

talking to God



“Lord, teach us!”

*Now Jesus was praying in a certain place,
and when he finished,
one of his disciples said to him,*

“Lord, teach us to pray ... ”

Luke 11:1



Jesus' model prayer:

*⁹ Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name.*

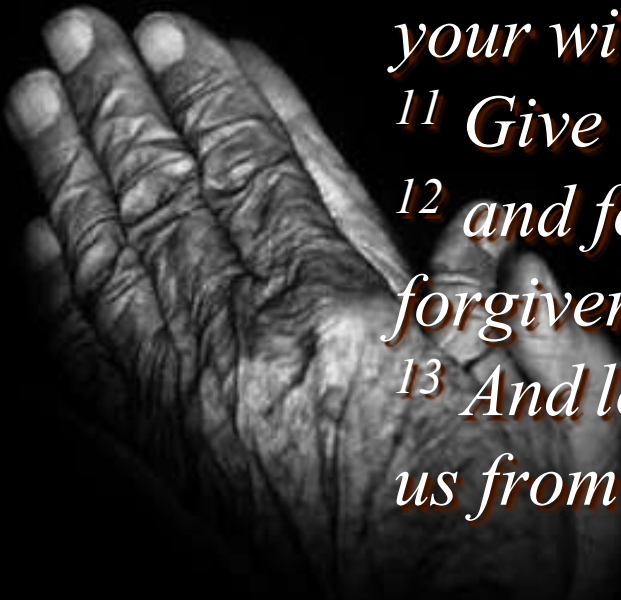
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Address God as “Our Father”

⁹"Pray, then, in this way:

'Our Father who is in heaven,

Matthew 6:9



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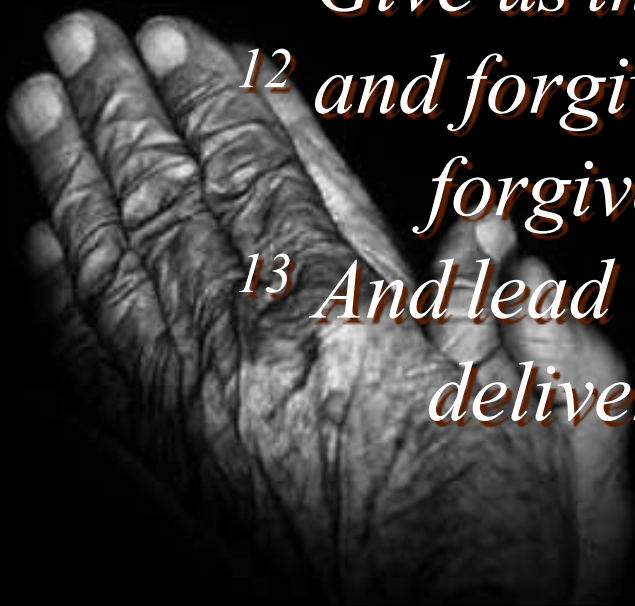
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Three “Your” petitions

ἀγιασθήτω τὸ ὄνομά σου
hagiasthētō to onoma sou
be treated as holy₃ — name₂ [may] your₁

Cause to be hallowed
your name

ἐλθέτω ἡ βασιλεία σου
elthetō hē basileia sou
come₃ — kingdom₂ [may] your₁

Cause to come
your kingdom

γενηθήτω τὸ θέλημά σου
genēthētō to thelēma sou
be done₆ — will₅ [may] your₄

Cause to be done
your will

“Your Kingdom Come”

Millennium:


“Perhaps no doctrine has more divided evangelical Protestantism than that of the millennium.”

Donald Bloesch
The Last Things (IVP, 2000)



“Your Kingdom Come”


Millennium:



¹Then I saw an angel coming down from heaven, holding in his hand the key to the bottomless pit and a great chain. ²And he seized the dragon, that ancient serpent, who is the devil and Satan, and bound him for a thousand years,

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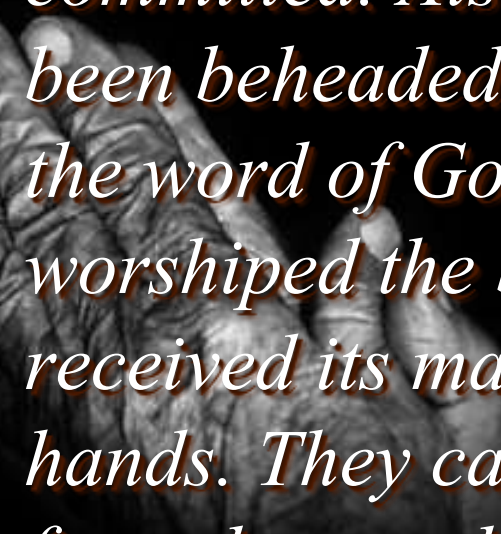


³and threw him into the pit, and shut it and sealed it over him, so that he might not deceive the nations any longer, until the thousand years were ended. After that he must be released for a little while.

