

## Tennessee Ernie Ford

### "Sweet Hour Of Prayer"

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Sweet hour of prayer,  
sweet hour of prayer,  
that calls me from a world of care  
and bids me at my Father's throne  
make all my wants and wishes known!  
In seasons of distress and grief  
my soul has often found relief,  
and oft escaped the tempter's snare.  
By thy return, sweet hour of prayer.

Sweet hour of prayer,  
sweet hour of prayer,  
The joy I feel, the bliss I share,  
of those whose anxious spirits burn  
with strong desires for thy return!  
with such I hasten to the place  
where God, my Saviour, shows His face,  
and gladly take my station there,  
and wait for thee, sweet hour of prayer.

Sweet hour of prayer,  
sweet hour of prayer,  
Thy wings shall my petition bear  
to him whose truth and faithfulness  
engage the waiting soul to bless:  
and since He bids me seek His face,  
Believe His word, and trust His grace  
I'll cast on Him my every care,  
and wait for thee, sweet hour of prayer

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