



OUR RESPONSE | WEEK 4

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Mercy requires a _____.

We don't _____ to God's mercy in a way that
_____ God.

"Teacher," they said to Jesus, "this woman was caught in the act of adultery. The law of Moses says to stone her. What do you say?"
John 8:4-5

"All right, but let the one who has never sinned throw the first stone!"
John 8:7

"Go and sin no more." *John 8:11*

1. Close the _____.

Change is possible when you choose to close the gap.

"Perfection is the enemy of progress." — Winston Churchill

"Prove by the way you live that you have repented of your sins and turned to God." *Matthew 3:8*

"I thank God every day to be back here. It's a blessing. That's all I can say about it. It makes me appreciate everything in life, not just being here, but everything." — D.J. Pettway

2. Your _____ for God _____.

Then Jesus told him this story: "A man loaned money to two people—500 pieces of silver to one and 50 pieces to the other. But neither of them could repay him, so he kindly forgave them both, canceling their debts. Who do you suppose loved him more after that?" *Luke 7:41-42*

"I tell you, her sins—and they are many—have been forgiven, so she has shown me much love. But a person who is forgiven little shows only little love." *Luke 7:47*

3. You show _____ to _____.

"Then the king called in the man he had forgiven and said, 'You evil servant! I forgave you that tremendous debt because you pleaded with me. Shouldn't you have mercy on your fellow servant, just as I had mercy on you?'" *Matthew 18:32-33*

"Then the angry king sent the man to prison to be tortured until he had paid his entire debt." *Matthew 18:34*

How will you respond to God's mercy?