



Salvation Part 7 Sin No More

John 8:1-11
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FORGIVENESS BASICS

FORGIVENESS:

- The willingness to release someone from the responsibility of paying the debt of healing our pain
- The act of excusing or pardoning someone's sins
- Sin is remembered no more. (Jer 31:34)
- The separation of us from our sins and their consequences (Ps 103:11-12)
- Cleansed from unrighteousness (1 John 1:9)

THREE 'SIN NO MORE' PRINCIPLES

The command - Sin no more. *So that you may walk in a manner worthy of the God who calls you into His own kingdom and glory.* (1Thes 2:12).

1. Since we all know we have sin and need forgiveness, decide that sin is wrong. (Verse 9)
 - The religious rationalized sin.
 - The religious gossiped and judged the woman. (Matt 7:1-5)

If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. 1 John 1:8

2. Since the only one who stayed with Jesus received the forgiveness, we should spend time with Jesus. (Verse 10)

- When everyone else was running for cover, Jesus was her covering.
- When everyone else was pointing fingers, she was resting in the hand of God. (1 John 5:12-13)

3. Since Jesus is the Light of the World, follow Him.

- After everyone went their own way, she was challenged to go God's way by obeying His Word.
- After everyone walked home into the sunset, she walked in the Son's light.

DO YOU NEED TO REPENT FOR BEING UNFORGIVING?

THREE COMPONENTS TO TRUE REPENTANCE:

1. Acknowledgement of wrong: Admit that you are wrong.
2. Admission of guilt: Tell the person of the sin in your heart and ask him/her to forgive you.
3. Remember: Repentance has no defense.

TODAY YOU CAN EXPERIENCE THE FREEDOM OF GOD'S FORGIVENESS BY REPENTING OF YOUR SIN.

**RECEIVE GOD'S COMPLETE FORGIVENESS THROUGH FAITH IN
JESUS CHRIST.**