

“Let no man say when he is tempted, I am tempted of God: for God cannot be tempted with evil, neither tempteth he any man: 14 But every man is tempted, when he is drawn away of his own lust, and enticed. 15 Then when lust hath conceived, it bringeth forth sin: and sin, when it is finished, bringeth forth death.” (James 1:13-15)

THE DESIRE

THE DECEPTION

THE DISOBEDIENCE

THE DEATH

B. Lead me into God’s _____

“The steps of a good man are ordered by the LORD: and he delighteth in his way.” (Psalm 37:23)

“For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus unto good works, which God hath before ordained that we should walk in them.” (Ephesians 2:10)

“The thief cometh not, but for to steal, and to kill, and to destroy: I am come that they might have life, and that they might have it more abundantly.” (John 10:10)

CONCLUSION

FOUR TAKE AWAYS:

1. He felt totally confident that God could see through all _____ .
2. David thoroughly wanted to be acquainted with _____ .
3. David wanted to discover if he had any hidden _____ in his life.
4. He longed for his God to be pleased with his conduct and desired to walk in _____ way and not his way.



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FRESH ENCOUNTER

PRAY AT YOUR OWN RISK

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“Search me, O God, and know my heart: try me, and know my thoughts: 24 And see if there be any wicked way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting.” (Psalm 139:23-24)

INTRODUCTION

1. For His _____
2. For His _____
 - _____ won’t hide us from God
 - _____ won’t hide us from God
 - _____ won’t hide us from God
3. For His _____

THESE 4 REQUESTS ARE NOT FOR...

1. The _____-hearted Christian.
2. It is not for the _____ Christian.
3. It’s not even for the _____ Christian.
4. It’s definitely not for the _____ Christian.
5. But it is certainly for the _____ Christian.

“Looking diligently lest any man fail of the grace of God; lest any root of bitterness springing up trouble you, and thereby many be defiled;” (Hebrews 12:15)

1. _____ ME—A PRAYER OF _____

“Examine me, O LORD, and prove me; try my reins and my heart.” (Psalm 26:2)

A. A Personal _____

THIS WAS A SINCERE REQUEST

THIS ALSO WAS A SERIOUS REQUEST

“How many are mine iniquities and sins? make me to know my transgression and my sin.” (Job 13:23)

B. A Profound _____

“Doth not he see my ways, and count all my steps? 5 If I have walked with vanity, or if my foot hath hastened to deceit; 6 Let me be weighed in an even balance, that God may know mine integrity. 7 If my step hath turned out of the way, and mine heart walked after mine eyes, and if any blot hath cleaved to mine hands;” (Job 31:4–7)

“This also were an iniquity to be punished by the judge: for I should have denied the God that is above.” (Job 31:28)

2. _____ ME—A PRAYER OF _____

A. Our _____

“The heart is deceitful above all things, and desperately wicked: who can know it? 10 I the LORD search the heart, I try the reins, even to give every man according to his ways, and according to the fruit of his doings.” (Jeremiah 17:9–10)

“The fining pot is for silver, and the furnace for gold: but the LORD trieth the hearts.” (Proverbs 17:3)

“Let me be weighed in an even balance, that God may know mine integrity.” (Job 31:6)

B. Our _____

“In the multitude of my thoughts within me thy comforts delight my soul.” (Psalm 94:19)

“Be careful for nothing; but in every thing by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known unto God. 7 And the peace of God, which passeth all understanding, shall keep your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus.” (Philippians 4:6–7)

“Casting down imaginations, and every high thing that exalteth itself against the knowledge of God, and bringing into captivity every thought to the obedience of Christ;” (2 Corinthians 5:10)

3. _____ ME—A PRAYER OF _____

A. _____ the Testings

“Beloved, think it not strange concerning the fiery trial which is to try you, as though some strange thing happened unto you.” (1 Peter 4:12)

“But, O LORD of hosts, that triest the righteous, and seest the reins and the heart...” (Jeremiah 20:12)

B. _____ the Testings

“My brethren, count it all joy when ye fall into divers temptations; 3 Knowing this, that the trying of your faith worketh patience. 4 But let patience have her perfect work, that ye may be perfect and entire, wanting nothing.” (James 1:2–4)

C. Be _____ about the Testings

“But rejoice, inasmuch as ye are partakers of Christ’s sufferings; that, when his glory shall be revealed, ye may be glad also with exceeding joy.” (1 Peter 4:13)

“Yet if any man suffer as a Christian, let him not be ashamed; but let him glorify God on this behalf.” (1 Peter 4:16)

D. _____ Him through the Testings

“If ye be reproached for the name of Christ, happy are ye; for the spirit of glory and of God resteth upon you: on their part he is evil spoken of; but on your part he is glorified.” (1 Peter 4:14)

4. _____ ME—A PRAYER OF _____

A. Lead me from Satanic _____

“And forgive us our sins; for we also forgive every one that is indebted to us. And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil.” (Luke 11:4)

“Watch and pray, that ye enter not into temptation: the spirit indeed is willing, but the flesh is weak.” (Matthew 26:41)

“But I fear, lest by any means, as the serpent beguiled Eve through his subtilty, so your minds should be corrupted from the simplicity that is in Christ.” (1 Corinthians 11:3)