

Be kind



TO ONE ANOTHER,
TENDERHEARTED,



FORGIVING ONE ANOTHER,

AS GOD IN CHRIST FORGAVE YOU.

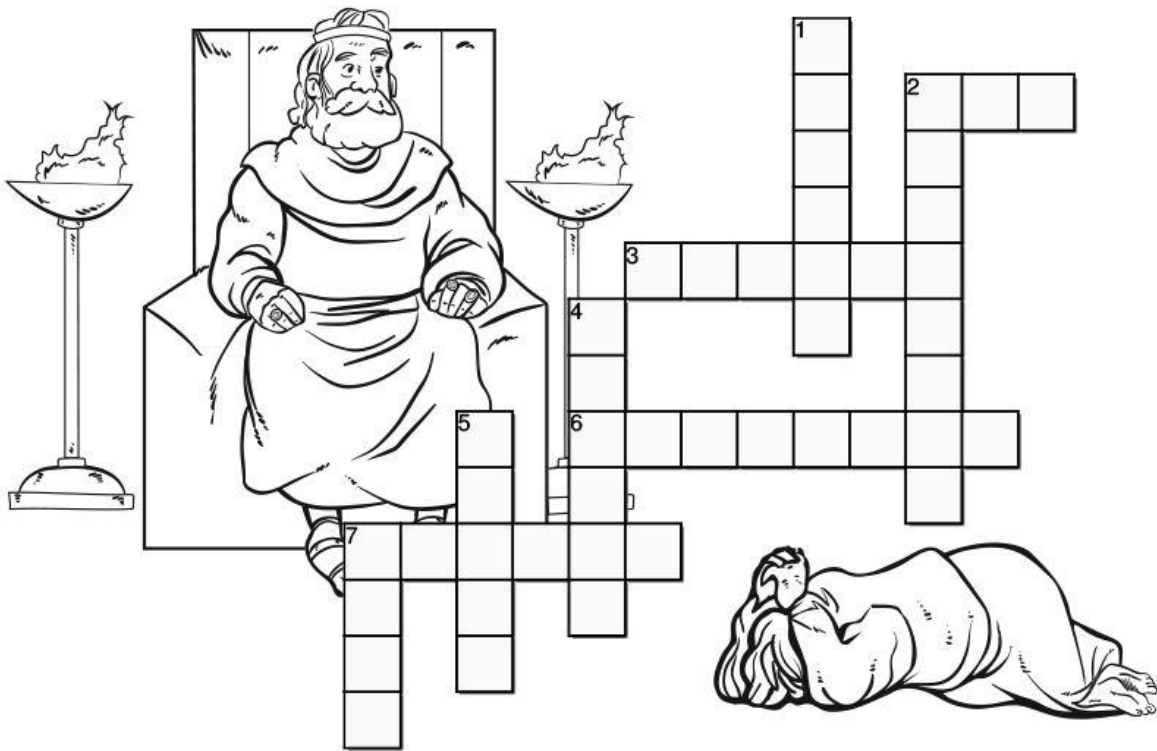


EPHESIANS 4:32



THE PARABLE OF THE UNMERCIFUL SERVANT

Matthew 18:21-35



Across

2. The servant owed the king ____ thousand bags of gold.
3. When he saw his fellow servant, he grabbed him by the ____, demanding that he repay his debt.
6. The king had compassion on the servant and _____ all of his debt.
7. Because the servant could not pay back his debt, the king wanted to turn him and his family into _____.

Down

1. The unforgiving servant had his fellow servant thrown into _____, until his debt could be re-paid.
2. The king was furious and threw the servant into jail, and had him _____ until he could repay every last cent.
4. "You _____ servant," the king said. "I canceled all of your debt because you begged me to."
5. The servant's fellow servant owed him a _____ amount of money.
7. The king expected the servant to treat his fellow servant in the _____ way.





The Story of the Forgiving King Word Search

Find the words on the list that are hidden in the puzzle.
The words can be left to right, or up and down.



COMPASSION
DEBT
FORGIVE
HEART
HEAVEN

KINGDOM
MERCY
OWE
PATIENCE
PRISON



The Story of the Forgiving King Word Line-up

Unscramble each of the clue words. Take the letters that appear in the circled spaces and unscramble them for the final question.

VENHEA

○ _ _ _ _ _

WOE

_ _ ○

ECNEITAP

_ _ ○ _ _ _ _ _

CYRME

_ _ ○ _ _

EBDT

_ _ _ ○

PRISON

_ _ _ ○ _ _

Jesus said we should forgive from our

_ _ _ _ _

Parable of the Unmerciful Servant

—Matthew 18



Treating Others

Do the multiplication problems in the box to find out the code numbers for each letter.

The Parable of the Unmerciful Servant shows us how we should not treat others. But how does Jesus say we should treat others when they sin against us?

