

Prayer and Practice Matthew 7:7-12 June 5, 2022

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	0	A.S.K, is a good way to remember how to keep the
		right approach in our prayers. All three speak of habitual, continual actions.
	0	"Ask with confidence and humility. Seek with care and application. Knock with earnestness
		and perseverance." – Adam Clarke
		• We are less effective God when we are less inclined to spend time
		God.
	0	God knows the difference between bread and a stone or between a fish and a snake better
		than we do.
		• He can make the hard decisions and give us what is, even if it's not what is
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	0	There is no wasted time in prayer because time spent in prayer is time spent with the Father
2.		in(12)
	0	"We should no more build our theology on the Golden Rule than we should build our
		astronomy on 'Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star.'" – Warren Wiersbe
	0	Versions of this rule appeared before Jesus, but they were always stated in the negative.
		• See Leviticus 19:18
		 Other Eastern religions had similar statements:
		• <u>Confucianism</u> : "Do not do to others what you do not want them to do to you."
		• <u>Hinduism</u> : "This is the sum of duty: do not do to others what would cause pair
		if done to you."
		 <u>Buddhism</u>: "Hurt not others in ways that you yourself would find hurtful."
		 The difference is that Jesus puts the believer in the position of doing what is
		rather than avoiding what is
		• We don't have to celebrate to love
		■ Matthew 5:43-45

The 59 "One Anothers" of the New Testament

- 1. "...Be at peace with each other." (Mark 9:50)
- 2. "...Wash one another's feet." (John 13:14)
- 3. "...Love one another..." (John 13:34a)
- 4. "...Love one another..." (John 13:34b)
- 5. "...Love one another..." (John 13:35)
- 6. "...Love one another..." (John 15:12)
- 7. "...Love one another" (John 15:17)
- 8. "Be devoted to one another in brotherly love..." (Romans 12:10)
- 9. "...Honor one another above yourselves. (Romans 12:10)
- 10. "Live in harmony with one another..." (Romans 12:16)
- 11. "...Love one another..." (Romans 13:8)
- 12. "...Stop passing judgment on one another." (Romans 14:13)
- 13. "Accept one another, then, just as Christ accepted you..." (Romans 15:7)
- 14. "...Instruct one another." (Romans 15:14)
- 15. "Greet one another with a holy kiss..." (Romans 16:16)
- 16. "...When you come together to eat, wait for each other." (1 Cor. 11:33)
- 17. "...Have equal concern for each other." (1 Corinthians 12:25)
- 18. "...Greet one another with a holy kiss." (1 Corinthians 16:20)
- 19. "Greet one another with a holy kiss." (2 Corinthians 13:12)
- 20. "...Serve one another in love." (Galatians 5:13)
- 21. "If you keep on biting and devouring each other...you will be destroyed by each other." (Galatians 5:15)
- 22. "Let us not become conceited, provoking and envying each other." (Galatians 5:26)
- 23. "Carry each other's burdens..." (Galatians 6:2)
- 24. "...Be patient, bearing with one another in love." (Ephesians 4:2)
- 25. "Be kind and compassionate to one another..." (Ephesians 4:32)
- 26. "...Forgiving each other..." (Ephesians 4:32)
- 27. "Speak to one another with psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs." (Ephesians 5:19)
- 28. "Submit to one another out of reverence for Christ." (Ephesians 5:21)
- 29. "...In humility consider others better than yourselves." (Philippians 2:3)

- 30. "Do not lie to each other..." (Colossians 3:9)
- 31. "Bear with each other..." (Colossians 3:13)
- 32. "...Forgive whatever grievances you may have against one another." (Colossians 3:13)
- 33. "Teach...[one another]" (Colossians 3:16)
- 34. "...Admonish one another (Colossians 3:16)
- 35. "...Make your love increase and overflow for each other." (1 Thessalonians 3:12)
- 36. "...Love each other." (1 Thessalonians 4:9)
- 37. "...Encourage each other..." (1 Thessalonians 4:18)
- 38. "...Encourage each other..." (1 Thessalonians 5:11)
- 39. "...Build each other up..." (1 Thessalonians 5:11)
- 40. "Encourage one another daily..." Hebrews 3:13)
- 41. "...Spur one another on toward love and good deeds." (Hebrews 10:24)
- 42. "... Encourage one another." (Hebrews 10:25)
- 43. "...Do not slander one another." (James 4:11)
- 44. "Don't grumble against each other..." (James 5:9)
- 45. "Confess your sins to each other..." (James 5:16)
- 46. "... Pray for each other." (James 5:16)
- 47. "...Love one another deeply, from the heart." (1 Peter 3:8)
- 48. "...Live in harmony with one another..." (1 Peter 3:8)
- 49. "...Love each other deeply..." (1 Peter 4:8)
- 50. "Offer hospitality to one another without grumbling." (1 Peter 4:9)
- 51. "Each one should use whatever gift he has received to serve others..." (1 Peter 4:10)
- 52. "...Clothe yourselves with humility toward one another..." (1 Peter 5:5)
- 53. "Greet one another with a kiss of love." (1 Peter 5:14)
- 54. "...Love one another." (1 John 3:11)
- 55. "...Love one another." (1 John 3:23)
- 56. "...Love one another." (1 John 4:7)
- 57. "...Love one another." (1 John 4:11)
- 58. "...Love one another." (1 John 4:12)
- 59. "...Love one another." (2 John 5)
- *From Carl F. George, Prepare Your Church for the Future (Tarrytown: Revell, 1991), 129-131.