



UNDER ONE ROOF

# Forgiving One Another

# Biblical Emphasis On Forgiveness

**Col 3**

<sup>13</sup> ...forgiving each other; as the Lord has forgiven you, so you also must forgive

**Eph 4**

<sup>32</sup> ...forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you

# Biblical Emphasis On Forgiveness

**Matt 6** <sup>14</sup> For if you forgive others their trespasses, your heavenly Father will also forgive you, <sup>15</sup> but if you do not forgive others their trespasses, neither will your Father forgive your trespasses.

**Rom 12** <sup>25</sup> And whenever you stand praying, forgive, if you have anything against anyone, so that your Father also who is in heaven may forgive you your trespasses.

**Mk 11** <sup>17</sup> Repay no one evil for evil, but give thought to do what is honorable in the sight of all.





## **Joseph's Story**

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<sup>15</sup> When Joseph's brothers saw that their father was dead, they said, "It may be that Joseph will hate us and pay us back for all the evil that we did to him."

<sup>16</sup> So they sent a message to Joseph, saying, “Your father gave this command before he died: <sup>17</sup> ‘Say to Joseph, “Please forgive the transgression of your brothers and their sin, because they did evil to you.”’ And now, please forgive the transgression of the servants of the God of your father.” Joseph wept when they spoke to him. <sup>18</sup> His brothers also came and fell down before him and said, “Behold, we are your servants.”



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<sup>19</sup> But Joseph said to them, “Do not fear, for am I in the place of God?”



## **Our Place**





**Gen  
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<sup>20</sup> As for you, you meant evil against me...



# Men's Problem

**Gen  
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<sup>20</sup> As for you, you meant evil against me, but God meant it for good...



# **God's Plans and Purpose**

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<sup>20</sup> ... to bring it about that many people should be kept alive, as they are today.



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<sup>21</sup> So do not fear; I will provide for you and your little ones.”  
Thus he comforted them and spoke kindly to them.