

# Daring Prayer

God must be constantly amazed at our reluctance to ask His help by means of daring prayers – especially since He says that the sky’s the limit!

Jesus didn’t say, “Ask and it might be given you!”

He said, “Ask and it shall be given you.” Matthew 7.7

He also said, “Whatever you shall ask the Father in My Name, He will give you.” John 16.23.

Again He said, “If you shall ask anything in My name, I will do it.” John 14.14.

What makes our prayer daring? It is when we are prepared to ask *anything!* You can’t get more daring than that!

Often our children ask us for the impossible. What enormous faith they have in our ability to provide!

Yet though we parents know that only an all-powerful One can handle impossible dreams, how often do we dare ask Him to do so?

Imagine the feelings of this One with exceptional power and ability. Though He could willingly come to our aid in an instant we compel Him to stand by inactive, watching us struggle in our weakness and incompetence – all because we withhold our daring requests.

Why compel God to be ineffective? He wants us to pray boldly. Let’s dare to accept His challenge today!

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## GOOD NEWS IN BRIEF

Jesus said, “*With* God all things are possible.” Matthew 19.26

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