

What were those prayers again?

I received this question after last Sunday's sermon on "Growing as a Disciple by Praying." I listed several short prayers that are found in the Bible. Prayers that are good for many "spur of the moment" situations. This is by no means an exhaustive list of short prayers found in God's Word, but here are the ones I referenced in the September 24 message:

"God have mercy on me, a sinner." Luke 18:13

"We do not know what to do, but our eyes are on you."

(i.e. We trust that You DO know what we should do) 2 Chronicles 20:12

"I do believe! Help me overcome my unbelief!" Mark 9:24

"Strengthen my hands!" (i.e. Give me YOUR strength.) Nehemiah 6:9

"Father, forgive them, they know not what they do." Luke 23:34

"I desire to do Your will, my God" (Show me what it is) Psalm 40:8

"Thank you, Father!" (From the instruction in Colossians 4:2)

Thanks for asking, Pastor David

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