

Give It Away The Greatest Gift, part three Ephesians 4:32; Romans 5:8

"Give as freely as you have received!" Matthew 10:8 (NLT)

Two parts of sharing grace:

_____ others how to ______ it

_____ it to others

We're never more like God than when we ______ to others.

"Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ God forgave you." Ephesians 4:32 (NIV)

"Forgive others, and God will forgive you." Luke 6:37 (GNT)

"But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us." Romans 5:8 (NIV)

Three phases of offering grace:

Phase one: Getting rid of _____

Phase two: ______ the other person

Phase three: Being willing to ______ the relationship

"For God in all his fullness was pleased to live in Christ, ²⁰ and through him God reconciled everything to himself. He made peace with everything in heaven and on earth by means of Christ's blood on the cross. ²¹ This includes you who were once far away from God. You were his enemies, separated from him by your evil thoughts and actions. ²² Yet now he has reconciled you to himself through the death of Christ in his physical body. As a result, he has brought you into his own presence, and you are holy and blameless as you stand before him without a single fault." Colossians 1:19-22 (NLT)