

How to Deal With Unanswered Prayer

Our Mission: To take as many people to Heaven as we can before we die. Period.

1. Be persistent.

“Keep on asking, and you will receive what you ask for. Keep on seeking, and you will find. Keep on knocking, and the door will be opened to you.” **Matthew 7:7 NLT**

2. Sometimes God says yes.

“I love the LORD, for he heard my voice; he heard my cry for mercy. Because he turned his ear to me, I will call on him as long as I live.” **Psalms 116:1-2 NIV**

For all of God’s promises have been fulfilled in Christ with a resounding “Yes!” And through Christ, our “Amen” (which means “Yes”) ascends to God for his glory. **2 Corinthians 1:20 NLT**

3. Sometimes God says wait.

Cast your cares on the LORD and he will sustain you; he will never let the righteous be shaken. **Psalms 55:22 NIV**

I want to know Christ...I want to suffer with him, sharing in his death, so that one way or another I will experience the resurrection from the dead! **Philippians 3:10-11 NLT**

Wait patiently for the Lord. Be brave and courageous... Yes, wait patiently for the Lord. **Psalms 27:14 NLT**

4. Sometimes God says no.

“For I know the plans I have for you,” declares the LORD, “plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.” **Jeremiah 29:11 NIV**

That is why I am suffering here in prison. But I am not ashamed of it, for I know the one in whom I trust... **2 Timothy 1:12a NLT**

So be strong and courageous, all you who put your hope in the Lord! **Psalms 31:24 NLT**

“If we were stronger, we might be less tenderly treated. If we were braver, we might be sent, with far less help, to defend far more desperate posts in the battle.” - C.S. Lewis, on unanswered prayers.