

## **Finding Hope Through Prayer (Part 1)**

Series: "Holy Habits for Hope-Filled Lives"

Text: Luke 18:1 (NCV), Matthew 6:9-13 (NIV) \*

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### **Introduction**

A. January series: "Holy Habits for Hope-Filled Lives"

B. Jesus teaches us two things in Luke 18:1 (NCV):

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- 1.
- 2.

C. The Lord's Prayer serves as an antidote to hopelessness by teaching us the following...

### **I. When You Feel Abandoned**

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"Our Father in heaven..."

**Matt. 6:9a**  
**Jam. 1:17**

### **II. When Life Seems Out of Control**

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"...hallowed be your name."

**Matt. 6:9b**  
**Prov. 18:10 (KJV)**

### **III. When You Don't See a Purpose**

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"Your kingdom come..."

**Matt. 6:10a**  
**Rom. 8:28**

### **IV. When You're Grieving a Loss**

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"Your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven."

**Matt. 6:10b**

## **V. When You Don't Have What You Need**

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“Give us today our daily bread”

**Matt. 6:11**

**Psa. 37:25**

**Phil. 4:19**

## **Conclusion**

Recommended reading available at [Christianbook.com](http://Christianbook.com):

- *Could You Not Tarry One Hour* by Larry Lea
- *The Circle Maker* by Mark Batterson
- *The Hour That Changes the World* by Dick Eastman

All Scripture references are NIV (2011) unless otherwise noted