

When I was in high school, one of my close friends lived on the same block as one of the starting forwards of the New York Islanders. Whenever he wanted to, he would give a call and there would be an instant hockey game being played or they would work out in his basement. I remember how proud he was that anytime he wanted, he could hangout and speak with this famous athlete. I also remember how jealous some of my friends were.

Since I don't follow hockey, this particular situation didn't affect me much. However, I could recognize how impressive it might be to have that kind of relationship with someone famous. Mel Gibson, Jimmy Carter, Mike Piazza – they would all be extremely exciting to know and spend time with. Well, today there is someone even greater than any of these men who will be available for us to spend time with. God is waiting for you to make some time so He can be with you.

If we think it's exciting to be with some of these men, how much more exciting is it to be with God! Did anyone else promise to be with us whenever two or more are gathered in His name? Did anyone else promise that if we call them, they would immediately answer and spend as much time with us as we need?

Do we realize how incredible it is to be able to speak one-on-one with the person that created the computer? He also created antibiotics and the ingredients for your favorite meal. He made all things: from the smallest to the greatest. And He has allowed us to come directly to Him to ask Him for favors, ask Him questions or just spend time together.

You would probably be shocked if I told you that Mel Gibson wanted to speak with me but I told him I was too busy. I'm as shocked when I hear people say they are too busy to pray. You've got a great opportunity to speak to the greatest person ever. Take it! Now THAT'S exciting!