

Teaching: **Close the Door**

But thou, when thou prays, enter into thy closet, and when thou has shut thy door, pray to thy Father which is in secret; and thy Father which sees in secret shall reward thee openly, Matthew 6:6.

When we commune with the Father we need to shut out the cares and concerns of the world.

Take no thought, saying, What shall we eat? or, What shall we drink? or, Wherewithal shall we be clothed? for your heavenly Father knows that ye have need of all these things. But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you. Take therefore no thought for the morrow: for the morrow shall take thought for the things of itself. Sufficient unto the day *is* the troubles thereof, Matthew {6:31-34}.

We cannot discern spiritual thing by using our carnal reasoning; we must be taught of them by the Holy Spirit.

Which things we speak, not in man's wisdom, (that is worldly wisdom), but taught by the Holy Ghost; comparing spiritual things with spiritual. {1st Corinthians 2:13}.

For the natural man receives not the things of the Spirit of God: for they are foolishness unto him: neither can he know *them*, because they are spiritually discerned, 1st Corinthians 2:14.

For who has known the mind of the Lord, that he may instruct Him? But we have the mind of Christ, 1st Corinthians 2:1.