



Discussion Guide for “Impossible Forgiveness” Free of Charge Week 6

Forgiveness seems impossible - even when we know we should. We find the power to forgive when we forgive with God, empowered by the Holy Spirit to participate in Jesus' sacrifice. When we forgive, we join God in creating a new reality - a gift of living free from the charge of the guilt of our sin.

Scriptures for Further Reading

[Matthew 27:45-46](#)

[Luke 23:27-34](#)

[Galatians 2:20](#)

[Colossians 2:13-14](#)

[Hebrews 8:12](#)

[1 Peter 1:18-20](#)

Questions for Discussion

1. Have you ever felt that forgiveness is impossible? Why does it seem so hard?
2. We forgive by participating in God's first forgiveness. How does this help us to forgive?
3. Read Jesus' words in Luke 23:33-34. What does it mean that Jesus prayed this? How does this impact our attitude toward those who wrong us?
4. Read Jesus' words in Matthew 27:45-46. Why is this good news for those who find themselves unable to forgive?
5. What does forgiveness look like in your life this week?