
BIBLE TALK - JESUS IN PRAYER

Introduction

For an ice-breaker, ask people to share about a world leader or historical figure they admire and the quality in them they admire most.

We often read biographies of great people to learn the secrets of their lives. When you read the biographies of Jesus' life, the gospels, you learn one of his great secrets. Jesus modeled prayer. If he prayed, we need to pray. If he needed time alone with God, we need time alone with God. We need to emulate what he did. Obviously and practically, Jesus believed that prayer works. **Mark 1:35**

Q: How can we believe and practice prayer like Jesus does in this passage?

Luke 5:15-16

Q: What was the connection between Jesus' ministry, His miracles and his prayer life?

Q: What do we learn about Jesus' prayer habits?

Q: How can we believe and practice prayer like Jesus does in this passage?

Luke 6:12-16

Q: What do we learn from Jesus regarding prayer in light of 'big decisions' in this passage?

Q: How can we believe and practice prayer like Jesus does in this passage?

Luke 9:28-29

Q: Why is regularly praying with others such a powerful habit to imitate from the life of Jesus?

Matthew 26:36-44

Q: What do we learn from Jesus about prayer in the midst of difficult times?

Application

Hebrews 5:7 - During the days of Jesus' life on earth, he offered up prayers and petitions with fervent cries and tears to the one who could save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission.

Q: What decision(s) will you make to grow in your prayer life?

Action: Set up time to pray with someone else at least once this week and actively seek to learn something from their prayer life to apply to yours.
