# All in Prayer

# (1 Corinthians 11:1)

Despite all of our differences one of the most important things we share is our belief in the power of prayer. The importance of this avenue of communication with God cannot be overstated. And yet, despite its immense importance, so often prayer is one the most neglected aspects of our lives.

We can't expect to have a rich and meaningful relationship with God with a pitiful prayer life. If we are going to truly be all in for Jesus, then we must have an all in prayer life.

### I. What does this look like?

- A. Prayer in the **morning**
- B. Prayer before <u>meals</u> (1 Timothy 4:4-5)
- C. Prayer throughout the <u>day</u> (Colossians 4:2)
- D. Prayer with **variety**
- E. Prayer with those you **love**
- F. Prayer for those you <u>love</u>
- G. Prayer for those who don't **love you**
- H. Prayer when you need **God's help** (Philippians 4:6-7)
- I. Prayer to offer God **glory**
- J. Prayer before **bed**

### II. This is how <u>Jesus</u> prayer life looked!

- A. He prayed in the **morning** (Mark 1:35-39).
- B. He prayed before **meals** (John 6:11; Mark 8:6).
- C. He prayed throughout the **day** (Mark 6:46; Luke 5:15-16).
- D. He prayed with variety (Luke 6:12; 23:34)
- E. He prayed with those He **loved** (Luke 9:28; 11:1-4).
- F. He prayed for those He **loved** (John 17:13-21; Luke 22:31-32).
- G. He prayed for those who didn't **love him** (Luke 23:34).
- H. He prayed when He needed **help** (Luke 22:39-46).
- I. He prayed to offer God **glory** (John 17:1-5).
- J. He prayed at night (Matthew 14:23).

#### **III.** Three Ouestions:

- A. If doing these things was **necessary** for Jesus, shouldn't they be for us?
- B. If Jesus did these things, how much <u>more</u> do we need to?
- C. If we don't do these things, can we honestly say we are all in for Jesus?

**Conclusion:** Let's strive to have a prayer life like our Savior – Jesus!

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