

1 Kings: Why We Need King Jesus
Praying that Reveals Our Great Need

1 Kings 8:31-53

Sunday, September 6, 2026

Solomon's prayer of dedication gets specific...

Because of sin these "temples" have specific needs as well.

Two realities from Solomon's prayers from wisdom:

1. God _____.
2. Man's on-going needs is _____.

Solomon's Seven Petitions:

I. Because of sin we need _____ (1 Kings 8:31-32).

Truth – all are guilty before God and Christ will be the judge of all.

II. Because of sin we need _____ (1 Kings 8:33-34).

We have enemies as well (temporary ones).

**III. Because of sin the _____ is not as it _____ be
(1 Kings 8:35-36).**

"...when you afflict them" (vs. 35).

"the good way" (vs. 36).

IV. Because of sin we need _____ (1 Kings 8:37-40).

God allows and ordains a variety of disasters for salvation...

V. Because of sin the _____ needs a _____
(1 Kings 8:41-43).

"...for your name's sake (great name, mighty hand, outstretched arm)"

VI. Because of sin we need _____ (1 Kings 8:44-45).

"...by whatever way you send them" (vs. 44).

Spiritual AND physical??

VII. Because of sin we need _____ (1 Kings 8:46-53).

No matter what...we are His people!

"I give them eternal life, and they will never perish, and no one will snatch them out of my hand" (John 10:28).

Why do we need assurance? Because we know us!

So, pray!

Because of sin we need Jesus!

1. What did you receive or learn or plan to apply that you can share with someone this week? Who might you share it with?
2. If this is your first worship experience at HHBC, let us know and tell us how we can pray for you or answer any questions. Send us a message on Facebook or e-mail at info@hhbc.org.
3. ***How much do you know about the Gospel?*** Do you have questions about Christianity or your own spiritual condition? If so, please e-mail or call Pastor Gene this week (cell: 864.616.5899 or gene@hhbc.org).
4. Join us Wednesday @ 6:30 PM for ***Refuel (Adults) and Student's & Children's ministry activities!***