

Unanswered Prayer

Purpose: To encourage people in prayer by understanding the misnomers of unanswered prayer.

A lady wrote a religious editor, "Why doesn't the Lord answer the prayer of the saints, people real close to Him?"

A man tried prayer and it didn't work for him. He concluded prayer was wishful thinking.

A Jewish man named Bill was losing \$10,000 a day on Wall Street. He said:
"I was praying and begging God to stop the slide of the stock market. Prayer did nothing for me, I lost everything."

I asked God to save my son, but he was shot down in the war."

"I have prayed all my married life for my husband, he still isn't saved."

Why are prayers unanswered?

This question is voiced by saints and pre-Christians alike. Our pursuit of plausible answers benefits the one who is uncertain about God while searching for Him.