



“OUR FATHER—FORGIVENESS”

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Pray then like this: “Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name.
10 Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
11 Give us this day our daily bread, 12 **and forgive us our debts,
as we also have forgiven our debtors.** 13 And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.—Matthew 6:9-13

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

“Every one says forgiveness is a lovely idea,
until they have something to forgive.” - C.S. Lewis

“Mustering up genuine compassion for those who have wronged us, instead
of allowing anger toward them to eat away at us, is the course of action
recommended by most psychologists.” - Psychology Today

UNDERSTANDING FORGIVENESS

1. Forgiveness In _____

Hebrew concept of our lives on _____ from God

“I firmly believe a great many prayers are not answered because we are not
willing to forgive someone.” - D.L. Moody

2. _____ God’s Forgiveness

Two Aspects of God’s Forgiveness

A. We have a Forgiven _____

“Therefore, since we have been justified through faith we have peace with
God through our Lord Jesus Christ.” - Romans 5:1

Dikaioō- justified, to show or regard as just or innocent, free

Justification brings _____ with God

B. We have a Forgiven _____

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

3. Extending Forgiveness To _____

Forgiveness is a response to God’s _____

Forgiveness is also for our own ultimate _____

Forgiveness is also both a _____ and a _____

Forgiveness is _____, not _____

Forgiveness is not pretending something _____ is actually _____

Forgiveness is not incompatible with _____

Forgiveness is not a way to _____ our forgiveness before God

(Prayer, Loan, Receiving, Status, Peace, Cleansing, Others, Grace, Good,
Choice, Process, Personal, Structural, Evil, Good, Justice, Earn)

Memory verse: “Forgive us our sins, for we also forgive everyone who
sins against us. And lead us not into temptation.” - Luke 11:4

My Next Step Today is...

- Memorize Luke 11:4
- How do you struggle to accept God’s forgiveness?
- What burdens do you carry because you have not forgiven something?
- I want to talk to someone about receiving Christ as my Savior.

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