

About Prayer - Talking to God as a Friend

Discuss: "What sorts of things do we like to talk about to our friends?"

Optional Song: "Did You Ever Talk to God Above?" (Lyrics by Frances Towle Rath, Child Evangelism Fellowship, 1974)

Prayer means "talking to God".

We can talk to God, as if we're talking (respectfully of course) to a very BEST FRIEND!

We can tell God **ANYTHING!**

We can tell God **HAPPY** THINGS



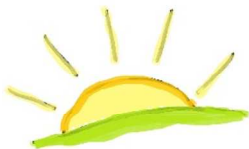
SAD THINGS

FRUSTRATING THINGS



QUESTIONS

and even what we just **THINK** about – we don't have to always speak out loud.



We can talk to God indoors or outdoors, wiggling or sitting still, with eyes open or closed, and at anytime of day or night because God never sleeps even though we do! (Psalm 121:3-4, Psalm 4:8)

