# THE SUCCESSFUL PRAYER LIFE

From the parable of the sower. Mark 4.

# THINK ABOUT THE THING YOU'RE ASKING GOD FOR, AND ASK THESE QUESTIONS:



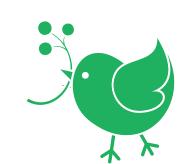
## NO.

Pray and ask for guidance. God will show you in His Word what He wants for you. Make His priorities your priorities.



The Sower has sown the Word. God has planted a promise inside you and made His Word come alive.

# WHAT HAPPENED WHEN YOU LEARNED GOD PROMISED THIS TO YOU?



#### I FORGOT ABOUT IT.

#### Stolen Word.

The birds of the air stole your seed. Could be that you dismissed it as impossible. Maybe you felt unworthy. Whatever the case, stop wondering and speculating. Soften your heart and believe, so God's promise can begin to germinate.

## I GOT REALLY EXCITED!

I thought about it a lot, and I talked about it, too, even if it was just talking to myself.

# SO THEN BAD STUFF BEGAN TO HAPPEN. HOW DID YOU RESPOND?



# MAYBE GOD DIDN'T WANT THAT FOR ME AFTER ALL.

#### Scorched Word.

Your promise germinated, but then withered under the heat of circumstance. Fight for it! Psalm 119:89-God's Word is forever settled in heaven. Hebrews 10:23- don't waver. He is faithful who promised.

# I DIDN'T LET IT GET ME DOWN.

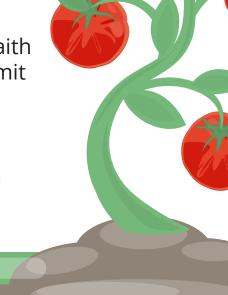
I remembered and repeated what God said until I saw the situation begin to change.

# START HERE



# SUCCESSFUL WORD. CONGRATULATIONS!

You're defying the odds to get results for God. With faith and patience, there's no limit to the lasting fruit you can see in your life. Don't get complacent, though. Jesus leads us from faith to faith and glory to glory. Next!



### I GOT DISTRACTED.

#### Strangled Word.

It happens. Cares of this world, wrong desires and priorities have pulled you away from your promise. That stuff is temporary. Take a wider and more eternal perspective.

I STAYED FOCUSED ON JESUS.



