

Philemon v8-25 “Forgiven and Forgiving”

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Friendship and Getting Older

- “20 Seconds of Insane Courage”
- Being Forgiven and Forgiving

Philemon

- His Runaway Slave is Now Saved
- Face to Face with Onesimus

Philemon v.8-12

The Struggle to Forgive

- Receive Him? Embrace and Reconcile

1. Forgive for Love’s Sake

- Not Forcing , Commanding but Nudging Col 3:13
- Paul “Aged” Been in Your Shoes
- *“Forgiveness is not an emotion, it’s an act of the _____”*

The Cost of Un-Forgiveness

- A Pit, the Pain, Deception, Hindrance

Philemon v.10-13

2. Forgive Because He is a Believer and Repented

- He Came Back at Great Risk

Onesimus Means Profitable

- Restitution Num 5:6-8
- The Welch Revival and a Bunch of Shovels

The Next Best Thing to Having You Here

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Philemon v.14-16

3. The Providence of God at Work

- Fingerprints and Prayers

Receive and Emancipate Him

- Going Deeper, Going Further

How Jesus Changes Social Institutions

- Not a Slave..... a Human Being
- Gal 3:28 One in Jesus

Philemon v.17-22

4. Forgive Because I’ll Pay His Debt

- The Gospel: Justice for Sin and Yet Forgiveness
- Philemon the Forgiven Slave

As a Forgiven Person..... Forgive

- Mt 18 Two Debtors

V22 Extra Motivation : See You Soon!

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Practical What If’s

- The Ideal way to Forgive
- You Don’t Need Rehearse, Force or Prosecute

What If They Don’t.....Forgive Still

- God Blesses Obedience and Grants Freedom

The Prisoner that Goes Free

- Let Go of the Rope, The Love of God