

## Why Do I Pray ?

The question was asked " Why do I pray ? "  
I pondered and thought, I wasn't sure what to say.

Then I realized I pray because I'm not God.  
When I stop praying, I stop knowing I'm not God.

I start forgetting who God is.  
Then I start believing others who treat me like a god.

I start acting like I'm a god. I start expecting others to  
worship me.

I start controlling them with an iron rod.

Then they start to rebel because I have no love in my  
heart.

I'm too busy trying to believe this lie rather than accept the  
idea that began at the start.

I pray because I'm not God and there can be no other way.  
The next time I'm asked the question I'll know just what to  
say ...

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I pray because I'm not God.

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