

STOP THE SPREAD OF INFECTION Pt. 2

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2 Timothy 1:9 (NIV)

^[9] ...who has saved us and called us to a holy life--not because of anything we have done but because of his own purpose and grace. This grace was given us in Christ Jesus before the beginning of time...

John 10:25-30 (NIV)

^[25] Jesus answered, "I did tell you, but you do not believe. The miracles I do in my Father's name speak for me,

^[26] but you do not believe because you are not my sheep.

^[27] My sheep listen to my voice; I know them, and they follow me.

^[28] I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish; no one can snatch them out of my hand.

^[29] My Father, who has given them to me, is greater than all; no one can snatch them out of my Father's hand.

^[30] I and the Father are one."

Practicing Your Position

Romans 8:38-39 (NIV)

^[38] For I am convinced that neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither the present nor the future, nor any powers,

^[39] neither height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord.

1 John 1:9 (NIV)

^[9] If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness.

James 2:12-13 (NIV)

^[12] Speak and act as those who are going to be judged by the law that gives freedom,

^[13] because judgment without mercy will be shown to anyone who has not been merciful. Mercy triumphs over judgment!

Thomas Watson wrote, *"We need not climb up into heaven to see whether our sins are forgiven. Let us look into our hearts and see if we can forgive others. If we can, we need not doubt that God has forgiven us."*

Thomas Adams wrote, *"He who demands mercy and shows none ruins the bridge over which he himself must pass."*

Colossians 3:13 (NIV)

^[13] Bear with each other and forgive whatever grievances you may have against one another. Forgive as the Lord forgave you.

Matthew 18:15-17 (NIV)

^[15] "If your brother sins against you, go and show him his fault, just between the two of you. If he listens to you, you have won your brother over.

^[16] But if he will not listen, take one or two others along, so that 'every matter may be established by the testimony of two or three witnesses.'

^[17] If he refuses to listen to them, tell it to the church; and if he refuses to listen even to the church, treat him as you would a pagan or a tax collector.

Matthew 18:21-23 (NIV)

^[21] Then Peter came to Jesus and asked, "Lord, how many times shall I forgive my brother when he sins against me? Up to seven times?"

^[22] Jesus answered, "I tell you, not seven times, but seventy-seven times."

^[23] Therefore, the kingdom of heaven is like a king who wanted to settle accounts with his servants.

Matthew 18:35 (NIV)

^[35] "This is how my heavenly Father will treat each of you unless you forgive your brother from your heart."

What is the answer to my problem?

Matthew 11:28-30 (NIV)

^[28] "Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest.

^[29] Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls.

^[30] For my yoke is easy and my burden is light."