

Introduction

- I. The Lord's Prayer is truly an amazing prayer in its depth while yet being concise and brief.
- II. There is rich instruction for us in this first petition.

**Praying That God's Name Be Hallowed**

**I. Praying for Knowledge**

- A. Knowing God is knowing His name. The name of God is Who God is, as He reveals Himself.

B. Our great need in all the world is to know God.

**II. Praying for Awe**

- A. Jesus teaches us to pray that we would have an awe of God so that we sanctify, glorify, and praise God in all of life.

B. Let us pray specifically that we would be in awe of God's grace to us because in His grace He has given to us the highest blessings and gifts - friendship with Himself.

**III. Praying for Holiness**

- A. Jesus teaches us to pray that our lives would be ordered by a true knowledge and awe of God.

B. This will be our prayers when this is our desire. Is this the desire of our lives?