## **Simply Pray**

Johannes Hartl



# A refreshingly different, exciting and practical guide to building a life of prayer

In the gospel of Luke, the disciples of Jesus ask Him, "Lord, teach us to pray." They saw the great importance Jesus placed on having a daily rhythm of prayer and they wanted to learn how to have this same rhythm in their own lives. And so can we.

In this refreshingly different look at prayer, Johannes Hartl explores twelve simple ways to build a thriving prayer life—twelve steps that have transformed his life. Hartl encourages readers to explore different forms of prayer, from embracing silence, to creating your own 'inner garden' in which to meet with Jesus wherever you are, to overcoming the scripts and traffic in our heads that prevent us from encountering God. With inspiring stories, spiritual exercises, and practical ideas, *Simply Pray* will help you develop daily rhythms of prayer, even in the hectic pace of day-to-day life.

For those who long to meet with God in prayer, experience more depth, and discover God's presence in the everyday, *Simply Pray* is an invitation to the biggest challenge and the loveliest secret—the adventure that will change your life.

'God is always in the here and now. He is not hard to find. He is waiting for us. Dnly we are mostly somewhere else. It's high time we came back.'

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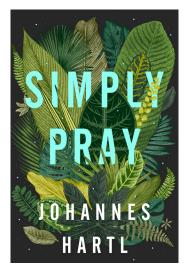
Johannes Hartl is a passionate storyteller who loves to communicate the heart of God. In 2005, he and his wife founded the House of Prayer in Augsburg, Germany. He is the author of numerous books and an international conference speaker, renowned for bringing spiritual depth with humorous insight and practical application. Johannes lives in Augsburg, Germany, with his wife, Jutta, and their four children.

#### Readership

- Those who are exploring prayer for the first time, and those who want to explore prayer further
- Christians seeking practical ways to build a daily prayer life in the busyness of everyday life
- Christians who want to encounter God in fresh ways and deepen their relationship with him
- Christians who have been struggling to pray or find a rhythm of prayer that works for them
- Those familiar with 24-7 Prayer and House of Prayer movements

#### **Key Selling Points**

- Refreshing, creative, and exciting approaches to prayer made for experiencing God in normal, everyday, busy life
- Highly practical yet simple guide for every season of life
- Tried and tested steps inspired by the life of Jesus that have impacted the author's own life
- Told in the author's punchy, thoughtful and passionate style of storytelling



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