

## Forgive, Forgives, Forgiven, Forgiving, & Forgiveness

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### Forgive

Genesis 50:17 - ‘Thus you shall say to Joseph: Please forgive the criminal wrongdoing of your brothers, who treated you harmfully.’ So now please forgive the crime that we, the servants of the God of your father, committed.” When they said this to him, Joseph broke into tears.

Exodus 10:17 - But now, do forgive me my sin only this once, and pray to the LORD, your God, only to take this death from me.”

Exodus 32:32 - Now if you would only forgive their sin! But if you will not, then blot me out of the book that you have written.”

Joshua 24:19 - Joshua in turn said to the people, “You may not be able to serve the LORD, for he is a holy God; he is a passionate God who will not forgive your transgressions or your sins.

1 Samuel 25:28 - Please forgive the offense of your maidservant, for the LORD shall certainly establish a lasting house for my lord, because my lord fights the battles of the LORD. Let no evil be found in you your whole life long.

1 Kings 8:30 - Listen to the petition of your servant and of your people Israel which they offer toward this place. Listen, from the place of your enthronement, heaven, listen and forgive.

1 Kings 8:34 - listen in heaven and forgive the sin of your people Israel, and bring them back to the land you gave their ancestors.

1 Kings 8:36 - listen in heaven and forgive the sin of your servants, your people Israel (for you teach them the good way in which they should walk). Give rain to this land of yours which you have given to your people as their heritage.

1 Kings 8:39 - listen in heaven, the place of your enthronement; forgive and take action. Render to each and all according to their ways, you who know every heart; for it is you alone who know the heart of every human being.

2 Chronicles 6:21 - Listen to the petition of your servant and of your people Israel which they offer toward this place. Listen, from the place of your enthronement, heaven, and listen and forgive.

2 Chronicles 6:25 - listen from heaven and forgive the sin of your people Israel, and bring them back to the land you gave them and their ancestors.

2 Chronicles 6:27 - listen in heaven and forgive the sin of your servants, your people Israel. (For you teach them the good way in which they should walk.) Give rain upon this land of yours which you have given to your people as their heritage.

2 Chronicles 6:30 - listen from heaven, the place of your enthronement, and forgive. Render to each and all according to their ways, you who know every heart; for it is you alone who know the heart of every human being.

2 Chronicles 6:39 - listen from heaven, the place of your enthronement, to their prayer and petitions, and uphold their cause. Forgive your people who have sinned against you.

2 Chronicles 7:14 - if then my people, upon whom my name has been pronounced, humble themselves and pray, and seek my face and turn from their evil ways, I will hear them from heaven and pardon their sins and heal their land.

Nehemiah 9:17 - they refused to obey and no longer remembered the wonders you had worked for them. They were obdurate and appointed a leader in order to return to their slavery in Egypt. But you are a forgiving God, gracious and merciful, slow to anger and rich in mercy; you did not forsake them.

Psalm 25:18 - Look upon my affliction and suffering; take away all my sins.

Psalm 32:5 - Then I declared my sin to you; my guilt I did not hide. I said, "I confess my transgression to the LORD," and you took away the guilt of my sin.

Psalm 65:4 - with its burden of wicked deeds. We are overcome by our sins; only you can pardon them.

Psalm 79:9 - Help us, God our savior, on account of the glory of your name. Deliver us, pardon our sins for your name's sake.

Psalm 85:2 - You forgave the guilt of your people, pardoned all their sins.

Sirach 5:6 - Do not say, "His mercy is great; my many sins he will forgive." For mercy and anger alike are with him; his wrath comes to rest on the wicked.

Sirach 16:11 - Had there been but one stiff-necked person, it would be a wonder had he gone unpunished. For mercy and anger alike are with him; he remits and forgives, but also pours out wrath.

Sirach 28:2 - Forgive your neighbor the wrong done to you; then when you pray, your own sins will be forgiven.

Jeremiah 18:23 - But you, LORD, know all their planning for my death. Do not forgive their crime, and their sin do not blot out from your sight! Let them stumble before you, in the time of your anger act against them.

Jeremiah 31:34 - They will no longer teach their friends and relatives, “Know the LORD!” Everyone, from least to greatest, shall know me—oracle of the LORD—for I will forgive their iniquity and no longer remember their sin.

Jeremiah 33:8 - I will purify them of all the guilt they incurred by sinning against me; I will forgive all their offenses by which they sinned and rebelled against me.

