

A Blind Man's Prayer



Everything is dark when you are **BLIND**, when your eyes don't work. :(

In the Bible there was a blind man. He could not work, so everyday he sat and begged near the town gate, where lots of people went in and out. "Please help me", he called out, "Just a little bit of money, or a bit of food."

But he still had two good ears! One day he heard a big crowd of people coming. "What's happening?" he called out. "**JESUS** is coming!" they told him. He had heard of Jesus, the man who said and did amazing things, like healing blind people.

He shouted out **A PRAYER** very loudly, "Jesus, Son of David, help me!"

"**BE QUIET!**" they told him, but he kept on shouting out loudly "Jesus, Son of David, help me!" They did not care about a blind beggar. But Jesus did care (and He cares for you too) - He told the crowd to make room and bring the blind man to Him.

Very kindly He said "What do you want me to do for you?"

"Lord," the blind man said, "let me **SEE** again." Jesus replied, "Look and you will see! Your eyes are healed because of your **TRUST** in me."

He opened his eyes and he could see again! How he thanked God for Jesus! **HOORAY** for God! Then he followed Jesus, who had done so much for him.

And all the crowd now joined in shouting **HOORAY** for God!

A PRAYER

BLIND

SEE

JESUS

TRUST

HOORAY!!



From the Bible, in Luke's Gospel, chapter 18, verses 35 to 43.

³⁵ When Jesus was coming close to Jericho, a blind man sat begging beside the road. ³⁶ The man heard the crowd walking by and asked what was happening. ³⁷ Some people told him that Jesus from Nazareth was passing by. ³⁸ So the blind man shouted, "Jesus, Son of David, have pity on me!" ³⁹ The people who were going along with Jesus told the man to be quiet. But he shouted even louder, "Son of David, have pity on me!"

⁴⁰ Jesus stopped and told some people to bring the blind man over to him. When the blind man was getting near, Jesus asked, ⁴¹ "What do you want me to do for you?"

"Lord, I want to see!" he answered.

⁴² Jesus replied, "Look and you will see! Your eyes are healed because of your faith." ⁴³ At once the man could see, and he went with Jesus and started thanking God. When the crowds saw what happened, they praised God.

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