

Bible Study Syllabus

DEFINES = WILL
 ↳ LOVE / COMPASSION

Forgiveness (pardoned) is a basic Bible principle that can be studied from three different approaches:

- 1) Forgiveness from God through Jesus Christ,
- 2) Forgiveness towards yourself, others and God,
- 3) How do I know if I've been forgiven?

Topic: Forgiveness

Mark 11:25-26

IT IS FORGIVEN

IS - NOT
 - ONLY

I. Forgiveness is not just "Forgive and Forget" but never bringing the past to remembrance:

Hebrews 10:17-18, Micah 7:18-19, II Chronicles 7:14, Lam 3:22-23, Ps 103:12

TO FREE US UP

~~IT IS FORGIVEN~~
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II. Receive the power of forgiveness through Jesus Christ:

Ps 69:14, Rom 15:3, Ps 32:1, Matt 1:21, Eph 1:7, Acts 13:38, John 3:16, John 8:2-11

SHAPE VS. GUILT

Coming from... MISSIALLY, CHURCH

PROV 19:11

III. Forgive yourself, God & others (family, church members, strangers):

Rom 8:1, Jn 3:18, II Cor 5:17, Col 3:13, Phil 3:13, Eph 4:31-32, Matt 5:21-24, Matt 18:21-35, I Sam 12:23, Gal 5:14-15, Gen 3:9-12, Acts 9:26-28, Phil 4:2, (Acts 13:13, Acts 15:35-41, II Tim 4:11, I Cor 9:6)

Holding THE REMEMBRANCE OF THEM THAT REPROVED THEM FULLY WITH ME

TE - OTHERS

CHURCH - TE

God

FORGIVE

IV. How do I know if I have forgiven others?

PROV 6:3-5

ON OUR = BEST
 ✓ Matt 6
 ✓ Matt 18

(A) - When there is no root of bitterness: James 3:14-16, Heb 12:15, Deut 29:18, Hebrews 3:7-9, Prov 29:1, Neh 9:29

I HURT = THEY HURT

DO NOT IF SAFE

(B) - When there is no vengeance nor "ill-will" toward them:

Rom 12:17-21, Ps 35:11-14, Prov 25:21-22, Prov 20:22

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3 X
 - GOOD/BAD → GOOD
 - GOOD → GOOD
 - GOOD → BAD

LOVE ≠ HATE

(C) - When we pray for them no matter what they have done:

Matt 5:43-47, Luke 6:31-36, Luke 23:34, II Tim 4:11-16

ACTS 7:16

(D) - When we never throw the past up in someone's face in a condemning way: Acts 10:15, Acts 11:9, Luke 7:36-50

SCOR 13:5

LUC 17:9-4

NOT KEEPING SCORE OF PAST