

Now it came to pass, as He was praying in a certain place, when He ceased, *that* one of His disciples said to Him, "Lord, teach us to pray, as John also taught his disciples."

So He said to them, "When you pray, say:

Our Father in heaven,

Hallowed be Your name.

Your kingdom come.

Your will be done

On earth as it is in heaven.

³Give us day by day our daily bread.

⁴And forgive us our sins,

For we also forgive everyone who is indebted to us.

And do not lead us into temptation,

But deliver us from the evil one."

-Luke 11:1-4

Dan Brown reports:

"Christianity had suppressed the "sacred feminine." God should also be called <u>our mother.</u>

God is my personal Father-"Our Father"

- 1. It is an intentional relationship
- 2. It is an intimate relationship

God is my powerful Father-"Which art in Heaven"

- 1. He Is Omniscient (Psalm 139:1-4)
- 2. He Is Omnipresent (Psalm 139:7; Jeremiah 23:24)
- 3. He Is Omnipotent (Jeremiah 32:17; Job 26:7; Psalm 115:3; Ephesians 3:20)

God is my <u>praise worthy</u> Father-"Hallowed be thy name."

- 1. A. God's Name Reveals <u>his righteousness</u> (Psalm 20:7; Psalm 9:10)
- 2. God's Name Requires <u>our reverence</u> (Psalm 29:2; John 12:28)

But, Is God your Father?

- Galatians 3:26-27 For you are all sons of God through faith in Christ Jesus. ²⁷For as many of you as were baptized into Christ have put on Christ.
- Matthew 11:27 All things have been delivered to Me by My Father, and no one knows the Son except the Father. Nor does anyone know the Father except the Son, and *the one* to whom the Son wills to reveal *Him*.