

Asking With Confidence
Matthew 7:7-11

Our Heavenly Father delights in His child's requests.

Our Father –

Ask -

How do we know?

1. God is responsive to our requests. 7-8

It shall be given.

Apply: God does not ignore us;
so continue asking, seeking, knocking.

2. God is generous in answering our requests. 9-10

Everyone who asks receives.

Apply: God is not stingy;
so hone our view of God to guide our asking.
Hypocrisy is born of heresy.

3. God is God - even when we ask as children. 11

How much more shall your Father give what is good?

Apply: God is only good;
so He will give only what is good.

Qualifications of **Good**:

- *Good is what's real.*
- *Good is what's eternal.*

Challenge: Ask...!

...and thank God for requests answered with better.