



## Celebrate Realizing How God Works

Have you ever prayed for the congregation you attend to grow or for another one? How about for something special to happen in your life or something else important?

We read in the Bible about how God cares for us and that we are all His children. Our heavenly Father listens to our prayer requests and answers every one of them. [God's reply can be a firm or silent no...By not giving you exactly what you asked for.] [The answer could be delayed or can take effect immediate...Just like you prayed for.]

Here's something for you to think about how does a wave in the ocean become a wave? *Let's start looking for and recognize His power is action!* When the wind changes direction continuously or there is no consistent pattern...No waves develop and the sea is calm. When the wind is constant and steadily heading the same direction with strength over a period of time...Ripples become waves. Then, small waves turn into larger waves.

Have you ever thought of or now thinking about learning how to catch a wave and surf? You have 3 choices...Your answer could be either no, yes, or I would like to learn how. *Surfing requires talent.* You'll need to prepare and practice. Then when you see the next big wave coming in start paddling...Get out in front and ride it for as long as you can.

*Celebrate realizing how God works and enjoy riding each wave in your life for as long as it lasts.*