

# The Message Gathering

## Productive Prayer Part 4 - Powerful Prayer

### Review Of Productive Prayer:

#### Week 1: Purposeful Prayer

- The 4 Purposes Of Prayer
  - Connection
  - Direction
  - Correction
  - Protection

#### Week 2: Personal Prayer

- Productive Prayer Not Only Purposeful But Personal
- Prayer That Is Born From The Heart

#### Week 3: Passionate Prayer

Prayer When Prayed Passionately becomes...

### Today . . . . Powerful Prayer

#### James 5:16b (KJV)

The effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much.

#### The *Effectual Fervent* Prayer Defined:

(energies); to *be active, efficient* :- do, (be) effectual (fervent), be mighty in, shew forth self, work (effectually in).

#### To Be Active:

- characterized by [action](#) rather than by contemplation or speculation

**PRACTICED**

**To Be Efficient:**

- productive of desired effects
- being or involving the immediate **agent** in producing an effect

**PERSONAL**

**To Be Fervent:** having or displaying a passionate intensity.

**PASSIONATE**

**To Be Mighty:**

- possessing might

**POWERFUL**

***Avaieth Much Defined:***

The Ability To Prevail Or Be **PRODUCTIVE**

**Today's Statement Of Truth:**

Productive Prayer Connects Us To The Creator Empowering Us With His Life.

This Connection Not Only Makes Our Life Creative, But Capable.

Enabling Us To Bring About The Much Needed God Change In Our World.

**Questions:**

- Why Do You Think Many Christians Spend Much Of Their Spiritual Life In Contemplation and Speculation?
- Share Your Thoughts About The Reality That Prayer Is To Be "Active".
- Of The Four Titles From This Series On Prayer
  - Purposeful Prayer
  - Personal Prayer
  - Passionate Prayer
  - Powerful Prayer

Which One Are You Currently Experiencing, And Which One Needs More Work?

- During Our Time Together Over The Last Few Weeks, Share How Your Prayer Life Has Changed?
- Today, Is Your Prayer Life Purposeful, Personal, Passionate and Powerful Enough To Share Some Truths About Prayer This Week With Your World?

**Prayer Is Less About What You Say, And More About Recognizing Who He Is.**