

Bubbles PART 3

God Wants To Answer

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Memory Verse: John 14:13-14

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Prayer is the most basic expression of our faith, but without answers, our prayers are empty. The good news is that answered prayer glorifies God. His Word gives us three good reasons to support that.

1. Answered prayer _____ glorifies _____ God. John 14:13-14

2. Answered prayer should be _____ expected _____. Hebrews 6:18

The Importance of Answered Prayer

Answered prayer is what makes praying real and worth doing.

Without answers, there would be no need to pray. Praying would be simply a ritual.

The most real aspect of prayer is the answer.

Answered prayer encourages our faith.

Answered prayer gives our prayer focus, aim and purpose.

3. Answered prayer causes unbelievers to _____ honor _____
God and believe. 1 Kings 18:39

4. Answered prayer _____ accomplishes _____ God's goals. 1 Kings 18:40

5. Answered prayer _____ increases _____ the faith of
believers. 1 Kings 18:40-46

LIQUID DREAMS

SITTING IN A PUDDLE OF HER TEARS, WATCHING HER HAND
WRITTEN DREAMS BECOME LIKE WATER COLOR, HE WONDERS
IF SHE REALIZES HE CAN PUNISH HER FEARS

ONE BY ONE, THEY CONTINUE TO DRIP LIKE A BROKEN FAUCET-CLOSETS-SURROUND
HER THOUGHTS-THAT TURN INTO PRAYERS-CARRYING THEM FOR HER,
THEY ASCEND ABOVE HER

LEGS CROSSED, WHILE FINGER TIPS GRIP ONTO HER DREAMS FULL OF WATER COLOR,
SHE STARES UP

AS THE SUN TAKES ITS PLACE TO REST
SHE HAS DECIDED TO STAY STILL, KNOWING THAT PATIENCE WILL BRING HER THE BEST

NOT LETTING SIGHT OF WHAT'S ABOVE HER OR BELOW LIQUID
IS SEEN ON THE TIP OF HER NOSE, EVENTUALLY CONSUMING EVERYTHING TO HER TOES

OH SHE KNOWS-SHE KNOWS-HE HAS AWAKEN HER

EYES OPEN, BODY ALERT ONCE AGAIN
AS HANDS TRY TO PUSH HER BODY UP, THEY FAIL

LOOKING AROUND HER, SHE REALIZES HE HAS DROWNED HER IN ANSWERS

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