

# Course Syllabus PRA-200

# **Instructor Information**

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# **Course Identification**

Course Number: PRA-200
Course Name: Prayer I
Course Hours: 3.0

Prerequisites:

# **Course Description/Overview**

Prayer is the Christian's lifeline to God, and with it lives are changed for eternity! E. M. Bounds knew the secrets of prayer and God's principles for supplying all our needs. In this course you will receive his most cherished teachings on the life of prayer, which is the only effective barrier against the powers of evil so prevalent in this present world. He uncovers how you can have direct communication with God, maintain a prayer life that produces results, overcome Satan and his hold on prayer, and obtain all that God has for you. You will discover how prayer can become your spiritual lifeline!

Learn the secrets of effective prayer for every need.

E. M. Bounds truly followed the charge to pray without ceasing. It was as normal and essential to him as breathing. But though he was in prayer constantly, it never became a chore to him. Throughout his life, whether he was ministering to troops during the Civil War or bringing God's Word to his congregation, E. M. Bounds relished his time in conversation with God.

In this course, you will study:

Power through Prayer; The Possibilities of Prayer; The Necessity of Prayer; The Essentials of Prayer

# **Course Learning Objectives**

The major objective of this course on Prayer is that you will not only learn the necessity of prayer, the results of prayer, etc; but that you will learn TO pray. Not just learning HOW to pray, but learning to DO it.

The objective of this course is for you to put into practice the things that you will learn in this course. The objective of this course is that the things that you learn will change your life and the lives of many others. You have the opportunity to draw strength and power from the Almighty God, but you cannot do it without prayer.

The objective of this course is for you to be able to teach others both to pray and how to pray.

#### **Course Resources**

## **Required Course Text**

• The Holy Bible

## **Course Fees**

None.

## **Late Assignments**

In some of the classes you will be given outside assignments such as papers to write, etc. You will be told in plenty of time when these are due. If these are not turned in on due date, the following penalties will be applied against your grade.

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1 day late = a 5 point penalty
2 days late = a 10 point penalty
3 days late = a 15 point penalty
4 days late = a 20 point penalty
5 days late = a 25 point penalty
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If the work is not turned in within five days after the due date a "0" will be given for that assignment.

#### Course Schedule

#### **Assignment 1**

Read Power Through Prayer. Take notes in a notebook as you read Power Through Prayer. Section your notes according to chapter number. There are 20 chapters in the book Power Through Prayer. Write a one-page summary of each chapter describing the contents of the chapter and any thoughts you may have about what is taught in the chapter.

# **Assignment 2**

Read Possibilities of Prayer. Take notes in a notebook as you read Possibilities of Prayer. Section your notes according to chapter number. There are 16 chapters in

the book. Write a one-page summary of each chapter describing the contents of the chapter and any thoughts you may have about what is taught in the chapter.

#### **Assignment 3**

Read Necessities of Prayer. Take notes in a notebook as you read Necessities of Prayer. Section your notes according to chapter number. There are 14 chapters in the book. Write a one-page summary of each chapter describing the contents of the chapter and any thoughts you may have about what is taught in the chapter.

#### **Assignment 4**

Read Read Essentials of Prayer. Take notes in a notebook as you read Essentials of Prayer. Section your notes according to chapter number. There are 13 chapters in the book. Write a one-page summary of each chapter describing the contents of the chapter and any thoughts you may have about what is taught in the chapter.