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BOUNDARY BREAKERS

What are some things you are confronted with that makes it difficult to stay within God's boundaries? These lessons will focus on some things that the enemy uses to entice us to cross the boundaries that God has set for all believers.

STAYING WITHIN GOD'S BOUNDARIES THROUGH PRAYER

Besides being obedient to the Word of God, the next most important thing that will keep Christians within God's Boundaries is learning how to pray! Not only learning how to pray, but more importantly to get answers to our prayers. That is the focus of this final lesson on Boundary Breakers.

I. Learning How To Pray

1. The Persons of Prayer

- A child and his/her father.
- Not everyone is a child of God.

Matthew 6:5-13

v. 9

John 1:12

John 8:44

2. The Purpose of Prayer

- That God's will be done.
- We must pray according to God's will.
- We can know God's will when we abide in Him and His Word.
- We can know God's will when we pray in the Spirit.

v. 10

1st John 5:14

John 15:7

Ephesians 6:18

3. The Provision of Prayer

- God promises to supply the needs of His children.
- Many of our needs are not met because we fail to pray.

v. 11

Philippians 4:19

James 4:26

4. The Pardon of Prayer

- Unconfessed sins will cause God not to answer our prayers.
- Unconfessed sin will cause God not to hear our prayers.
- To get sin out of our life we must ask God for forgiveness.

v. 12

Psalms 66:18

Isaiah 59:1-2

1st John 1:9

5. The Protection of Prayer

- God does not tempt us to sin.
- However, we have an enemy who wants us to sin.
- God will give us what we need to escape the devil's temptation.

v. 13a

James 1:13

1st Peter 5:8

1st Corinthians 10:13

6. The Praise of Prayer

- Praise is an expression of faith!
- Faith causes our prayers to be answered!
- Praise should be in the life of every believer.

v. 13b

Psalms 34:1-3

Acts 16:25

Psalms 150:6

Brothers and sisters, we can stay within God's boundaries, when we call on Him in prayer!