


# 048: WE MUST PRAY

**SHOW NOTES**

**Prayerlessness is being asleep spiritually.**

- There is an awakening in the church today and it's an awakening out of sleeplessness.
- There is no warfare outside of prayer warfare in the body of Christ.

**Ephesians 6:18 NKJV** praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, being watchful to this end with all perseverance and supplication for all the saints

- "Praying always". First characteristic of victorious spiritual warfare - there is never a break in the prayer.
- "Being watchful". Means to be sleeplessness.
- There is no time that we should be asleep spiritually.
- Prayerlessness is being asleep spiritually.
- Thief's take advantage of people when they are asleep.

**2 Corinthians 2:11 NKJV** lest Satan should take advantage of us; for we are not ignorant of his devices.

**John 10:10 NKJV** The thief does not come except to steal, and to kill, and to destroy. I have come that they may have life, and that they may have it more abundantly.

**Revelation 3:17 NKJV** Because you say, 'I am rich, have become wealthy, and have need of nothing'—and do not know that you are wretched, miserable, poor, blind, and naked—

**Isaiah 1:19 NKJV** If you are willing and obedient, you shall eat the good of the land;

- God wants this "you shall eat the good of the land" for His people but not at the expense of our spiritual life and spiritual duties and responsibilities.

- Our first responsibility is to the Kingdom of God.

**1 Timothy 4:8 KJV** For bodily exercise profiteth little: but godliness is profitable unto all things, having promise of the life that now is, and of that which is to come.

- Godliness is what guarantees your eternal destiny.

**1 Peter 4:7 KJV** But the end of all things is at hand: be ye therefore sober, and watch unto prayer.

- Every Christian has to develop their own prayer life.

**Matthew 21:12 NKJV** Then Jesus went into the temple of God and drove out all those who bought and sold in the temple, and overturned the tables of the money changers and the seats of those who sold doves.

**John 2:15 KJV** And when he had made a scourge of small cords, he drove them all out of the temple, and the sheep, and the oxen; and poured out the changers' money, and overthrew the tables;

**Matthew 21:13 NKJV** And He said to them, "It is written, 'My house shall be called a house of prayer,' but you have made it a 'den of thieves.' "

- They put personal gain ahead of God's will and God's purpose.

**Titus 2:15 NKJV** Speak these things, exhort, and rebuke with all authority. Let no one despise you.

**Malachi 3:10 NKJV** Bring all the tithes into the storehouse, that there may be food in My house, and try Me now in this," says the Lord of hosts, "If I will not open for you the windows of heaven and pour out for you such blessing that there will not be room enough to receive it.

- Putting God first in top 10% - goes to God.

- You're unprofitable spiritually without a prayer life.

- **“I’m shaking you up to wake you up!”**

**Matthew 6:6 NKJV** But you, when you pray, go into your room, and when you have shut your door, pray to your Father who is in the secret place; and your Father who sees in secret will reward you openly.

**John 14:13-14 NKJV** And whatever you ask in My name, that I will do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son. **14** If you ask anything in My name, I will do it.

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