

HOW WE SHOULD PRAY?

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1. diligence – busily engaged in... **to** Persist in or give CONSTANT attention to
Luke 11:5-10 Jesus begs us to be persistent in prayer
2. awareness – Christ begs the disciples to be watchful...
 - A Watchman Habakkuk 2:1.
 - B Beware the enemy I Peter 5:8.
3. gratitude – Thankful prayer I Thessalonians 5:16-18

FOR WHAT SHOULD WE PRAY?

1. Paul asked for prayer for his ministry team –
pray for *PASTORS *CHURCH LEADERS *Missionaries *persecuted church
2. In chains & imprisonment - Paul did not ask for relief or rescue but for
opportunity to open a door for ministry. What an attitude!
3. Proclaim - means to make clear and plain

Paul's prayer to spread the gospel was answered

Philippians 1:12-13 & Acts 28:30-31

The Believer should...

1. Walk in wisdom
Wisdom enables us to combine boldness and tact pray for James 1
2. Make the most of every opportunity TO BUY BACK TIME –
3. Wise walk must be accompanied with flavorful talk seasoned with salt.