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Praise & Prayer

"You don't learn to praise in a day, especially since you may have been complaining for years! New habits take time to develop. But you can begin today, practice tomorrow, and the next day, until it becomes a part of you."
-Erwin Lutzer

Why Should You Learn To Praise?

- Praise sets the tone for your praying. (Psalm 100:1-4)
- Praise increases intimacy with God. (Psalm 34:1-3)
- Praise releases the power of God. (Acts 16:25-26)
- Praise creates humility in you. (1 Peter 5:5-6)

Making It Personal:

- Make the commitment to adore God each morning.
- Do an "I" exam. Examine your prayer life. Ask yourself, "How much do I use the word 'I' in my prayer life?" If you are using "I" in excess, it may be that the focus of your prayers is not God, but yourself.