. You have not because you ask not is one problem. But, you

also have a problem according to James when you ask incorrectly that you may consume it on your own lust. When we are simply trying to get something from God based on our own lust and on our own desires. And it has nothing to do with the glory of God. If that is how we pray, don't expect God to answer. God does answer prayer. But we had better do His way.

(4) Turn to Colossians chapter 4. A fourth result that you can expect is open doors for the Word of God. I like what one missionary said on the radio about why are all the walls of communism falling down? Why are all the opportunities opening up in Eastern Europe and in the Soviet Union and around the world. Why is that happening? And without hesitation he answered. Because God's people have been praying for it for a long time. No, it didn't happen at the diplomatic table. God is answering prayer.

Do you believe that God opens doors for the Word of God? You say, "well you don't know the guy I work with. I have been trying to witness to him for a long time. Hay! God answers prayer. He opens doors for the Word of God.

Now, look at Col. 4, please. Col. 4 verse 2...(Read Vs 2-3)

God opens doors.

In Acts 16, the case of Lydia, seller of purple. A wealthy lady from Thyatira, now in the city of Philippi. And Paul meets this woman and shared the Word of God. And the Bible says that God open her heart. God opens the doors of individual hearts and he opens doors of opportunity for the Word.

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We need to pray that God would do that.

(5 ) Turn over the Ephesians chapter 6. A fiveth result is that God will give boldness in proclaiming the gospel. Are you having trouble sharing Jesus Christ with someone---some family member, some one on a prayer list, a friends. You want to share the gospel but you lack boldness. Something is wrong. Prayer opens up that boldness.

Ephesians 6:18...(Read Vs 18-19)

Do you believe that God answers prayer? He will give you boldness in proclaiming the gospel.

(6 ) Turn to 2 Thessalonians. please. 2 Thessalonians chapter 3. Are you being hasseled by wicked people? Are there hostiles that you face? God answers prayer by bring us a sixth result. And that is protection from wicked people. 2 Thessalonians 3 verse 1 says...(Read Vs 1-3)

Prayer is necessary for protection from wicked people.

(7 ) Turn to James chapter 1, please. What other results can you expect when you pray. Peace of mind...fulness of joy...divine healing...open doors for the Word of God...boldness in proclaiming the gospel...protection from wicked people..and number seven: WISDOM. Is there anyone here that doesn't need wisdom?

James chapter 1 verse 5 says...(read Vs 5-8)

Listen to me, dear friends. I have seen God answer this prayer over

and over again. If any of you lack wisdom, let him ask God. I have seen wisdom given by God in meetings where there is absolutely stale mate. No body understanding what to do. No one really knowing the direction of the Lord. And I have seen by prayer that God gave wisdom. And the whole problem was so beautifully resolved. And everyone said, "How did that happen?"

I have seen a situation where you are dealing with a problem and there seem to be no solution. And I have seen with prayer that God gives wisdom and the problem is solved. And you wonder why there was so much difficulty.

Now, how do you know you have wisdom when it operates? You always know you have wisdom when the application, the result of what is discussed or said or done, always brings glory to God, always conforms to the Word of God, and brings peace and order to a relationship. When you have the wisdom of God, God's character will be honored. You will do what is right. When you have the wisdom of God, you will know exactly how to do it. And you will notice the greatest good from it. Because wisdom from God does more than any knowledge that we have ever received could ever do. God's wonderful wisdom. The ability to apply knowledge in a way that pleases the Lord and glorifies Him and honors Him. We need wisdom.

Did you like what he said, here? He will never jump on you for asking.

Did you get that? You know, we say, "Well I ask him three times this week and I don't want to bug him." REALLY? The Bible says that God will answer prayer and will never give you reproach. He will answer with out reproach. He will not say, "Bill, you are asking to much." No, he loves for you to ask. If anyone lack wisdom let him ask of God.

(8 )Turn to Ephesians chapter 3. Another wonderful result from prayer is spritual power. Most of us are lacking that. Let's face it. We don't know and experience it on a regular bases. Spiritual power. It is a result of prayer.

I read in Ephesiand 3 verse 14...(reada Vs 14-16; 20-21<sup>o</sup>

Spiritual power. The result of prayer.

(9 ) Turn to I Timothy chapter 2, please. I Timothy chapter 2. A lot of people are concerned about what is going on in society. God says that prayer can do wonders. This ninth result is a quite and peaceful life in society. And I don't see much of that. You read your newspaper and you read about robbers and break ins. We lock and bolt our doors. And we are afraid to walk the streets at night. I tell you we have a serious problem here. And as we look at all the reports of crime, I just wonder---ARE WE PRAYING?

