

# HOW TO DO WHAT YOU JUST CAN'T DO

“Life-Changing Prayer”, 2 Kings 19  
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*James 1:2-4*

We can train to do something that no amount of trying will enable us to do right now.

You may have *tried* prayer...but you have not been *trained* to pray! Which is why we call prayer a spiritual discipline! *2 Kings 18:13 NIV84*

**I. Life-Changing Prayer Usually Happens in a Particular Place!** *Matthew 6:6 NIV*

**II. Life-Changing Prayer Usually Follows a Particular Pattern.**

Hezekiah is not complimenting God by saying all these nice things about him...Hezekiah begins his prayers in a way that reminds HIMSELF who he is addressing!

There is a huge difference between a wish and a faith filled prayer! *Mark 11:24 NIV*

The four answers to every prayer: Yes, No, Wait, Grow

**The ACTS Acrostic is a great prayer pattern:**

A - Adoration...Where we fill our faith tank by acknowledging God's greatness in our life!

C - Confession...I confess the sins I'm conscious of that can hurt my relationship with God.

T - Thanksgiving...I express my gratitude to God for how he has blessed me already!

S - Supplication...I make requests for myself and others so that God's power will present itself in my world.

**III. Life-Changing Prayer Usually Has a Particular Purpose:** *Philippians 4:6-7 NIV*

- The Power of Simple Prayers.
- The Sovereignty of Simple Prayers.
- The Point of Simple Prayers. *James 4:3 NIV*

**IV. Life-Changing Prayer Usually Results in a Particular Kind of Power and Peace.**

Imagine what we would be able to do if we started giving the Lord the first 5" of the day in a simple "so that" prayer!

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