

DEVOTION THIRTY THREE.

Forgiveness is what we all need to thrive.

Jesus died so we could be forgiven. It is that important! What would you be willing to die for? Jesus' answer is I would be willing to die that humanity could be forgiven.

1 John 1:9 says...



"If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness."



Do you believe deep down that Jesus forgives you when you do wrong? This is such an important question. If you do not believe that Jesus forgives you then I will place money on it that you live with constant guilt and shame. This leads to a life of misery.

Think of all those times that you get told off by your parents for doing something wrong. How important is it to you that they forgive you? Imagine being banished to your room, all devices being removed and that it lasted forever. Imagine your parents hanging onto a grudge against you for a lifetime.



Jesus loves you so much that his forgiveness is more powerful than your sin. It overwhelms it and swallows it up. Our only job is to acknowledge it is there, confess it, and ask for his help to fight against it.

Jesus does not leave you to suffer alone with your wrongdoing. He does not banish you to your room forever. His forgiveness is never turned off because you have sinned too much.

Invite him to help you now to embrace his forgiveness.



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