

**Prayer & the Devotional Life - Part 2**  
*Volume 1 - Unit 10*

***(III. WHEN? Cont.)***

B. Specifics on when to pray

1. Morning
2. In the Word
3. When we sin
4. Before difficult situations
5. After answers and victories

**IV. WHERE?**

A. General Answer - Anywhere

B. Specifics (Matt. 6:6)

**V. WHY?**

A. God's Command (John 16:24)

B. God Answers - Necessary for:

1. Victory over Satan (Ephesians 6:18)

2. Obtaining things from God (James 4:2)

C. Biblical Examples

1. Apostles (Rom. 1:9)

2. Christ

a. On earth (Mk. 1:35, Luke 6:12)

b. Now (Hebrews 7:25)

**VI. No Answer?**

A. Sin

1. Unbeliever (See Section I.)

2. Marital problems (I Pet. 3:7)

3. Unforgiving attitude (Mk. 11:25)

4. Selfishness (James 4:2-3)

5. Disobedience (I John 3:22)

B. Not God's Will (Now, at least) - Examples:

1. Marriage partner

2. Healing - Why Christian Suffering?

- a. Sin (I Corinthians 11:30)
- b. To produce dependence on God (II Corinthians 12)
- c. To glorify God (Job, John 11:4, 1 Pet. 1:7, 4:12-14)
- d. To build Christian maturity (Jam. 1:2, Rom. 5:3, 8:28-29, 1 Pet. 5:10)
- e. To comfort others (II Corinthians 1:3-4)
- f. To promote longing for glorified body (Rom. 8:22-23)

#### C. Dependent on Volition of Others

- 1. Salvation of lost
- 2. Behavior of saved/lost

SCRIPTURE MEMORY VERSE - I John 5:14-15 – “And this is the confidence that we have in Him, that if we ask anything according to His will, He hears us, and if we know that He hears us, whatsoever we ask, we know that we have the petitions that we desired of Him.”