

# Lessons Learned about Prayer

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## I. Introduction.

A. Text: John 15:7.

B. Answers to prayer come as we abide in Christ and as His Word abides in our heart day by day.

C. This side of heaven we will always be learners—even with prayer. (Ephesians 2:20)

## II. Testimonies.

A. God touched Anderson's heart to pray for the world—especially China.

B. He was given the privilege of traveling through China, and eventually God opened up the door for him to take a group up to China. Someone came to know Christ through that experience, and conversions continued to come from that.

C. God brought healing to the life of a friend of Anderson's who had been sexually abused through prayer.

D. God set a woman free who had been in bondage to satanic influences.

E. God brought revival through confessions that occurred at a campus ministry meeting. (James 5:16)

## III. Conclusion.

A. God is a God who answers prayer. (Jeremiah 33:3)

B. This is God's gift to all of us who humble ourselves before Him.

## Application questions:

1. What stood out to you the most from Anderson's testimonies? What struck you about it?

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2. What are the conditions for effective prayer? Explain.

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3. How have you experienced the power of prayer directly or indirectly?

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