

Seeking, Knocking, And Asking

Matthew 7:7-8 "Ask, and it will be given to you; seek, and you will find; knock, and it will be opened to you. 8 For everyone who asks receives, and he who seeks finds, and to him who knocks it will be opened.

I. Seek, And You Will Find

Psalm 14:2 The LORD looks down from heaven upon the children of men, To see if there are any who understand, who seek God.

Hebrews 11:6 But without faith it is impossible to please Him, for he who comes to God must believe that He is, and that He is a rewarder of those who diligently seek Him.

Jeremiah 29:13 And you will seek Me and find Me, when you search for Me with all your heart.

Matthews 6:33 But seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things shall be added to you.

Romans 2:7 eternal life to those who by patient continuance in doing good seek for glory, honor, and immortality;

John 5:39 You search the Scriptures, for in them you think you have eternal life; and these are they which testify of Me.

John 14:6 Jesus said to him, "I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through Me.

II. Knock, And It Will Be Opened To You

John 10:9 I am the door. If anyone enters by Me, he will be saved, and will go in and out and find pasture.

Revelation 3:20 Behold, I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears My voice and opens the door, I will come in to him and dine with him, and he with Me.

Genesis 7:16 So those that entered, male and female of all flesh, went in as God had commanded him; and the LORD shut him in.

Matthew 25:10-12 And while they went to buy, the bridegroom came, and those who were ready went in with him to the wedding; and the door was shut. 11 "Afterward the other virgins came also, saying, 'Lord, Lord, open to us!' 12 But he answered and said, 'Assuredly, I say to you, I do not know you.'

Luke 13:23-26 And He said to them, 24 "Strive to enter through the narrow gate, for many, I say to you, will seek to enter and will not be able. 25 When once the Master of the house has risen up and shut the door, and you begin to stand outside and knock at the door, saying, Lord, Lord, open for us,' and He will answer and say to you, 'I do not know you, where you are from,'

III. Ask, And It Will Be Given To You

Job 21:15 Who is the Almighty, that we should serve Him? And what profit do we have if we pray to Him?'

James 4:2-3 You lust and do not have. You murder and covet and cannot obtain. You fight and war. Yet you do not have because you do not ask. 3 You ask and do not receive, because you ask amiss, that you may spend it on your pleasures.

James 1:6-7 But let him ask in faith, with no doubting, for he who doubts is like a wave of the sea driven and tossed by the wind. 7 For let not that man suppose that he will receive anything from the Lord;

John 14:13-14 And whatever you ask in My name, that I will do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son. 14 If you ask anything in My name, I will do it.

John 15:7 If you abide in Me, and My words abide in you, you will ask what you desire, and it shall be done for you.

Hebrews 4:16 Let us therefore come boldly to the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy and find grace to help in time of need.

Matthew 7:9-11 Or what man is there among you who, if his son asks for bread, will give him a stone? 10 Or if he asks for a fish, will he give him a serpent? 11 If you then, being evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father who is in heaven give good things to those who ask Him!