



# “If you continue in My word, then are you My Disciples **InDeed...**”

## Ask! Seek! Knock!

**Matthew 7:7-11** “Ask, and it shall be given you; seek, and ye shall find; knock, and it shall be opened unto you: For every one that asketh receiveth; and he that seeketh findeth; and to him that knocketh it shall be opened. Or what man is there of you, whom if his son ask bread, will he give him a stone? Or if he ask a fish, will he give him a serpent? If ye then, being evil, know how to give good gifts unto your children, how much more shall your Father which is in heaven give good things to them that ask him?”

Back in Lesson 31 we looked at some of the things that cause our prayers to not get answered. In this new section of prayer however Jesus gives us nothing but encouragement that we will indeed get our prayers answered!

1. According to Hebrews 11:6 why is it so important to believe that God will answer our prayers? \_\_\_\_\_

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2. What does Mark 11:22-24 teach us about believing prayer? \_\_\_\_\_

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3. Why do you think Jesus used the three different words of “ask, seek, and knock”? \_\_\_\_\_

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4. How does it encourage our faith to look at the way earthly fathers give their children the good things they ask for? \_\_\_\_\_

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5. In the parallel account in Luke 11:9-13 Jesus tells us that the Father will give us the Holy Spirit when we ask for Him. What is the significance of that?

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6. How does the Father know who believes in these wonderful promises Jesus gave us? \_\_\_\_\_

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### Am I a “Disciple InDeed”?

1. Do I ask, seek and knock in prayer to the Father or do I not really believe that I’ll receive, find, and be opened to?
2. Am I persistent in prayer or do I give up easily when the answer doesn’t seem to come right away?
3. Do I get answers to my prayers regularly or does something seem to be missing in this area of my life?



## Doers of the Word

Is there something I can ask God for this week?

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Is there something I need to seek God about this week?

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Is there a door that I need to knock on this week?

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**Further Study:** I John 5:14-15, John 16:23-24, Deut 4:29, Psa 9:10, Psa 145:18, Jer 29:13

# “...And you shall know The Truth, and The Truth shall **make you Free!**”

