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“Blessed are the merciful, for they shall obtain mercy.” Matthew 5:7

God ***IS*** merciful. Mercy is not a temporary mood God is in. It is not something He forgets to use sometimes, or only appears when He needs it.

Mercy is an attribute of God’s eternal being. It will always be a part of His character, and Jesus says, *blessed* are we when it is a part of ours.





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Mercy is God's goodness confronting human guilt and suffering.

“The steadfast love of God never ceases; His mercies never come to an end, they are new every morning. Great is Your faithfulness.”

Lamentations 3:22-23

“Mercy” is mentioned 54 times in the New Testament and 215 times in the Old Testament.

God has always been and will always be merciful. He reaches out His hand toward us.





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Because of His mercy in our lives, we cannot forget where we came from

When we forget God's patience and mercy towards us, it affects how we treat the people around us.

*Matthew 18:21-35

When we remember God's mercy toward us, it brings us to humility and we treat people how Christ would.





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When we are merciful we confront human guilt and suffering with the goodness of God

*Luke 10:25-37

An attorney asks Jesus how to have eternal life. Jesus tells him to love the Lord your God with all your heart, soul, strength, and mind and to love your neighbor as yourself. The attorney then asks, “who is my neighbor?”

Our neighbor is everyone around us.
Even our enemies, salvation is for them too.





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It was mercy that kept Jesus on the Cross

Jesus said, “Father forgive them for they know not what they do.”

They were blinded by darkness and sin.

Jesus didn't try to save Himself on the cross, not because He couldn't, but because of His character- He is merciful.

*if you have been vengeful, lay it at His feet. If you have lacked compassion towards others, ask for Him to fill you with His mercy.