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“Your Kingdom Come”

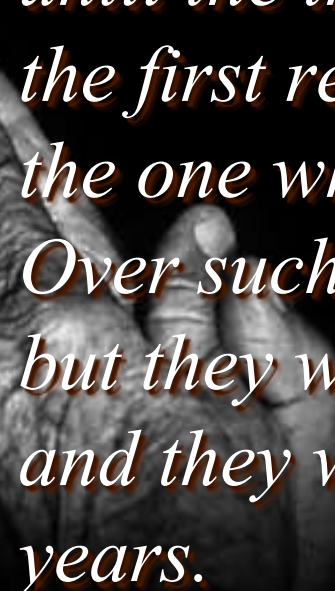
Millennium:



⁴Then I saw thrones, and seated on them were those to whom the authority to judge was committed. Also I saw the souls of those who had been beheaded for the testimony of Jesus and for the word of God, and those who had not worshiped the beast or its image and had not received its mark on their foreheads or their hands. They came to life and reigned with Christ for a thousand years.

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Millennium:



⁵The rest of the dead did not come to life until the thousand years were ended. This is the first resurrection. ⁶ Blessed and holy is the one who shares in the first resurrection! Over such the second death has no power, but they will be priests of God and of Christ, and they will reign with him for a thousand years.

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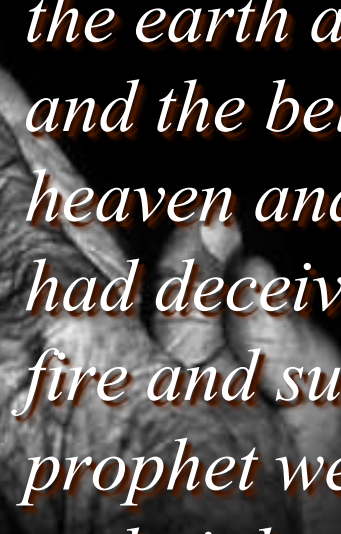


⁷And when the thousand years are ended, Satan will be released from his prison ⁸and will come out to deceive the nations that are at the four corners of the earth, Gog and Magog, to gather them for battle; their number is like the sand of the sea.

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Millennium:



⁹And they marched up over the broad plain of the earth and surrounded the camp of the saints and the beloved city, but fire came down from heaven and consumed them, ¹⁰and the devil who had deceived them was thrown into the lake of fire and sulfur where the beast and the false prophet were, and they will be tormented day and night forever and ever.

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Millennial Views:

- **Premillennial**
- **Amillennial**
- **Postmillennial**



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PreMillennial View:

In the future Christ will come & establish his kingdom on earth & reign for 1,000 years.

Church & Israel - distinct

Tribulation – future judgment



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PreMillennialists – next event:

Rapture – Pre-Tribulation Rapture

Great Tribulation – Mid-Tribulation Rapture

Second Coming of Christ – Post-Tribulation Rapture



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PreMillennialists :

Historic Premillennialists:

**Church will go through the tribulation and
Christ will return to establish the kingdom.**

Dispensational Premillennialists:

Christ will rapture the church prior to

- the 7 year Trib or**
- the Great Trib at the middle of the Trib**

Pre-Millennial



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Post-millennial View:

