



Take Home Principle







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Forgiveness for the Offender

5 If anyone has caused grief, he has not so much grieved me as he has grieved all of you to some extent—not to put it too severely. 6 The punishment inflicted on him by the majority is sufficient. 7 Now instead, you ought to forgive and comfort him, so that he will not be overwhelmed by excessive sorrow.

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8 I urge you, therefore, to reaffirm your love for him. 9 Another reason I wrote you was to see if you would stand the test and be obedient in everything. 10 Anyone you forgive, I also forgive. And what I have forgiven—if there was anything to forgive—I have forgiven in the sight of Christ for your sake, 11 in order that Satan might not outwit us. For we are not unaware of his schemes.



In verses 7 and 8, what did Paul instruct the members of the Corinthian church, in line with the man who caused grief to Paul and the church?



What were the underlying reasons for Paul's admonition in verses 7 and 8?

According to Paul, why was forgiving a fellow believer very important? (v.11)



Why do people find it so difficult to forgive those who have hurt them?



What is the result of unforgiveness? Why should Christians/the Christian church forgive? What does Paul mean by being outwitted by Satan when believers do not forgive one another?



In verses 7 and 8 Paul used "forgive" and "comfort." What is the relationship between forgiveness and comfort?



On a scale from 1 to 10 (1 being the lowest and 10 being the highest), rate how forgiving you are to those who have wronged or hurt you. Explain your score.



Application 1

Is there someone you need to forgive? If you are having a difficult time forgiving that person, what is hindering you from doing so? What would it take for you to forgive and reconcile with a person who wronged you?



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Discuss within the group steps you can do in order to forgive those who have wronged you.. Pray for each other that God will give you grace to forgive those who have hurt you and offended you.



Application 3

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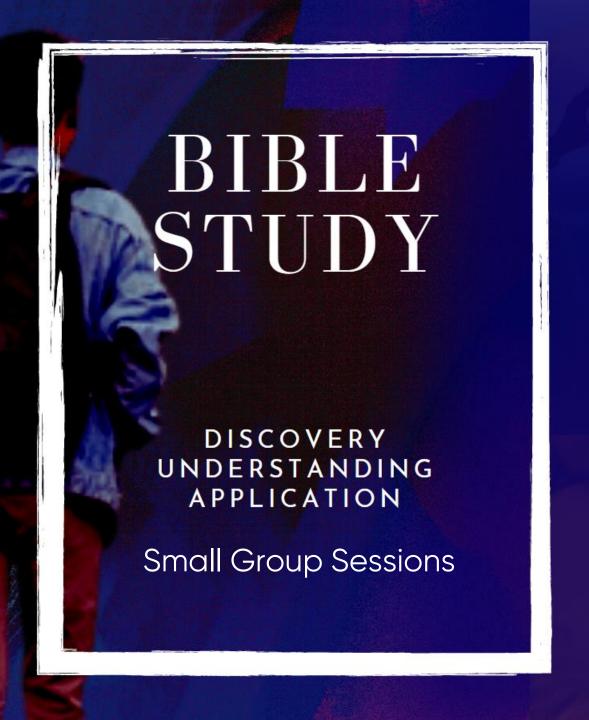
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Small Group Sessions CLOSING PRAYER





Text: 2 Corinthians 2:5-11 WALKING in repeweall ch anching Oct. 30-Nov. 5



Worship Service Schedule: 9am

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