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A LIFE

THAT ALWAYS PRAYS

LUKE 18:1

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Matthew 6:9

9 “Pray, then, in this way: ‘Our Father,
who is in heaven, Hallowed be Your name.”

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“Our Father”

The heart of prayer is coming to our Father like a little child

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“Our Father”

My Father, our Father, wants us to come just as we are

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3 Ways to Talk to "our Father" like a Child

1. Asking like a child
2. Believing like a child
3. Play like a child

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Asking like a Child

What do they ask for?

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Asking like a Child

What do they ask for?
How often do little children ask?

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Matthew 7:7

"Ask and it will be given to you"

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Matthew 7:7;9-11

7 “Ask and it will be given to you”
9“Which one of you, if his son asks him
for bread, will give him a stone? 10 Or if
he asks for a fish, will give him a serpent?
11 If you then, who are evil know how to
give good gifts to your children, how much
more will your Father who is in heaven
give good things to those who ask him!”

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Believing like a Child

If you learn to pray, you learn to dream again

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Believing like a Child

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To learn how to pray is to enter the world of a child, where all things are possible.

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Believing like a Child

Luke 7:7

7 “for that reason I did not even consider myself worthy to come to You; but just say the word, and my servant shall be healed.”

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Believing like a Child

Matthew 15:28

28 “Then Jesus said to her, “O woman, your faith is great; it shall be done for you as you desire.” And her daughter was healed at once.”

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Play like a child

How do we structure our adult conversations?

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How to talk to “Our Father” like a child

1. Ask like a child
   - Genuine, no request is inappropriate
2. Become like a child
   - Dream again, anything is possible
3. Play like a child
   - accept the wandering, see where it takes you