

ADURA DAILY

How
**Forgiveness Sets
You Free**



A FIVE-DAY GUIDED DEVOTIONAL

on releasing what was never yours to carry

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BEFORE YOU BEGIN

Introduction

Forgiveness is one of the most challenging commands Jesus gives—and one of the greatest freedoms He offers. This five-day devotional is designed to help you understand what Scripture teaches about forgiveness, why it matters to God, and how His grace enables you to walk in freedom.

Set aside 20–30 minutes each day. Read the passage, pray, reflect, and allow God's Word to shape your heart.

DAY ONE

Remember That You've Been Forgiven

MATTHEW 18:21–35

BIG IDEA

“The foundation of forgiving others is remembering the immeasurable forgiveness we have received through Christ.”

OVERVIEW

Read the Scripture slowly. Consider the historical context, reflect on the teaching, and ask God how today's truth applies to your life. Journal your thoughts and spend time in prayer.

TODAY'S FOCUS

Reflect on God's mercy toward you before focusing on the offense against you.

PRAYER PROMPT

Lord, help me understand today's truth and live it by the power of Your Spirit.

DAY TWO

Why Forgiveness Matters to God

MATTHEW 6:9–15

BIG IDEA

“Forgiveness is ultimately an act of trust. We release justice into God’s hands because He judges perfectly.”

OVERVIEW

Read the Scripture slowly. Consider the historical context, reflect on the teaching, and ask God how today’s truth applies to your life. Journal your thoughts and spend time in prayer.

TODAY’S FOCUS

Ask God to help you surrender the burden of vengeance and trust His justice.

PRAYER PROMPT

Lord, help me understand today’s truth and live it by the power of Your Spirit.

DAY THREE

Forgiveness Doesn't Eliminate Wisdom

LUKE 17:3-4

BIG IDEA

“Forgiveness, reconciliation, and trust are related but distinct. God calls us to walk in both grace and wisdom.”

OVERVIEW

Read the Scripture slowly. Consider the historical context, reflect on the teaching, and ask God how today's truth applies to your life. Journal your thoughts and spend time in prayer.

TODAY'S FOCUS

Pray for discernment to extend grace while maintaining biblical wisdom and healthy boundaries.

PRAYER PROMPT

Lord, help me understand today's truth and live it by the power of Your Spirit.

DAY FOUR

When You Need Forgiveness

1 JOHN 1:8–9

BIG IDEA

“God’s grace invites us to live with humble hearts that are quick to confess and receive His forgiveness.”

OVERVIEW

Read the Scripture slowly. Consider the historical context, reflect on the teaching, and ask God how today’s truth applies to your life. Journal your thoughts and spend time in prayer.

TODAY’S FOCUS

Invite the Holy Spirit to search your heart and respond with honest confession.

PRAYER PROMPT

Lord, help me understand today’s truth and live it by the power of Your Spirit.

DAY FIVE

Walking in the Freedom of Forgiveness

EPHESIANS 4:31–32

BIG IDEA

“Forgiveness is not merely a decision—it is a way of walking with Christ that transforms our hearts.”

OVERVIEW

Read the Scripture slowly. Consider the historical context, reflect on the teaching, and ask God how today’s truth applies to your life. Journal your thoughts and spend time in prayer.

TODAY’S FOCUS

Choose to continue walking in grace, trusting Christ to keep shaping your heart.

PRAYER PROMPT

Lord, help me understand today’s truth and live it by the power of Your Spirit.

CLOSING THOUGHTS

Conclusion

Forgiveness is not about changing the past; it is about allowing Christ to transform your heart. Over these five days you've been reminded of God's mercy, encouraged to trust Him with justice, invited to walk in wisdom, called to humility, and led toward the freedom found in Christ. Continue returning to these truths as you build a daily rhythm with God.

CLOSING PRAYER

Heavenly Father, thank You for the mercy You have shown me through Jesus Christ. Teach me to forgive as I have been forgiven. Help me trust You with justice, walk in wisdom, confess my own sin with humility, and reflect the grace of Christ in every relationship. Continue transforming my heart as I walk with You each day. In Jesus' name, Amen.

Before the world speaks, let God speak first.