

God's Forgiveness

Did you know that unforgiveness is one of the number one reasons that people do not receive their healing?

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*The root of bitterness can cause diseases to manifest in your body, if it is not dealt with.
Forgiving ALL that has hurt you is the first step.*

*If you feel that your prayers are not being answered, please read these scriptures and then search your heart to see if there is anyone in your past, or present that you have not forgiven. If there is you must forgive them to start receiving the blessings of God. The same way that God has forgiven us through grace (unmerited favor) (something we do not deserve) we also must do the same in forgiving others that have hurt us.
Forgive and forget!*

As we forgive a great peace will come over you and the stronghold that has kept your prayers from being answered will be gone in the name of Jesus.

If this is hard for you call on the name of Jesus and He will teach you how. He is always there, just call on Him and receive what He has for you.

Mat 5:44-48 But I say unto you, Love your enemies, bless them that curse you, do good to them that hate you, and pray for them which despitefully use you, and persecute you; That ye may be the children of your Father which is in heaven: for he maketh his sun to rise on the evil and on the good, and sendeth rain on the just and on the unjust. For if ye love them which love you, what reward have ye? do not even the publicans the same? And if ye salute your brethren only, what do ye more than others? do not even the publicans so? Be ye therefore perfect, even as your Father which is in heaven is perfect.

Mat 6:12 Forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors. NIV translation

NOTE IN THE SCRIPTURE ABOVE, JESUS SAID: FORGIVE OUR DEBTORS

Mat 6:14,15 For if you forgive men when they sin against you, your heavenly Father will also forgive you. But if you do not forgive men their sins, your Father will not forgive your sins. NIV translation

Mat 9:6,7 But so that you may know that the Son of Man has authority on earth to forgive sins. . . ." Then he said to the paralytic, "Get up, take your mat and go home." And the man got up and went home.

Mat 18:21,22 Then Peter came to Jesus and asked, "Lord, how many times shall I forgive my brother when he sins against me? Up to seven times?" Jesus answered, "I tell you, not seven times, but seventy-seven times.

Mark 11:25 And when you stand praying, if you hold anything against anyone, forgive him, so that your Father in heaven may forgive you your sins."

*We must forgive, it does not matter if the person receives your forgiveness, you have obeyed what God's Word said. When you do forgive, you will see all kind of blessings coming and you will see your prayers answered.
Praise God*

Luke 6:37 "Do not judge, and you will not be judged. Do not condemn, and you will not be condemned. Forgive, and you will be forgiven.

Luke 6:38 Give, and it will be given to you. A good measure, pressed down, shaken together and running over, will be poured into your lap. For with the measure you use, it will be measured to you."

Luke 11:4 Forgive us our sins, for we also forgive everyone who sins against us. And lead us not into temptation."

Luke 17:3,4 So watch yourselves. "If your brother sins, rebuke him, and if he repents, forgive him. If he sins against you seven times in a day, and seven times comes back to you and says, 'I repent,' forgive him."

Luke 23:34 Jesus said, "Father, forgive them, for they do not know what they are doing." And they divided up his clothes by casting lots.

As Jesus hung on the cross with nails in His hands and feet, and blood running down His body, He said forgive them, for they do not know what they are doing. What an example of unconditional love.

2 Cor 2:10,11 If you forgive anyone, I also forgive him. And what I have forgiven--if there was anything to forgive--I have forgiven in the sight of Christ for your sake, in order that Satan might not outwit us. For we are not unaware of his schemes.

Col 3:13,14,15 Bear with each other and forgive whatever grievances you may have against one another. Forgive as the Lord forgave you. And over all these virtues put on love, which binds them all together in perfect unity. Let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, since as members of one body you were called to peace. And be thankful.

Heb 8:12 For I will forgive their wickedness and will remember their sins no more."

1 John 1:9 If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness.

As you see forgiving is one of the most important keys to having victory in your life. All the blessings of God are for His children to have, but we have to be obedient to His Word.

Mat 6:33 But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well.

We have to seek the things of God and all things will be added to you. We must learn what the Word says about us and believe it. You cannot walk around with bitterness, hatred, and unforgiveness in your heart and expect to reap the things of God. Whatsoever you soweth you will reap. Jesus was always forgiving and miracles always followed Him.

Below are some scriptures showing Jesus' forgiving others.

Mat 9:2 Some men brought to him a paralytic, lying on a mat. When Jesus saw their faith, he said to the paralytic, "Take heart, son; your sins are forgiven."

Mat 9:5,6 Which is easier: to say, 'Your sins are forgiven,' or to say, 'Get up and walk'? But so that you may know that the Son of Man has authority on earth to forgive sins. . . ." Then he said to the paralytic, "Get up, take your mat and go home."

Mat 12:31,32 And so I tell you, every sin and blasphemy will be forgiven men, but the blasphemy against the Spirit will not be forgiven. Anyone who speaks a word against the Son of Man will be forgiven, but anyone who speaks against the Holy Spirit will not be forgiven, either in this age or in the age to come.

Luke 5:20 When Jesus saw their faith, he said, "Friend, your sins are forgiven."

Luke 7:47,48 Therefore, I tell you, her many sins have been forgiven--for she loved much. But he who has been forgiven little loves little." Then Jesus said to her, "Your sins are forgiven."

Eph 4:32 Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ God forgave you.

Col 2:13,14,15 When you were dead in your sins and in the uncircumcision of your sinful nature, God made you alive with Christ. He forgave us all our sins, having canceled the written code, with its regulations, that was against us and that stood opposed to us; he took it away, nailing it to the cross. And having disarmed the powers and authorities, he made a public spectacle of them, triumphing over them by the cross.

James 5:15,16 And the prayer offered in faith will make the sick person well; the Lord will raise him up. If he has sinned, he will be forgiven. Therefore confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous man is powerful and effective.

1 John 2:12 I write to you, dear children, because your sins have been forgiven on account of his name.

I know that sometimes your mind will try to convince you that you have been hurt so bad, by many people and you did not deserve to be hurt, so why should you forgive them. When that thought comes to you just remember what Jesus said as He hung on the cross with blood dripping down His body, and nails in His hands and feet. Jesus said through all that pain and agony, Father forgive them for they do not know what they have done.

It is not about deserving to be forgiven; it is about being like Jesus and obeying His commandments.

Do not walk around with bitterness and hatred in your heart, because you are the one that will suffer from the results of unforgiveness.

Put the past behind you and go forth in what God has called you to do. Be the light (love) in this world, and let people see that light (love) shining from within you, and out of you into the light of others, darkness has to flee.

If you remember this scripture it will help you to understand that it is not people we are up against.

Eph 6:12 For our struggle is not against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the powers of this dark world and against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly realms.

Mat 5:9 Blessed are the peacemakers: for they shall be called the children of God.

Rom 12:14 Bless them which persecute you: bless, and curse not.

Rom 12:15 Rejoice with them that do rejoice, and weep with them that weep.

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