## **Calling Long Distance**

James 5:13-20

"The prayer of a righteous man is powerful and effective." (vs. 16b)

mportant tips for an effective prayer life.

Some important tips for an effective prayer life.
1 should you pray?
a. When you are
"Is any one of you in trouble? He should pray." (vs. 13a)
"Is anyone happy? Let him sing songs of praise." (vs. 13b)
b. When you are sick.
"Is any one of you sick? He should call the elders of the church to pray over him, and anoint him with oil in the name of the Lord. And the prayer offered in faith will make the sick person well; the Lord will raise him up. If he has sinned, he will be forgiven." (vs. 14-15)
1. The Bible talks about different of sickness.
a. A sickness that leads to
b. A sickness that is used for
c. A sickness that is for the of
2. Attitudes towards healing.
a. The
b. The
c. The
d. The
e. The
c. When you are hurting
"Therefore confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so that you may be healed." (vs. 16a)
2 can pray?
"Elijah was a man just like us" (vs.17a)

3. How do you pray?
a. You must ask
"You do not have, because you do not ask God" James 4:2
b. You need to make sure your is right.
"When you ask, you do not receive, because you ask with the wrong motives that you may spend what you get on your pleasures." James 4:3
c. You need to your
"The prayer of a righteous man is powerful and effective" James 5:16b
d. You need to that God to answer your prayer.
"But when he asks, he must believe and not doubt" James 1:6
Prayer is a call. God is willing to the charges.