Jeremiah 36:3 - Perhaps, if the house of Judah hears all the evil I have in mind to do to them, so that all of them turn from their evil way, then I can forgive their wickedness and their sin.

Ezekiel 16:63 - that you may remember and be ashamed, and never again open your mouth because of your disgrace, when I pardon you for all you have done—oracle of the Lord GOD.

Daniel 9:19 - Lord, hear! Lord, pardon! Lord, be attentive and act without delay, for your own sake, my God, because your name is invoked upon your city and your people!”

Hosea 1:6-7 - She conceived again and bore a daughter. The LORD said to him: Give her the name “Not-Pitied,” for I will no longer feel pity for the house of Israel: rather, I will utterly abhor them. Yet for the house of Judah I will feel pity; I will save them by the LORD, their God; but I will not save them by bow or sword, by warfare, by horses or horsemen.

Amos 7:2 - When they had finished eating the grass in the land, I said: Forgive, O Lord GOD! Who will raise up Jacob? He is so small!

Matthew 6:12 - and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors;

(4) Matthew 6:14-15 - If you forgive others their transgressions, your heavenly Father will forgive you. But if you do not forgive others, neither will your Father forgive your transgressions.

Matthew 9:6 - But that you may know that the Son of Man has authority on earth to forgive sins”—he then said to the paralytic, “Rise, pick up your stretcher, and go home.”

Matthew 18:21-22 - Then Peter approaching asked him, “Lord, if my brother sins against me, how often must I forgive him? As many as seven times?” Jesus answered, “I say to you, not seven times but seventy-seven times.”

Matthew 18:34-35 - Then in anger his master handed him over to the torturers until he should pay back the whole debt. So will my heavenly Father do to you, unless each of you forgives his brother from his heart.”

Mark 2:7 - “Why does this man speak that way? He is blaspheming. Who but God alone can forgive sins?”

Mark 2:10 - But that you may know that the Son of Man has authority to forgive sins on earth”

(2) Mark 11:25 - When you stand to pray, forgive anyone against whom you have a grievance, so that your heavenly Father may in turn forgive you your transgressions.”

Luke 5:21 - Then the scribes and Pharisees began to ask themselves, “Who is this who speaks blasphemies? Who but God alone can forgive sins?”

Luke 5:24 - But that you may know that the Son of Man has authority on earth to forgive sins”—he said to the man who was paralyzed, “I say to you, rise, pick up your stretcher, and go home.”

Luke 6:37 - “Stop judging and you will not be judged. Stop condemning and you will not be condemned. Forgive and you will be forgiven.

(2) Luke 11:4 - and forgive us our sins for we ourselves forgive everyone in debt to us, and do not subject us to the final test.”

(2) Luke 17:3-4 - Be on your guard! If your brother sins, rebuke him; and if he repents, forgive him. And if he wrongs you seven times in one day and returns to you seven times saying, ‘I am sorry,’ you should forgive him.”

Luke 23:34 - [Then Jesus said, “Father, forgive them, they know not what they do.”]

John 20:23 - Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them, and whose sins you retain are retained.”

2 Corinthians 2:7 - so that on the contrary you should forgive and encourage him instead, or else the person may be overwhelmed by excessive pain.

(2) 2 Corinthians 2:10 - Whomever you forgive anything, so do I. For indeed what I have forgiven, if I have forgiven anything, has been for you in the presence of Christ,

2 Corinthians 12:13 - In what way were you less privileged than the rest of the churches, except that on my part I did not burden you? Forgive me this wrong!

Colossians 3:13 - bearing with one another and forgiving one another, if one has a grievance against another; as the Lord has forgiven you, so must you also do.

1 John 1:9 - If we acknowledge our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive our sins and cleanse us from every wrongdoing.

### **Forgiven**

Leviticus 4:20 - doing with this bull just as he did with the other bull of the purification offering; he will do the same thing. Thus the priest shall make atonement on their behalf, that they may be forgiven.

Leviticus 4:26 - All of its fat he shall burn on the altar like the fat of the communion sacrifice. Thus the priest shall make atonement on the tribal leader's behalf for his wrong, that he may be forgiven.

Leviticus 4:31 - He shall remove all the fat, just as the fat is removed from the communion sacrifice. The priest shall burn it on the altar for a sweet odor to the LORD. Thus the priest shall make atonement, so that the individual may be forgiven.

