

Kingdom Quest - Week Six
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Thy Kingdom Come, Thy Will Be Done
The Lord's Prayer
Matthew 6:7-15

1. Jesus teaches us to pray

- Praise
- Participation
- Provision
- Pardon
- Protection
- Pre-eminence

2. Participating and agreeing with God ...

- ... in the future, heavenly sense
- ... in the present, earthly sense
- ... in a personal sense

3. The kingdom comes every time ...

- ... anyone acknowledges God as King.
- ... the "seed" of Christ finds a host environment.
- ... heavenly bliss touches earthly pain.
- ... heavenly truth shapes earthly perspective.

4. Life as an ambassador

- Representing
- Advocating
- Teaching
- Reconciling

Other Relevant Scriptures:

- Psalm 145 *I will exalt you, my God the King ...*
- Galatians 5:25 *... let us keep in step with the Spirit.*
- Matthew 7:7-11 *Ask and it will be given to you ...*

Ephesians 6:10 The armor of God

1 Timothy 6:15 ... *God, the blessed and only Ruler ...*

Revelation 21 A new heaven and a new earth

Luke 15:7 ... *more rejoicing in heaven over one sinner who* *repents*

...

2 Corinthians 5:17 ... *if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation ...*

Matthew 6:33 ... *seek first God's kingdom and his righteousness ...*

Matthew 13 The Parable of the Sower

Matthew 4:23 ... *preaching the good news of the kingdom and* *healing*
every disease ...

Amos 5:24 ... *let justice roll on like a river ...*

2 Corinthians 5:20 *We are therefore Christ's ambassadors ...*

2 Corinthians 5:20 ... *as though God were making his appeal* *through*
us.

Matthew 5:19 ... *whoever practices and teaches these commands ...*

2 Corinthians 5 ... *be reconciled to God ...*

Recommended reading

The Insider, by Jim Petersen and Mike Shamy