

Be Real

Prayer

James 1:5-8 If any of you lacks wisdom, you should ask God, who gives generously to all without finding fault, and it will be given to you. 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. ⁷ That person should not expect to receive anything from the Lord. ⁸ Such a person is double-minded and unstable in all they do. (NIV)

James 4:3 When you ask, you do not receive, because you ask with wrong motives, that you may spend what you get on your pleasures. (NIV)

1. Real Prayer Prays through suffering

James 5:13a ¹³ Are any of you suffering hardships? You should pray. (NLT)

2. Real Prayer Prays through praise

James 5:13b Are any of you happy? You should sing praises. (NLT)

3. Real Prayer Prays through sickness

James 5:14 Are any of you sick? You should call for the elders of the church to come and pray over you, anointing you with oil in the name of the Lord. (NLT)

4. Real Prayer Prays through sin, addictions, bondage

James 5:16 Confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so that you may be healed. The earnest prayer of a righteous person has great power and produces wonderful results. (NLT)