Leviticus 4:35 - He shall remove all its fat just as the fat is removed from the lamb of the communion sacrifice. The priest shall burn these on the altar with the other oblations for the LORD. Thus the priest shall make atonement on the person's behalf for the wrong committed, that the individual may be forgiven.

Leviticus 5:10 - The other bird he shall offer as a burnt offering according to procedure. Thus the priest shall make atonement on the person's behalf for the wrong committed, so that the individual may be forgiven.

Leviticus 5:13 - Thus the priest shall make atonement on the person's behalf for the wrong committed in any of the above cases, so that the individual may be forgiven. The rest of the offering, like the grain offering, shall belong to the priest.

Leviticus 5:16 - The wrongdoer shall also restore what has been misused of the sacred objects, adding a fifth of its value, and give this to the priest. Thus the priest shall make atonement for the person with the ram of the reparation offering, so that the individual may be forgiven.

Leviticus 5:18 - The individual shall bring to the priest an unblemished ram of the flock, at the established value, for a reparation offering. The priest shall then make atonement on the offerer's behalf for the error inadvertently and unknowingly committed so that the individual may be forgiven.

Leviticus 19:22 - With the ram of the reparation offering the priest shall make atonement before the LORD for the wrong the man has committed, so that he will be forgiven for the wrong he has committed.

Numbers 14:19 - Pardon, then, the iniquity of this people in keeping with your great kindness, even as you have forgiven them from Egypt until now.”

(2) Numbers 15:25-26 - Then the priest shall make atonement for the whole Israelite community; and they will be forgiven, since it was inadvertence, and for their inadvertence they have brought their offering: an oblation to the LORD as well as their purification offering before the LORD. Not only the whole Israelite community but also the aliens residing among you shall be forgiven, since the inadvertent fault affects all the people.

Numbers 15:28 - And the priest shall make atonement before the LORD for the one who erred, since the sin was inadvertent, making atonement for the person to secure forgiveness.

Psalms 32:1 - Blessed is the one whose fault is removed, whose sin is forgiven.

Isaiah 6:7 - He touched my mouth with it. “See,” he said, “now that this has touched your lips, your wickedness is removed, your sin purged.”

Isaiah 22:14 - This message was revealed in my hearing from the LORD of hosts: This iniquity will not be forgiven you until you die, says the Lord, the GOD of hosts.

Isaiah 33:24 - No one who dwells there will say, “I am sick”; the people who live there will be forgiven their guilt.

Matthew 6:12 - and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors;

Matthew 9:2 - And there people brought to him a paralytic lying on a stretcher. When Jesus saw their faith, he said to the paralytic, “Courage, child, your sins are forgiven.”

Matthew 9:5 - Which is easier, to say, ‘Your sins are forgiven,’ or to say, ‘Rise and walk’?

(4) Matthew 12:31-32 - Therefore, I say to you, every sin and blasphemy will be forgiven people, but blasphemy against the Spirit will not be forgiven. And whoever speaks a word against the Son of Man will be forgiven; but whoever speaks against the holy Spirit will not be forgiven, either in this age or in the age to come.

Mark 2:5 - When Jesus saw their faith, he said to the paralytic, “Child, your sins are forgiven.”

Mark 2:9 - Which is easier, to say to the paralytic, 'Your sins are forgiven,' or to say, 'Rise, pick up your mat and walk'?

Mark 3:28 - Amen, I say to you, all sins and all blasphemies that people utter will be forgiven them.

Mark 4:12 - so that 'they may look and see but not perceive, and hear and listen but not understand, in order that they may not be converted and be forgiven.'"

Luke 5:20 - When he saw their faith, he said, "As for you, your sins are forgiven."

Luke 5:23 - Which is easier, to say, 'Your sins are forgiven,' or to say, 'Rise and walk'?

Luke 6:37 - "Stop judging and you will not be judged. Stop condemning and you will not be condemned. Forgive and you will be forgiven.

(3) Luke 7:47-48 - So I tell you, her many sins have been forgiven; hence, she has shown great love. But the one to whom little is forgiven, loves little." He said to her, "Your sins are forgiven."

(2) Luke 12:10 - "Everyone who speaks a word against the Son of Man will be forgiven, but the one who blasphemes against the holy Spirit will not be forgiven.

John 20:23 - Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them, and whose sins you retain are retained."

Acts 8:22 - Repent of this wickedness of yours and pray to the Lord that, if possible, your intention may be forgiven.

Romans 4:7 - "Blessed are they whose iniquities are forgiven and whose sins are covered.

