

FORGIVENESS / FORGIVEN / FORGIVING | 'The Power of Forgiveness Pt. 2' | LESSON 9-10

① Intro / Preview:

① God, ready to forgive

② In Christ

③ Freedom

Ⓐ free from sin & lust (effects on body)

Ⓑ free from the law (motions of sins)

Ⓒ free to learn from the forgiveness we received (

- response of sin against us

④ POWER

Ⓐ godliness, etc, holiness

• Combats Pride

• Shows mercy

• restores joy

② Preview:

① The Power of Forgiveness

• Forgiving others

repeat

• Repeat offences

apology vs. repentance forgiveness

• Apology vs. Repentance

confess

• The Role of Confession in Forgiveness

• Forgiveness and Judgment

• Forgiveness & Forgetting

③ LESSON:

① The Power of Forgiveness

• Forgiveness not only frees us from sin & lust but it works godliness.

• There may be not other ^{inner} action than that of forgiveness that is most godly.

• Forgiving others

- words OT, Gospels, Pauline
- Matt. 5:21-24
- Matt 6:12, 15
- Eph. 4:32

• Repeat Offences

- Matt 18:21-35
- Luc. 17:3-4
- Eph. 1 - forgiveness of sins
- Tit. 2 - all iniquity
- lavish, enthusiastic, eager, freely offered even for repeat offenders

• Apology vs. Repentance

- apology - apologia - aspect in defense of self-defense
- I am sorry if you took offense, but...
- Repentance change of mind leads to admission of wrongdoing & plea for forgiveness

• The Role of Confession in Forgiveness

• Always can confess to God - not because you want to be forgiven, but because you know God, you know sin, and you know God desires godliness. - God loves to hear right doctrine

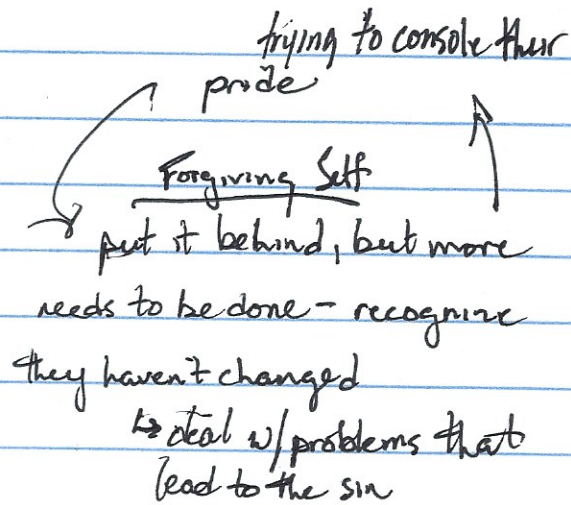
1 John 1:9 (my confession)

- Pro. 23:15-16
- 1 Pet. 4:8 (1Th 2:1ff, 4:1)

- Confession to whom we have sinned
- Strife & vain glory

Forgiveness & Forgetting

- HEB. 10:17
- ISA. 43:25
- doesn't forget them
- will not remember them



- forget - no memory (God is omniscient)
- Not remember - refuses to call them to mind
- won't bring it up person, others, and to yourself
- the sin is buried (Rom. 6)

Forgiveness & Judgment

- ROM. 6, MATT. 7
- Eph. 4 → sins are dealt with on a different ledger concerning reward.