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Scriptural References and Comment Notes

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HOW OFTEN SHALL MY BROTHER SIN AGAINST ME AND I FORGIVE HIM

:00 The recording starts in progress without a lead. The subject is forgiveness as the title indicates. Matthew 18:21-35.

:50 Amos 1 & 2 There is a pattern described that suggests three or at most four offenses were the limit of toleration and forgiveness for the Lord as expressed in the Old Testament.

3:50 Matthew 5:7 Blessed are the merciful, for they will be shown mercy.

4:30 Matthew 6:12 Forgive us our trespasses to the extent that we forgive others.

5:30 Matthew 6:14-15 Your forgiveness is directly related to your forgiveness of others, and if you begrudge others you will not be forgiven by the Lord.

6:55 Romans 5:10 God chose to forgive and receive us even while we were yet enemies.

10:00 There are five Greek words translated Sin in the English bible and Terry describes them:

1. Harmartano – G268 Missing the mark
2. Parabasis –G3847 Stepping across the line (trespass).

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3. Paraptoma – G3900 Slipping across the line, not deliberate
4. Anomia – G458 Lawlessness , desiring to be without law or restraint.
5. Opheilema – G3783 Debt, not taking care of what we owe.

27:30 Matthew 18:21-35 Terry teaches on the gravity of un-forgiveness in our lives and the toll it takes, when we continue in bitterness and resistance.

32:00 Ephesians 4:30-32 Don't grieve the Holy Spirit, let the Holy Spirit remove bitterness, anger strife, resentment, and the like, from you –Yield to Him.

34:00 to the end. Terry asks the congregation for any questions. Unfortunately the questions are not audible, but Terry's answers give some idea of the subject and I felt the answers are profitable, so they are included.

Matt. 18:21 Then Peter came up and said to him, “Lord, how often shall my brother sin against me, and I forgive him? As many as seven times?” 22 Jesus said to him, “I do not say to you seven times, but seventy times seven.

Matt. 18:23 “Therefore the kingdom of heaven may be compared to a king who wished to settle accounts with his servants. 24 When he began the reckoning, one was brought to him who owed him ten thousand talents; 25 and as he could not pay, his lord ordered him to be sold, with his wife and children and all that he had, and payment to be made. 26 So the servant fell on his knees, imploring him, ‘Lord, have patience with me, and I will pay you everything.’ 27 And out of pity for him the lord of that servant released him and forgave him the debt. 28 But that same servant, as he went out, came upon one of his fellow servants who owed him a hundred denarii; and seizing him by the throat he said, ‘Pay what you owe.’ 29 So his fellow servant fell down and besought him, ‘Have patience with me, and I will pay you.’ 30 He refused and went and put him in prison till he should pay the debt. 31 When his fellow servants saw what had taken place, they were greatly distressed, and they went and reported to their lord all that had taken place. 32 Then his lord summoned him and said to him, ‘You wicked servant! I forgave you all that debt because you besought me; 33 and should not you have had mercy on your fellow servant, as I had mercy on you?’ 34 And in anger his lord delivered him to the jailers, till he should pay all his debt. 35 So also my heavenly Father will do to every one of you, if you do not forgive your brother from your heart.”

Amos 1:3 Thus says the LORD: “For three transgressions of Damascus, and for four, I will not revoke the punishment; because they have threshed Gilead with threshing sledges of iron.

Amos 1:6 Thus says the LORD: “For three transgressions of Gaza, and for four, I will not revoke the punishment; because they carried into exile a whole people to deliver them up to Edom.

Amos 1:9 Thus says the LORD: “For three transgressions of Tyre, and for four, I will not revoke the punishment; because they delivered up a whole people to Edom, and did not remember the covenant of brotherhood.

Amos 1:11 Thus says the LORD: “For three transgressions of Edom, and for four, I will not revoke the punishment; because he pursued his brother with the

sword, and cast off all pity, and his anger tore perpetually, and he kept his wrath for ever.

Amos 1:13 Thus says the LORD: “For three transgressions of the Ammonites, and for four, I will not revoke the punishment; because they have ripped up women with child in Gilead, that they might enlarge their border.

Amos 2:1 Thus says the LORD: “For three transgressions of Moab, and for four, I will not revoke the punishment; because he burned to lime the bones of the king of Edom.

Amos 2:4 Thus says the LORD: “For three transgressions of Judah, and for four, I will not revoke the punishment; because they have rejected the law of the LORD, and have not kept his statutes, but their lies have led them astray, after which their fathers walked.

Amos 2:6 Thus says the LORD: “For three transgressions of Israel, and for four, I will not revoke the punishment; because they sell the righteous for silver, and the needy for a pair of shoes —

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Matt. 6:12 And forgive us our debts, As we also have forgiven our debtors;

Matt. 6:14 For if you forgive men their trespasses, your heavenly Father also will forgive you; 15 but if you do not forgive men their trespasses, neither will your Father forgive your trespasses.

Rom. 5:10 For if while we were enemies we were reconciled to God by the death of his Son, much more, now that we are reconciled, shall we be saved by his life.

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Eph. 4:30 And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, in whom you were sealed for the day of redemption. 31 Let all bitterness and wrath and anger and clamor and slander be put away from you, with all malice, 32 and be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you.