(2) 2 Corinthians 2:10 - Whomever you forgive anything, so do I. For indeed what I have forgiven, if I have forgiven anything, has been for you in the presence of Christ,

Colossians 2:13 - And even when you were dead [in] transgressions and the uncircumcision of your flesh, he brought you to life along with him, having forgiven us all our transgressions;

Colossians 3:13 - bearing with one another and forgiving one another, if one has a grievance against another; as the Lord has forgiven you, so must you also do.

James 5:15 - and the prayer of faith will save the sick person, and the Lord will raise him up. If he has committed any sins, he will be forgiven.

1 John 2:12 - I am writing to you, children, because your sins have been forgiven for his name's sake.

## **Forgiveness**

Psalm 130:4 - But with you is forgiveness and so you are revered.

Sirach 17:24-25 - But to the penitent he provides a way back and encourages those who are losing hope! Turn back to the Lord and give up your sins, pray before him and make your offenses few.

Sirach 18:12 - He sees and understands that their death is wretched, and so he forgives them all the more.

Sirach 18:19 - Before you are judged, examine yourself, and at the time of scrutiny you will have forgiveness.

Daniel 9:9 - But to the Lord, our God, belong compassion and forgiveness, though we rebelled against him

Matthew 26:28 - for this is my blood of the covenant, which will be shed on behalf of many for the forgiveness of sins.

Mark 1:4 - John [the] Baptist appeared in the desert proclaiming a baptism of repentance for the forgiveness of sins.

Mark 3:29 - But whoever blasphemes against the holy Spirit will never have forgiveness, but is guilty of an everlasting sin.”

Luke 1:77 - to give his people knowledge of salvation through the forgiveness of their sins,

Luke 3:3 - He went throughout [the] whole region of the Jordan, proclaiming a baptism of repentance for the forgiveness of sins,

Luke 24:47 - and that repentance, for the forgiveness of sins, would be preached in his name to all the nations, beginning from Jerusalem.

Acts 2:38 - Peter [said] to them, “Repent and be baptized, every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins; and you will receive the gift of the holy Spirit.

Acts 5:31 - God exalted him at his right hand as leader and savior to grant Israel repentance and forgiveness of sins.

Acts 10:43 - To him all the prophets bear witness, that everyone who believes in him will receive forgiveness of sins through his name.”

Acts 13:38 - You must know, my brothers, that through him forgiveness of sins is being proclaimed to you, [and] in regard to everything from which you could not be justified under the law of Moses,

Acts 26:18 - to open their eyes that they may turn from darkness to light and from the power of Satan to God, so that they may obtain forgiveness of sins and an inheritance among those who have been consecrated by faith in me.'

Ephesians 1:7 - In him we have redemption by his blood, the forgiveness of transgressions, in accord with the riches of his grace

Colossians 1:14 - in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

Hebrews 9:22 - According to the law almost everything is purified by blood, and without the shedding of blood there is no forgiveness.

Hebrews 10:16-18 - "This is the covenant I will establish with them after those days, says the Lord: 'I will put my laws in their hearts, and I will write them upon their minds,'" he also says: "Their sins and their evildoing I will remember no more." Where there is forgiveness of these, there is no longer offering for sin.

### **Forgives and Forgiving**

Proverbs 17:9-10 - Whoever overlooks an offense fosters friendship, but whoever gossips about it separates friends. A single reprimand does more for a discerning person than a hundred lashes for a fool.

Sirach 2:11 - For the Lord is compassionate and merciful; forgives sins and saves in time of trouble.

Luke 7:49 - The others at table said to themselves, "Who is this who even forgives sins?"

Exodus 34:17 - continuing his love for a thousand generations, and forgiving wickedness, rebellion, and sin; yet not declaring the guilty guiltless, but bringing punishment for their parents' wickedness on children and children's children to the third and fourth generation!

Numbers 14:18 - The LORD is slow to anger and abounding in kindness, forgiving iniquity and rebellion; yet certainly not declaring the guilty guiltless, but punishing children to the third and fourth generation for their parents' iniquity.'

Psalms 86:5 - Lord, you are good and forgiving, most merciful to all who call on you.

Psalm 99:8 - O LORD, our God, you answered them; you were a forgiving God to them, though you punished their offenses.

Ephesians 4:32 - [And] be kind to one another, compassionate, forgiving one another as God has forgiven you in Christ.

Colossians 3:13 - bearing with one another and forgiving one another, if one has a grievance against another; as the Lord has forgiven you, so must you also do.