

 **Who do you think you are?**

You Are Forgiven

Ephesians 4:25-32

THE DOCTRINE OF FORGIVENESS

- **Freely bestowing a gift**
- **Remitting a debt or a penalty**
- **Graciously granting a request**

WHAT FORGIVENESS IS NOT

- **Forgiveness is not denying that sin occurred or diminishing its evil**
- **Forgiveness is not covering up crimes against us**
- **Forgiveness is not forgetting**
- **Forgiveness is not trust**
- **Forgiveness is not pre-offense reconciliation**

WHAT FORGIVENESS IS

- Forgiveness is canceling a debt that is owed to you
- Forgiveness is forsaking revenge
- Forgiveness is an ongoing process
- Forgiveness is wanting good for your offender

- **Ask the Holy Spirit to control your communication**



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