**Church ushers in the millennium
through evangelism and social reform.**

Church replaces Israel

Tribulation – past or present



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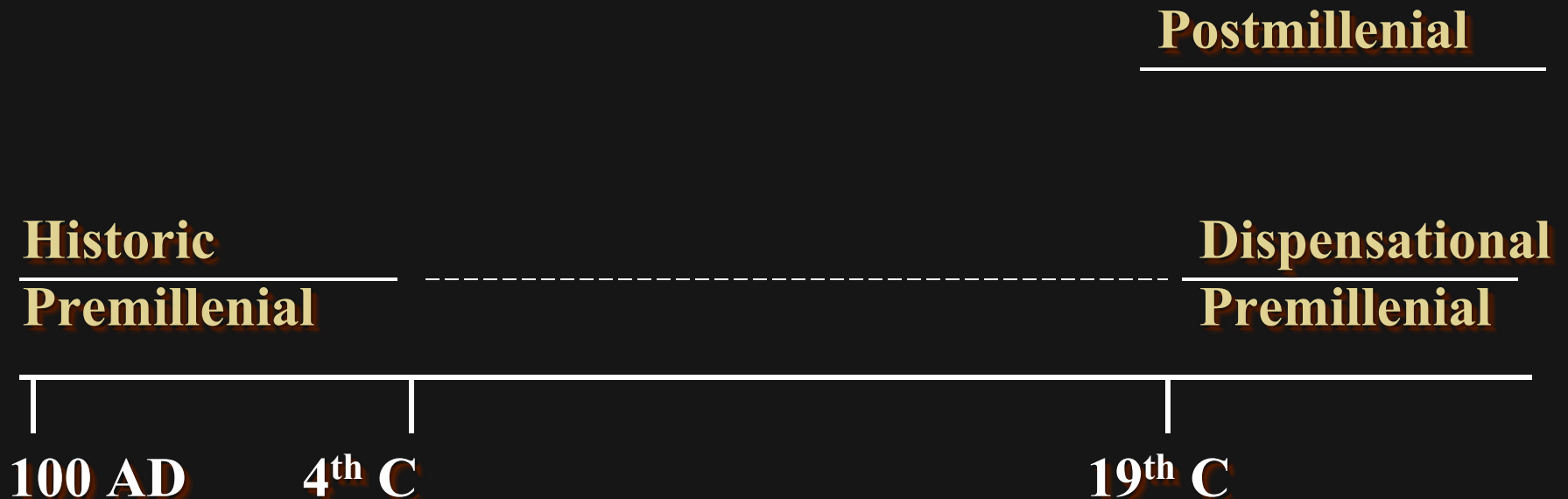
Post-Millennialists – next event:

2nd Coming of Christ –

New Heaven & New Earth



Millennial Viewpoints



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Amillennial View:

**Kingdom is here & now through
Christ’s reign in Heaven & in hearts of
mankind.**

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Tribulation – past & present



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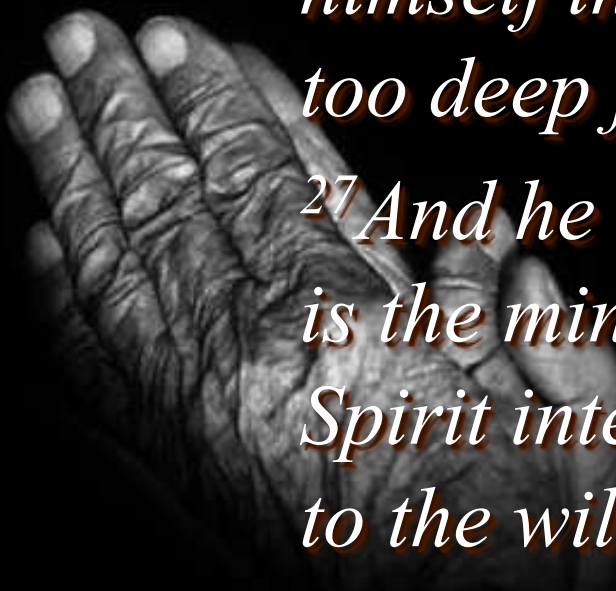
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Spirit of God knows:



²⁶Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness. For we do not know what to pray for as we ought, but the Spirit himself intercedes for us with groanings too deep for words.

²⁷And he who searches hearts knows what is the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints according to the will of God.

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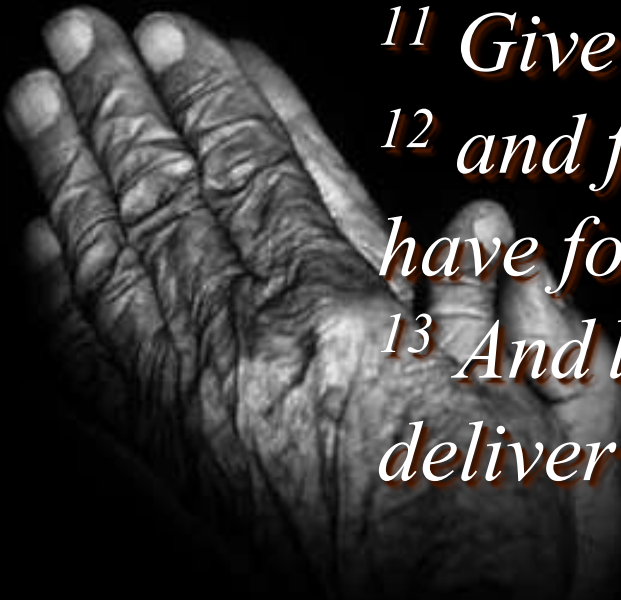
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