

James 5:13-20



Question #1: Is anyone suffering? Pray. (v. 13)

What a Friend we have in Jesus, all our sins and griefs to bear! What a privilege to carry everything to God in prayer! O what peace we often forfeit, O what needless pain we bear, All because we do not carry everything to God in prayer.

Have we trials and temptations? Is there trouble anywhere? We should never be discouraged; take it to the Lord in prayer. Can we find a friend so faithful who will all our sorrows share? Jesus knows our every weakness; take it to the Lord in prayer.

Are we weak and heavy laden, cumbered with a load of care? Precious Savior, still our refuge, take it to the Lord in prayer. Do your friends despise, forsake you? Take it to the Lord in prayer! In His arms He'll take and shield you; you will find a solace there.

Question #1: Is anyone suffering? Pray. (v. 13)

Question #2: Is anyone cheerful? Sing Praise. (v. 13)

Question #3: Is anyone sick? Call the elders and pray. (v. 14-15)

Sickness and Healing:



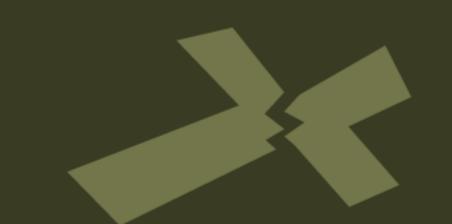
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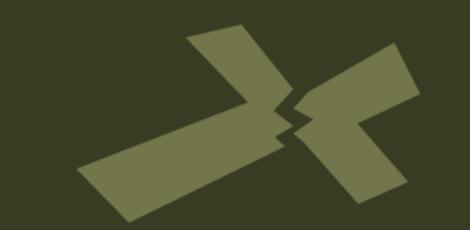
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1 Corinthians 11:29-30



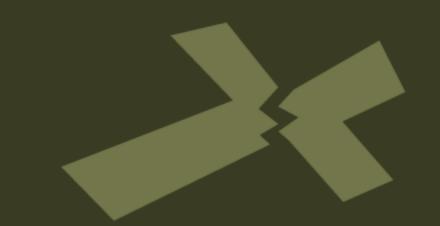
For anyone who eats and drinks without discerning the body eats and drinks judgment on himself. That is why many of you are weak and ill, and some have died.

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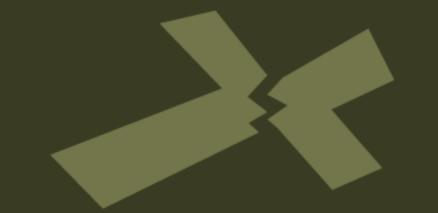
Jesus answered, "It was not that this man sinned, or his parents, but that the works of God might be displayed in him."

John 9:3



Sickness and Healing:

- 1. Sickness and sin are connected.
- 2. God still heals people today.



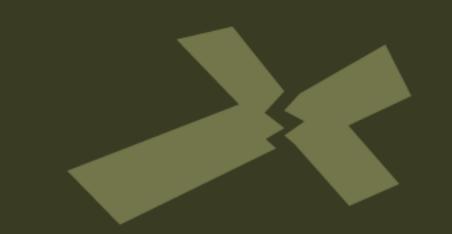
Question #4: Is anyone in sin? Confess your sins and pray. (v. 16)

Question #5: Is anyone wandering? Pray and bring them back. (v. 19-20)



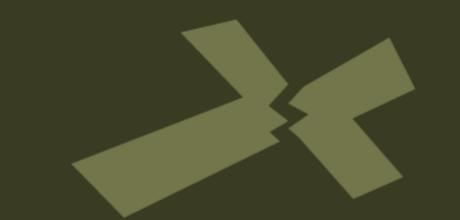
The prayer of a righteous person has great power as it is working. Elijah was a man with a nature like ours, and he prayed fervently that it might not rain, and for three years and six months it did not rain on the earth.

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Then he prayed again, and heaven gave rain, and the earth bore its fruit.

James 5:16-18



The power of prayer comes in the God the prayers are offered to.

