

# The Forgiveness of Sins

Lord's Day 21 – Question 56 – Lord's Supper  
Psalm 130 (KJV)

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## Introduction

1. The Lord's Supper shows to us our daily need for Christ.
2. The Psalm 130 is an outstanding Psalm about forgiveness.

## The Amazing Truth...there is forgiveness with Jehovah. Psalm 130:4

1. What is forgiveness? What does it mean that God forgives all my iniquities?
  
2. This forgiveness is amazing because of my sins and my corrupt nature against which I struggle.
  
3. Why does God forgive our sins? He forgives our sins for the sake of Christ and His work on the cross.  
Ephesians 1:7

## The Beautiful Purpose..."that thou mayest be feared"

1. The idea is that God's forgiveness has the purpose that we stand in awe of Him.
  - a. The word *fear* means *tremble*. Does this mean we should be afraid of Jehovah?
  
  - b. The purpose of God's forgiveness is that we fear and honor and revere Him. Why?
  
2. This fear is the purpose of God's gracious, merciful forgiveness, which fear is shown in a life of turning from sin and striving to live in obedience.

## The Great Blessing

1. For the child of God there is nothing so wonderful as knowing and experiencing this favor and loving-kindness of God.
  
2. How do we know this forgiveness?