I Timothy 2 verses 1 and 2.. (read Vs 1-2)

Did you notice what VS 2 said? It said to pray for kings and all who are in authority. Do we pray for those in authority? Our representatives, our congressman, our local officials? If we do, PLEASE notice the result. "We may lead a peaceful and quiet life in all godliness and dignity." That is what it says.

So, what is a result that I can expect from prayer? It is a quiet and peaceful life in society.

(10 ) Turn to Matthew chapter 26. Matthew 26 verse 41. The tenth result that you can expect from prayer is help in resisting temptation. Matthew 26 verse 41. Jesus said. "Keep watching and praying, that you may not enter into temptation; the spirit is willing, but the flesh is weak."

Do you believe by praying that you can have victory over temptation? Hay! folks! I will tell you one thing that when folks are tempted and they want to sin, they usually don't think about praying.

I said that once to a young man who was sleeping with his girl friend and he wanted to stop. I said, "great, the next time you are in that situation why don't you just have a word of prayer." He said, I couldn't do that. And I ask WHY NOT? He said that would stop it.

I said, "I thought that was the point. Watch and pray that you may not enter into temptation. The spirit is willing but the flesh is weak.

Is there some area that you are troubled with? Some habit that you are trying to conquer? Have you considered the power of prayer? Do you believe that God answers prayer? Do you believe that God can deliver you from the habit that you know you should get rid of?

Watch and pray that you may not enter into temptation. That is powerful folks. Because I will tell you what the enemy will do. He doesn't want you to pray. He will not want you to pray when you are being tempted. God answers prayer.

(11 ) Turn to Matthw chapter 9, please. The eleventh result we can expect when we pray is a wonderful one as it deals with missions. And that is workers for the harvest fields of the world. Matthew chapter 9 verse 36. What results can we expect? We can expect people to start committing themselves to service. The Bible says, vs 36..(Read vs 36-38)

It is interesting that vs 1 and chapter 10 says when he called his 12 disciples he gave them power and vs 5 says these 12 Jesus sent out.

I like what one missionary writer says about this passage. You must be careful about praying for workers. You may end up going. I like that.

How are we going to get more workers for the harvest fields of the world? How about for the harvest fields of this church? And God's answer is prayer. That is what it says. "Beseech, which is the word for prayer, that the Lord of the harvest to send out workers into His harvest.

(12 ) Turn to Romans chapter 10 verse 1. A twelveth result that you can expect from prayer is the salvation of people. Romans chapter 10 verse 1. I was ask once if the Bible ever says that we should pray for the lost? And my answer was Romans chapter 10 verse 1.. "Brethren, my heart's desire and my prayer to God for them is for their salvation."

Do you have a list of people that you would like to see come to the Lord? One of the great concerns that I have in this church is that we pray so well for those who are sick. But, very few of us pray for individuals who are lost and need the Lord.

What can we expect from God. We can expect the salvation of people. The hardest cases are no sweat to God.

You say, "You don't know my husband. You don't know my wife. You don't know the people I work with. The hardest cases are no problem to God. Is it your heart's desire and constant prayer to God that people be saved?

(13 ) One last one that I would like to give you is very interesting.

Philippians chapter 1 verses 9 to 11. You may want to continue your own list

as you study the Bible.

We have said so far that the results we can expect from prayer is Peace of mind, Fulness of joy, divine healing, open doors for the Word, boldness in proclaiming the gospel, protection from wicked people, wisdom, spiritual power, quiet and peaceable life in society, help in resisting temptation, workers for the harvest fields, the salvation of people, and one more. This one really fascinates me. It is in Philippians chapter 1 beginning with Vs 9

(Read Vs 9-11)

What a wonderful prayer. The heart of that prayer...the result that we can expect is an abundance of love.

Do you believe that God's people needs love? I think some of you here today need love so bad that you can even share it with others. And I am not talking about the romantic sexual kind. You just need someone to care. Hay! We need love within the body of Christ. We need to care.

Do you think this world needs love? Man, does it need love. With ever pasting year I notice that society is more hostile. People need love. They need tremendous love.

There might be some one in this church, right now, that needs more love then you could ever understand.

God answers prayer. Paul says, "this I pray that your love may

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abound still more and more. Listen, you never have too much love. You never have more than you should have. We all need more love in our hearts. Love melts the coldest heart. Love does wonders. You can meet a total stranger who is angry and hostile and love will melt that heart.

And the opposite will produce terrible results. Let us be people that is controlled by love.

The Bible tells us that the greatest thing in life is Love. The greatest of all the wonderful attributes is love. Love edifies. Love builds people up. Love tells them that they can continue for another day. Love says that no matter how you have failed, you can go on. Love encourages. Love never tears down. OH, HOW WE NEED LOVE. And God answers prayer. "This I pray that your love may abound more and more.

LET'S CLOSE WITH PRAYER