

(Topics and Lead-in Below)

# Father, We Come

Matthew 6:9-10

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G C  $\frac{G}{B}$  Am<sup>7</sup> Am G  $\frac{G}{B}$  D G G<sup>sus</sup>  $\frac{D7}{F\#}$

1. Fa - ther, we come at Your love's in - vi - ta - tion,  
 2. Of - ten we cry from to - day's sit - u - a - tion.  
 3. Here in the si - lence of love's a - do - ra - tion,

G  $\frac{G}{B}$  D D<sup>7</sup> Em Em<sup>11</sup>  $\frac{G}{D}$  D<sup>7sus</sup> C<sup>9</sup> C<sup>add9</sup> D<sup>7</sup> D G

Drawn by the weight of all our weak - ness and need,  
 Fear is our mas - ter, and we beg for re - lief.  
 Drawn by the won - der of Your life all with - in,

G  $\frac{C}{G}$   $\frac{Am7}{G}$  G  $\frac{Am}{F\#}$   $\frac{Am6}{F\#}$  Em Bm<sup>7</sup> Em  $\frac{D7}{F\#}$

Lift - ing our eyes with a child's des - per - a - tion,  
 Now, Lord, we ask, and with no res - er - va - tion:  
 Lift - ing Your name with a child's ju - bi - la - tion,

$\frac{C}{G}$  G  $\frac{G}{D}$  G C C<sup>add9</sup>  $\frac{G}{B}$  C<sup>6</sup>  $\frac{G}{D}$  D<sup>7</sup> G

Might - y God, gra - cious God, so pure, so com - plete!  
 Glo - ri - fy, glo - ri - fy Your - self thro' this need.  
 Trust - ing You, trust - ing You, our prayer now be - gins.

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TOPICS: Calls to Prayer; Faith; Lord's Prayer; Prayer

LEAD-IN: Father, as we bow in prayer,  
help us focus on You, not ourselves.  
Our greatest desire is not that our need be met,  
But that You may be glorified through our need.  
*Father in heaven,  
may Your name be honored.  
May Your Kingdom come  
and Your will be done  
on earth as it is in heaven.* (Matthew 6:9-10, para.)

LEAD-IN DEVOTIONAL READING:

### **Father, Glorify Yourself through This Need**

[Jesus replied,] *"Now my heart is troubled, and what shall I say? 'Father, save me from this hour'? No, it was for this very reason I came to this hour. Father, glorify your name!"* (John 12:27-28, NIV)

When some current concern stirs up our anxieties, we desperately pray for deliverance. We beg God to take away the need. Sometimes He is glad to do so and removes it quickly. Sometimes He does not.

Do you want a prayer that God will always answer and always grant? Pray this: *Father, glorify Yourself through this need.* Express your concerns to Him simply and honestly, but make His glory the focus of your prayer. When God is glorified in the eyes of people—that is, when they see how loving and beautiful and wonderful He is—the good far outweighs the meeting of the one immediate need.

Remember, Jesus teaches us that when we come to God, we are to pray this way:

*Our Father, high above us in heaven,  
may **Your** name be glorified,  
may **Your** Kingdom come,  
and may **Your** will be done  
here on earth, just as it is in heaven.  
(Matthew 6:9-10, paraphrase)*