

Community Commands

Forgive One Another

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Ephesians 4:32

How do we forgive each other?

“Bear up” means “_____”.

The essence of the idea is bearing with each other in _____.

When we extend forgiveness, we are extending _____.

Matthew 6:14-15

We have _____ forgiveness therefore we _____ forgiveness.

We have _____ grace therefore we _____ grace,

What is our example for forgiving?

Our obvious example is _____. Our Key Verse tells _____ to forgive _____ in the same manner that _____ forgives _____.

Luke 23:34

The marvel of God’s forgiveness is that He not only forgives me for this act that I did in the _____ and forgives me _____ for it again, but He already knows I’m _____ even though I struggle not to.

He knows that because He is witnessing that repeated offense in the _____ even as He forgives me right now

So even my _____ are covered by God’s _____ forgiveness.

When we forgive like Jesus, we forgive each other of _____ incidents and oddities as well as _____ incidents and oddities, knowing full well they all may _____.

What does our forgiving express?

Colossians 3:12; Colossians 3:5-6

Paul’s culture was steeped in _____ passions just as our culture is also steeped in these kinds of passions.

Paul tells Christians everywhere to be the _____ of our cultures.

We are to dress ourselves (clothe, put on) _____: compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness, patience.

These are the character traits that _____ to be forgiving.

When we forgive someone, we are expressing our growth in _____, our growth in _____, our growth in _____.

What do I do with this?

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Our efforts of forgiveness provide us the opportunity to _____
the _____ that Jesus gave us when he transferred his
_____ to us through his _____ for us.
“Father, forgive them” should be _____ words as well as _____.