The Means Of Answered Prayer

Scripture: John 15:7

Introduction

Here is a simple truth that tells us how we can pray effective prayers, and always see God answer.

I. If ye abide in me

- A. The first condition on having prayer answered
- B. Abide: a stable relationship with God
 - 1. Total committment to Him
 - 2. Complete submission to Him
 - 3. Continual fellowship with him

II. And my words abide in you

- **2** Timothy 3:16-17 All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness. That the man of God may be perfect, thoroughly furnished unto all good works.
- A. The basis of faith--his words
 - 1. Knowing his Word
 - 2. Being able to apply his word
- B. The complete equipment for working his works
- C. Letting his words abide in you-Meditating in his words

III Ye shall ask what ye will

- A. Having our wills to coincide with his
- B. Living in his will

IV. And it shall be done

- A. A positive answer to a positive faith
- B. The end result of effective prayer