

Extraordinary

Part 20: Forgive Us Our Debts

Matthew 6:12

Launch

Would you rather watch college football, the NFL, the World Cup, or HGTV?

Did you learn the Lord's prayer as "debts" or "trespasses"?

Explore

Read Matthew 6:12 and 1 John 1:8-9

If Christians are already forgiven for all sins (past, present, and future), why do we still need to ask for forgiveness?

How does unconfessed sin affect our intimacy with God?

Why do people feel the need to earn their salvation?

Why should our own forgiveness compel us to forgive others?

Apply

Have you ever harbored unforgiveness toward someone? What happened?

Jesus washed his disciples' feet. Describe what happens when you have spiritually "stepped in it" and need Him to wash yours. Do you recognize it right away? What convinces you that you need forgiveness?

Pray

"I owed a debt I could not pay. He paid a debt He did not owe." Spend some time praising the Lord for his redemption; that He has canceled our debt and freed us forever.