



## “OUR FATHER”

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Pray then like this: “Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name.  
10 Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.  
11 Give us this day our daily bread, 12 and forgive us our debts,  
as we also have forgiven our debtors. 13 And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.—Matthew 6:9-13

In the Old Testament God is called “Father” \_\_\_\_\_ times  
God is referenced as Father over \_\_\_\_\_ times in the Gospels.  
In Matthew 6, God is called Father over \_\_\_\_\_ times

*hagiazō* - holy, purify or consecrate; to venerate -hallow, be holy, sanctify.  
“May your name be revered”

## FOUR CHARACTERISTICS OF GOD AS OUR FATHER

### 1. GOD IS A \_\_\_\_\_ FATHER

*“As a father has compassion on his children, so the Lord has compassion on those who honor Him...” - Psalm 103:13*

*“Cast all your anxiety on Him, because He cares for you!”  
- 1 Peter 5:7*

*“The Lord delights in the wellbeing of His servants.” - Psalm 35:37*

### 2. GOD IS A \_\_\_\_\_ FATHER

*“Every good and perfect gift is from the Father who does not change like shifting shadows.” - James 1:17*

*“Even if we are faithless, He remains faithful, for He cannot disown Himself.” - 2 Timothy 2:13*

*“I the Lord, do not change.” - Malachi 3:6*

### 3. HE IS A \_\_\_\_\_ FATHER

*“God did this so people would reach out for Him and find Him since He is not far from each of us.” - Acts 17:27*

God is never too \_\_\_\_\_ for me.

Psalm 145:18 *“The Lord is near to all who call on Him.”*

He loves to meet my \_\_\_\_\_

*“If you know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father in heaven give good gifts to those who ask Him.”*

- Matthew 7:11

He is sympathetic to my \_\_\_\_\_

*“The Lord is close to the brokenhearted and saves those who are crushed in spirit.” - Psalm 34:18*

### 4. GOD IS A \_\_\_\_\_ FATHER

**Memory verse:** *“For nothing is impossible with God.” - Luke 1:37*

*“My God shall supply all of your needs.” - Philippians 4:19*

(7, Seventy, 10, Caring, Consistent, Close, Busy, Needs, Hurts, Capable)

#### My Next Step Today is...

- Memorize Luke 1:37
- What part of God as your Father do you struggle with?
- What would change in your life if you really saw God as the Father he is to you?
- I want to talk to someone about receiving Christ as my Savior.

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