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# **Devotional Thoughts:: Thoughts on the Lord's Prayer**

## Thoughts on the Lord's Prayer - posted by Creation7, on: 2011/10/7 9:55

"I cannot say OUR if I live only for myself in a spiritually watertight compartment;

I cannot say FATHER if I do not endeavor each day to act like His child;

I cannot say, WHO ART IN HEAVEN if I am laying up no treasure there:

I cannot say HALLOWED BE THY NAME if I am not striving for holiness;

I cannot say THY KINGÂ-DOM COME if I am not doing all in my power to hasten that wonderful event;

I cannot say THY WILL BE DONE if I am disobedient to His Word;

I cannot say IN EARTH AS IT IS IN HEAVEN if IÂ'll not serve Him here and now;

I cannot say GIVE US THIS DAY OUR DAILY BREAD if I am disÂ-honest or if I am seeking things by subterfuge:

I cannot say FORGIVE US OUR DEBTS if I harbor a grudge against anyone;

I cannot say LEAD US NOT INTO TEMPTATION if I deliberately place myself in its path;

I cannot say DELIVER US FROM EVIL if I do not put on the whole armor of God:

I cannot say THINE IS THE KINGDOM if I do not give to the King the loyalty due Him as a faithful subject;

I cannot attribute to Him the POWER if I fear what men may do;

I cannot ascribe to Him the GLORY if IÂ'm seeking honor only for myself; and

I cannot say FOREVER if the horizon of my life is bounded completely by time.Â"

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## Re: Some Thoughts on the Lord's Prayer - posted by dietolive, on: 2011/10/7 10:53

Hi Creation7!

It's going up on the frig. My children needs to see this too. Thanks do much for sharing this.

Be well,

Doug

### Re: - posted by Creation7, on: 2011/10/7 11:09

Your welcome, dietolive!

### Re: - posted by Areadymind (), on: 2011/10/7 11:36

Amen, I also thank you for that post. Fuel for the day.