

Help Me See

We want to be open-minded, but we naturally resist things we can't control or don't understand. So how can we learn to be open to changing our ideals and beliefs, especially if we may be wrong about something? It begins with a simple prayer.

Discussion Questions

- 1. Would you say you are open-minded? What would the people who know you say? What would someone who has completely opposite views say?
- 2. Can you think of an inaccurate or unhealthy view of something or someone you inherited from your family that you corrected later in life? What enabled you to see clearly?
- 3. How do you determine which ideals and beliefs to hold tightly and which to hold loosely? Have you ever damaged a relationship because you held too tightly to an ideal?
- 4. Jesus said: "Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God" (Matthew 5:8 NIV). What is the relationship between a pure heart and seeing clearly?