

2 Cor 7:8-10

. 9 Now I rejoice, not that you were made sorry, but that your sorrow led to repentance. For you were made sorry in a godly manner, that you might suffer loss from us in nothing. 10 For godly sorrow produces repentance leading to salvation,

John 16:8-11

8 And when He has come, He will convict the world of sin, and of righteousness, and of judgment: 9 of sin, because they do not believe in Me; 10 of righteousness, because I go to My Father and you see Me no more; 11 of judgment, because the ruler of this world is judged.

Ps 51:1-4

Have mercy upon me, O God,

According to Your lovingkindness;

According to the multitude of Your tender mercies,

Blot out my transgressions.

2 Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity,

And cleanse me from my sin.

3 For I acknowledge my transgressions,

And my sin is always before me.

4 Against You, You only, have I sinned,

And done this evil in Your sight —

That You may be found just when You speak,

And blameless when You judge.

Prayer questions.....

In what ways might you be resisting the Holy Spirit trying to draw your attention to your sins right now?

Is your mind drifting to someone or something else?

Is the Holy Spirit saying anything to you about the level of intimacy you are experiencing with the Father? If so, is it a rebellious sin? Is it that God has disappointed you in some way and you have moved away from Him? Is it the routine of the religious life?

Is the Holy Spirit bringing to your mind the name of any person with whom you are currently out of fellowship?

Is there some form of impurity that you are allowing in your life?

Are there currently any issues with your obeying the words of Jesus?

Have you set aside any time recently to be in God's presence?

Are you worried about something?

Can you turn that worry over to Jesus right now?

Will you ask for forgiveness based solely on His grace?

Will you now receive and live as a forgiven one based on His grace?

Ps 103:8-12

8 The LORD is merciful and gracious, Slow to anger, and abounding in mercy. 9 He will not always strive with us, Nor will He keep His anger forever. 10 He has not dealt with us according to our sins, Nor punished us according to our iniquities. 11 For as the heavens are high above the earth, So great is His mercy toward those who fear Him; 12 As far as the east is from the west, So far has He removed our transgressions from us.

Isa 53:4-5

4 Surely He has borne our grief's and carried our sorrows; Yet we esteemed Him stricken, Smitten by God, and afflicted. 5 But He was wounded for our transgressions, He was bruised for our iniquities; The chastisement for our peace was upon Him, And by His stripes we are healed.

Will you join me in thanking Him now for the gift of forgiveness?