

“... in Jesus’ name. Amen.”

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<sup>23</sup>In that day you will ask nothing of Me. Truly, truly, I say to you, whatever you ask of the Father in My name, He will give it to you.  
<sup>24</sup>Until now you have asked nothing in My name. Ask, and you will receive, that your joy may be full.

—John 16:23-24 ESV

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John 17 = The Lord’s Prayer

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“This prayer is the greatest prayer ever prayed on earth and the greatest prayer recorded in Scripture.” —Warren Wiersbe

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Jesus prays...

- 17:1-5 • to the Father regarding His completion of the work given Him.
- 17:9-13 • for the protection of His disciples in the days ahead.
- 17:20-22 • for us and the purpose He has planned and ordained for us to share for His glory.

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“Jesus has prayed and Jesus is praying for you.”

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<sup>9</sup>I am praying for them. I am not praying for the world but for those whom You have given Me, for they are Yours. <sup>10</sup>All Mine are Yours, and Yours are Mine, and I am glorified in them. —**John 17:9-10** ESV

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Who is to condemn? Christ Jesus is the One who died—more than that, who was raised—who is at the right hand of God, who indeed is interceding for us. —**Romans 8:34** ESV

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Consequently, He is able to save to the uttermost those who draw near to God through Him, since He always lives to make intercession for them. —**Hebrews 7:25** ESV

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**What is the *Overcomers' Prayer*?** To live for the glory of God in a world shamed by the brokenness of sin.

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**John 17:1-5**

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**What is the *Overcomers' Prayer*?** To trust in the security of God's work for us and not the sincerity of our work for Him

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## John 17:6-12

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<sup>3</sup>Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places, <sup>4</sup>even as He chose us in Him before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy and blameless before Him. In love <sup>5</sup>He predestined us for adoption as sons through Jesus Christ, according to the purpose of His will,

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<sup>6</sup>to the praise of His glorious grace, with which He has blessed us in the Beloved. <sup>7</sup>In Him we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of His grace, <sup>8</sup>which He lavished upon us, in all wisdom and insight <sup>9</sup>making known to us the mystery of His will, according to His purpose,

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which He set forth in Christ <sup>10</sup>as a plan for the fullness of time, to unite all things in Him, things in heaven and things on earth. <sup>11</sup>In Him we have obtained an inheritance, having been predestined according to the purpose of Him who works all things according to the counsel of His will, <sup>12</sup>so that we who were the first to hope in Christ might be to the praise of His glory.

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<sup>13</sup>In Him you also, when you heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and believed in Him, were sealed with the promised Holy Spirit, <sup>14</sup>who is the guarantee of our inheritance until we acquire possession of it, to the praise of His glory. —Ephesians 1:3-14 ESV

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**What is the Overcomers' Prayer?** To be "sanctified" through the truth of God's Word while continuing in the turmoil of the world.

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What is sanctification?

It is the progressive work of God's renewing, reshaping and rebuilding of my life in the image of His Son, Jesus Christ.

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**I will be saved**—one day deported from the presence of sin; alive forever with the Lord in heaven. (Glorification)

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**What is the Overcomers' Prayer?** To stand in unity, demonstrating the love and declaring the glory of the One who came into the world to make known the Father.

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John 17:23-26

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