

# ***Forgiveness***

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It's the hardest thing to give away  
And the last thing on your mind today  
It always goes to those who don't deserve

It's the opposite of how you feel  
When the pain they caused is just too real  
It takes everything you have just to say the word...

Forgiveness, Forgiveness

It flies in the face of all your pride  
It moves away the mad inside  
It's always anger's own worst enemy  
Even when the jury and the judge  
Say you gotta right to hold a grudge  
It's the whisper in your ear saying 'Set It Free'

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Show me how to love the unlovable  
Show me how to reach the unreachable  
Help me now to do the impossible

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It'll clear the bitterness away  
It can even set a prisoner free  
There is no end to what it's power can do  
So, let it go and be amazed

By what you see through eyes of grace  
The prisoner that it really frees is you

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I want to finally set it free  
So show me how to see what Your mercy sees  
Help me now to give what You gave to me  
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