

Praying in Five Dimensions

40 Days of Prayer - Part 4

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1. God is a _____ God.

- **We see it in** _____.

Romans 1:20 (NIV) For since the creation of the world God's invisible qualities—his eternal power and divine nature—have been clearly seen, being understood from what has been made, so that people are without excuse.

Job 11:7-9 (GNT) Can you discover the limits and bounds of the greatness and power of God? The sky is no limit for God, but it lies beyond your reach. God knows the world of the dead, but you do not know it. God's greatness is broader than the earth, wider than the sea.

- **We see it in** _____.

John 1:14 (NCV) The Word became a human being and lived among us! We saw his glory...and he was full of grace and truth.

Hebrews 13:8 (NIV) Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever.

Revelation 1:4 (NIV) Grace and peace to you from him who is, and who was, and who is to come.

- **We see it in how the** _____.

John 3:8 (NIV) The wind blows wherever it pleases. You hear its sound, but you cannot tell where it comes from or where it is going. So it is with everyone born of the Spirit.

Job 9:10-11 (NLT) He does great things too marvelous to understand. He performs countless miracles. Yet when he comes near, I cannot see him. When he moves by, I do not see him go.

2. Because God is multidimensional _____.

Psalms 139:7-12 (GNT) Where could I go to escape from you? Where could I get away from your presence? If I went up to heaven, you would be there; if I lay down in the world of the dead, you would be there. If I flew away beyond the east or lived in the farthest place in the west, you would be there to lead me, you would be there to help me. I could ask the darkness to hide me or the light around me to turn into night, but even darkness is not dark for you, and the night is as bright as the day. Darkness and light are the same to you.

How We Pray in Five Dimensions

1. I look _____.

1 Peter 1:18-19 (NLT) For you know that God paid a ransom to save you from the empty life you inherited from your ancestors. And it was not paid with mere gold or silver, which lose their value. It was the precious blood of Christ, the sinless, spotless Lamb of God.

THE CROSS REMINDS ME

- **How deeply God loves me**
- **How costly evil and sin is**
- **How completely I'm forgiven**

2. I look upward to my _____.

Romans 8:15-17 (NLT) So you have not received a spirit that makes you fearful slaves. Instead, you received God's Spirit when he adopted you as his own children. Now we call him, "Abba, Father." For his Spirit joins with our spirit to affirm that we are God's children. And since we are his children, we are his heirs. In fact, together with Christ we are heirs of God's glory. But if we are to share his glory, we must also share his suffering.

GOD WANTS MY PRAYERS TO BE

- _____ **Abba! Daddy!**
- _____ **Cry out!**
- _____ **By His Spirit**

3. I look inward to Jesus _____.

2 Corinthians 13:5 (NIV) Examine yourselves to see whether you are in the faith; test yourselves. Do you not realize that Christ Jesus is in you—unless, of course, you fail the test?

"Jesus, produce the fruit of your Spirit in me today!"

4. I look around and ask the _____.

Romans 6:13 (NLT) Give yourself completely to God...you have new life...use your whole body as an instrument to do what is right for the glory of God.

5. I look _____ to the future.

Philippians 1:6 (NLT) And I am certain that God, who began the good work within you, will continue his work until it is finally finished on the day when Christ Jesus returns.