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These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you, that everything written about me in the Law of Moses and the Prophets and the Psalms must be fulfilled. Then he opened their minds to understand the Scriptures.

luke
24:44-47



and said to them, Thus it is written,
that the **Christ should suffer** and
on the third day **rise from the dead**,
and that **repentance** for the
forgiveness of sins should be
proclaimed in his name to all nations.

luke
24:44-47





*forgiven
& forgiving*

forgiveness is
needed



If you, O LORD, should mark iniquities,
O LORD, **who could stand?**
But with you there is **forgiveness**,
that you may be feared.

psalm
130:2-3



Have mercy on me, O God,
according to your steadfast love;
according to your abundant mercy
blot out my transgressions.
Wash me thoroughly from my
iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin!

psalm
51:1-2



forgiveness is
offered



Take, eat; this is my body. And he took a cup, and when he had given thanks he gave it to them, saying, Drink of it, all of you, for this is my blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many **for the forgiveness of sins.**

matthew
26:26-28



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matthew
26:26-28



Behold, the days are coming, declares the Lord, when I will establish a new covenant with the house of Israel...

For I will be merciful toward their iniquities, and I will remember their sins no more.

hebrews
8:8-12



forgiveness is
conditional



*God's
forgiveness
of us*



And 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
2:38



...forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors... For if you forgive others their trespasses, your heavenly Father will also forgive you,

matthew
6:12-14



but **if you do not forgive others
their trespasses, neither will
your Father forgive your
trespasses.**

matthew
6:12-14



*Our
forgiveness
of each
other*



Then Peter came up and said to him, “Lord, how often will my brother sin against me, and I forgive him? As many as seven times?” Jesus said to him, “I do not say to you seven times, but **seventy-seven times**.”

matthew
18:21-22



Parable of the Unforgiving Servant

***matthew
18:23-35***



You wicked servant! I forgave you all that debt because you pleaded with me. And should not you have had mercy on your fellow servant, as I had mercy on you?

matthew
18:32-35



And in anger his master delivered him to the jailers, until he should pay all his debt. So also my heavenly Father will do to every one of you, **if you do not forgive your brother from your heart.**

matthew
18:32-35



*an
unforgiving
heart is an
unforgiven
heart*



Pay attention to yourselves! If your brother sins, **rebuke him**, and **if he repents**, forgive him, and if he sins against you seven times in the day, and turns to you seven times, saying, “I repent,” **you must forgive him.**

luke
17:3-4



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luke
17:3-4



to open their eyes, so that they may turn from darkness to light and from the power of Satan to God, that they may receive **forgiveness of sins** and a place among those who are sanctified by faith in me.

acts
26:18-20



...but declared first to those in Damascus, then in Jerusalem and throughout all the region of Judea, and also to the Gentiles, that they should **repent and turn to God, performing deeds in keeping with their repentance.**

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26:18-20



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forgiveness is
loving



love... **does not keep an account of a wrong suffered**, it does not rejoice in unrighteousness, but rejoices with the truth; it keeps every confidence, it **believes all things**, hopes all things, **endures all things**.

1 corinthians
13:4-8



Above all, keep loving one another earnestly, since **love covers a multitude of sins.**

1 peter
4:8



forgiveness is
liberating



to **put off your old self**, which belongs to your former manner of life... and to be **renewed in the spirit of your minds, and to put on the new self**, created after the **likeness of God in true righteousness and holiness.**

ephesians
4:22-24



Be angry and do not sin; do not let the sun go down on your anger, and ***give no opportunity to the devil.***

ephesians
4:26-27



Let no corrupting talk come out of your mouths, but only such as is good for building up, as fits the occasion, that it may give grace to those who hear.

ephesians
4:29-32



And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, by whom you were sealed for the day of redemption.

ephesians
4:29-32



Let all **bitterness** and **wrath** and **anger** and clamor and slander be put away from you, along with all malice. Be kind to one another, tenderhearted, **forgiving one another...**

ephesians
4:29-32



forgiveness is
Christ-like



Be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another,
as God in Christ forgave you.

Therefore be **imitators of God**, as beloved children. And **walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us**, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.

ephesians
4:32–5:1-2



forgiveness
*is **evidence of***
and
contributes to
transformation!



forgiveness is
costly



**without the shedding of blood
there is no forgiveness of sins....**

hebrews
9:22-26



Christ also suffered for you, leaving you an example, so that you might follow in his steps. He committed no sin.... **He himself bore our sins in his body on the tree...** By his wounds you have been healed.

1 peter
2:21-24



In him we have **redemption** through his blood, **the forgiveness of our trespasses**, according to **the riches of his grace...**

ephesians
1:7



forgiveness is
free



justified **by his grace as a gift**, through the **redemption** that is in Christ Jesus, whom God put forward as a **propitiation** by his blood, to be **received by faith**.

romans
3:24-25



Come now, let us reason together,
says the Lord:

though your sins are like scarlet,
they shall be as white as snow;
though they are red like crimson,
they shall become like wool.

isaiah
1:18-19





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