**Power in the Secret Place**

**Week 4

Persistence in Prayer – Don’t Stop Talking to God**Luke 11:5–13

### **1. God Welcomes \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

### *God isn’t bothered by your boldness—He’s moved by it.*

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### *“Suppose one of you has a friend, and he goes to him at midnight…”* — Luke 11:5

### *“…yet because of the man’s boldness he will get up and give him as much as he needs.”* — Luke 11:8

###  • Boldness shows \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, not disrespect.

###  • Faith that knocks \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ God’s heart.

###  • Desperation is an \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ offering.

 **2. God Rewards Spiritual \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

*God doesn’t respond to noise—He responds to persistence.*

*“Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you.” — Luke 11:9*

 • Ask with \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

 • Seek with \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

 • Knock with \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

 **3. God Knows What We \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

*God isn’t trying to trick you—He’s trying to grow you.*

*“Which of you fathers… would give a snake…? How much more will your Father in heaven give the Holy Spirit to those who ask Him!” — Luke 11:11–13*

 • God gives \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ gifts, not harmful substitutes.

 • His \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is just as perfect as His answer.

 • The greatest gift is the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

**Challenge:**

**Reflect:** Where have I stopped praying because it got hard or silent?

**Act:** Restart your prayer for that one thing. Do it daily for the next 21 days.

**Pray:** “God, give me the faith to keep knocking, the heart to keep trusting, and the strength to keep believing.”****