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If all we do today is talk about prayer than we have accomplished nothing! We have failed. We need to put prayer into practice daily. It isn't enough to pray before meals and before bedtime. Our relationship with God is dependent on effective two-way communication. My prayer is that you will commit to an active prayer life today.



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