

# LORD'S PRAYER FOLD-UP REVEALER

This is a phrase-by-phrase system to memorize and learn what the Lord's Prayer means. It's not enough to learn the Lord's Prayer by memory, if you don't know what it means - or if it has no personal meaning for you. Let's help our children understand this prayer. Allow students to write any additional notes about what each phrase means to them. MAKE IT PERSONAL! Bible reference: Matthew 6: 9-15



**TEACHER NOTES:** Pre-cut and prepare a sample ahead of time so that students can see how the folds work. Hang your sample on bulletin board!

## MATERIALS:

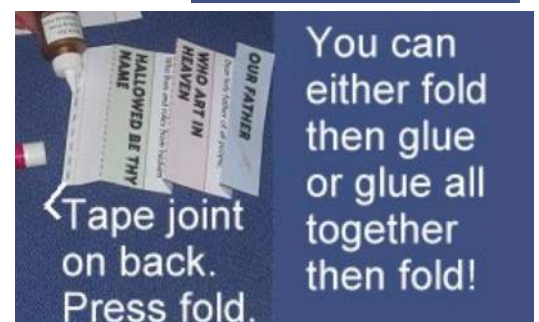
- Copy of Template for each student (use the thinnest paper your printer will take.)
- Glue sticks
- Tape
- Scissors
- Pencil or pen

## INSTRUCTIONS:

**1. Cut ALL rectangles.** Join them all using glue or tape to make one long piece of paper then do the folding. (It is easier to combine all papers and make one long piece of paper *first* as it can be tricky to glue folded pieces.)

**2. Tape joint on back. Press fold. You can either fold then glue or glue all together then fold!** This has such easy construction, talk about the prayer phrases and review the meanings as the class makes the folds.

**3. First folds.** Fold all the dashed lines as shown to right.



4. Bring folded edge down to next phrase. Tuck in inside fold. This creates "Flaps" hiding the meanings.



5. Hold and Fold over. It may help to stick your finger just below the "Inside fold" dotted line as you bring down the folded edge (dashed line) over your finger to the top of next phrase section. Remove your finger and press. (This is the student size, but the instructions are both the same)



6. Continue the process until completed.



5. Review each phrase and its meaning as you reveal it.