A	Three fours =	___
B	Seven sixes =	___
E	Nine nines =	___
F	Eight fours =	___
G	Five sevens =	___
H	Five threes =	___
I	Six fives =	___
M	Seven nines =	___
O	Four fours =	___
R	Eight nines =	___
T	Seven sevens =	___
U	Four sixes =	___
V	Nine fives =	___
Y	Five fours =	___

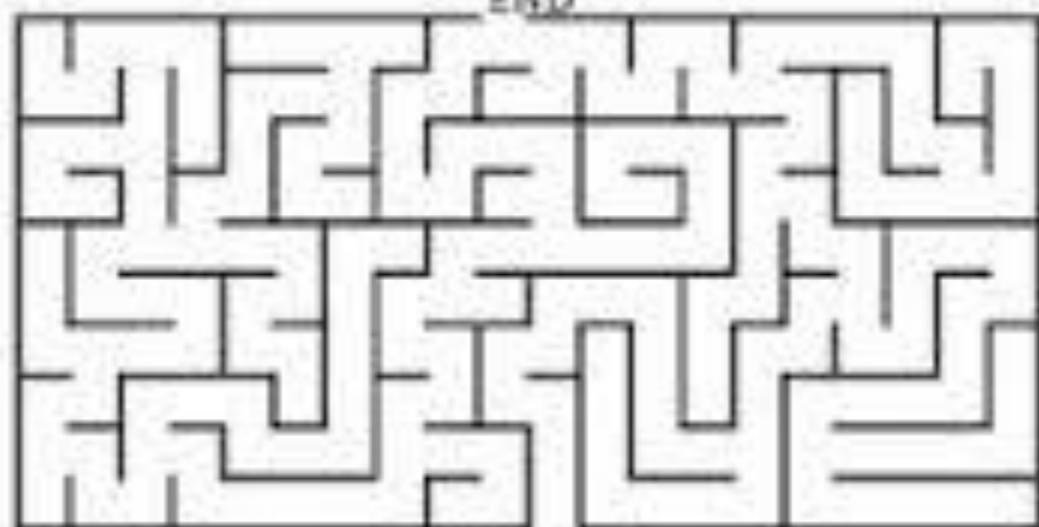


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(Matthew 18:35)

THE PARABLE OF THE UNMERCIFUL SERVANT

Help the servant find his way to the king.



START



The Unforgiving Servant

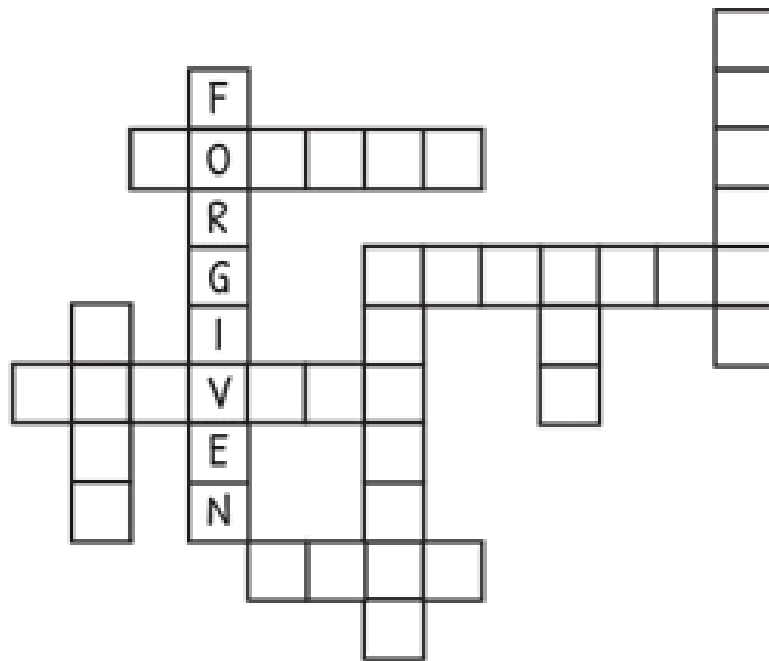
Read the parable of the two debtors told by Jesus in Matt 18:23-33.
Then put the **green** words from the parable into the crossword puzzle.

One of the king's servants owed the king a great deal of money. However, he did not have the money to pay the **king**, so he asked the king to be **patient** and give him more time to repay the **debt**. The king felt bad for his servant and told him he did not have to repay the money. The entire debt was **forgiven**.

Once the **servant** left, he went looking for a worker who owed him a very small amount of money. The **worker** begged him to be patient. But the servant, who had just been forgiven by the king, had this man thrown in **jail**.

When the king heard how unkind his servant had been to the worker, he was angry. He told his servant, "Shame on you for treating your debtor this way, after all I did for you. Now you will go to jail, and you will pay me everything you owed me."

What good lessons we can learn from this **parable**. First, to treat others the way we would like to be treated, and second, to have a **loving** and forgiving heart.



Forgiveness Coloring Page

