



It takes a village

We are not very good at asking for things.

I'm

~~depressed, sad, hurt, confused,~~
~~lonely, unloved, judged,~~
~~misunderstood, insignificant,~~
~~broken, dying insi~~

Fine.

You do not have because you do not ask.

James 4:2

We are good at asking for other people.

So why not let others ask for us
What we won't ask for ourselves

Sure! Who would say no to free prayer?

To make sure everyone is included you have to be a part of the solution.

But I'm not... good at prayer
a good Christian
I don't have time...

You meet the requirements

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In case you didn't get that, yes I'm talking to you. Not the people to your left and right.

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Asking comes before receiving

You can't receive if you don't ask

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How should we pray?

- Matt 6:7 – And when you pray, do not keep on babbling like pagans, for they think they will be heard because of their many words.
- Phil 4:6-7 - But when you pray, go into your room, close the door and pray to your Father, who is unseen. Then your Father, who sees what is done in secret, will reward you.
- James 1:6 – But when you ask, you must believe and not doubt, because the one who doubts is like a wave of the sea, blown and tossed by the wind

When should we pray?

- 1 Thes 5:17 – Always be joyful. Never stop praying. Be thankful in all circumstances for this is God's will for you who belong to Christ Jesus
- Phil 4:6-7 - Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God.

When should we pray?

	Matthew	Mark	Luke	John	Peter	Paul
Mathew		Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
Mark	Tue		Wed	Thu	Fri	Mon
Luke	Wed	Tue		Fri	Mon	Tue
John	Thu	Wed	Thu		Tue	Wed
Peter	Fri	Thu	Fri	Mon		Thu
Paul	Mon	Fri	Mon	Tue	Wed	

Matthew prays for one person each day.

	Matthew	Prayer Needs
Mark	Tue	Mark's prayer needs
Luke	Wed	Luke's prayer needs
John	Thu	John's prayer needs
Peter	Fri	Peter's prayer needs
Paul	Mon	Paul's prayer needs

Matthew's needs are prayed for every day.

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Together we are great