

Sin is a Problem!

Part 3 of the *Lord, Teach Me to Pray* Series

Matthew 6:5-15

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Intro:

Coming clean with God and others
is an integral part of our prayer ministry.

I. We Need to Deal with Our Past Sin

A. We Need to Gain Our Forgiveness

(6:12; I John 1:8-10; Eph. 1:7; Prov. 28:13)

1. Why? Because of our Sin Debt

2. How? By our Savior's Death

B. We Need to Grant Others Forgiveness

(6:12, 14-15; 18:15-35; 5:23-24 Mark 11:25-26; John 20:22-23;
Eph. 4:31-32; Col. 3:12-13; I John 4:8; Prov. 10:12; I Cor. 13:4-7)

1. As Christ has forgiven us

2. So Christ can continue to forgive us!

II. We Need to Deal with Our Future Sin

A. Deliverance from Temptation

(6:13; 26:41; Luke 22:40, 46; I Cor. 10:13)

B. Deliverance from the Tempter

(6:13; Luke 22:31-32; Eph. 6:10-18; I Peter 5:8-9;
John 17:15; Mt. 13:18-19; I John 2:13-14)

So, let's not allow sin, Our Own or Others'
to hinder our praying!

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