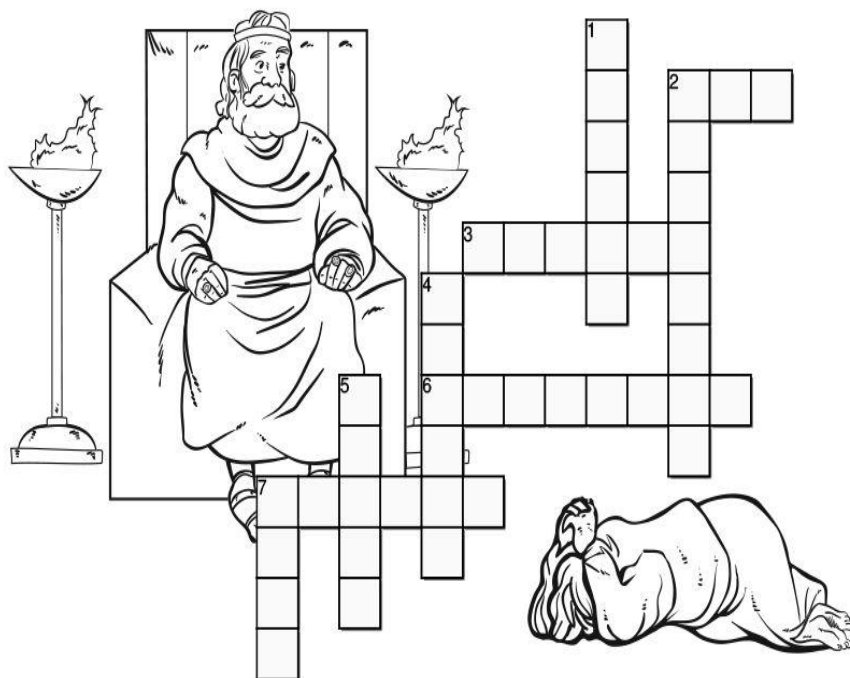


# THE PARABLE OF THE UNMERCIFUL SERVANT

Matthew 18:21-35



### Across

- The servant owed the king \_\_\_\_ thousand bags of gold.
- When he saw his fellow servant, he grabbed him by the \_\_\_\_, demanding that he repay his debt.
- The king had compassion on the servant and \_\_\_\_ all of his debt.
- Because the servant could not pay back his debt, the king wanted to turn him and his family into \_\_\_\_.

### Down

- The unforgiving servant had his fellow servant thrown into \_\_\_\_, until his debt could be re-paid.
- The king was furious and threw the servant into jail, and had him \_\_\_\_ until he could repay every last cent.
- "You \_\_\_\_ servant," the king said. "I canceled all of your debt because you begged me to."
- The servant's fellow servant owed him a \_\_\_\_ amount of money.
- The king expected the servant to treat his fellow servant in the \_\_\_\_ way.

# Children's Bulletin

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## The Unforgiving Servant

Matthew 18

Jesus told this parable or story to teach about forgiveness:

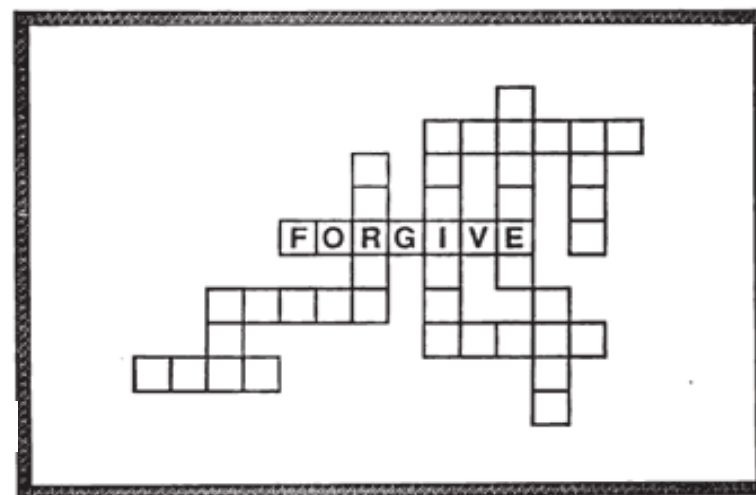
A man owed the king a lot of money. The man could not pay it back. He fell down before the king and asked him to be patient. The king felt sorry for him and let him go without having to pay the money.

Then the man went out and found another worker who owed the man a little bit of money. The man demanded his money but the worker couldn't pay. The worker asked for patience but the man threw him in prison.

When the king heard what had happened he called the man to him. "You wicked man," said the king. "I forgave you so much because you asked me. Couldn't you also forgive the worker his debt?" And the king threw the man in prison.

Jesus said, "This is what my Father will do to you if you don't show forgiveness."

Fit the underlined words in the crossword puzzle.



Name \_\_\_\_\_

### What did the Servant Need to Learn?

In the parable of the unmerciful servant, the king forgave his debt, but he couldn't do the same for a fellow servant. What was the one thing this servant needed to learn?

Using the first letter of each picture below, write the letter on the line to spell the word.

The servant needed to: \_\_\_\_\_



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### The Story of the Forgiving King Word Search

Find the words on the list that are hidden in the puzzle.  
The words can be left to right, or up and down.

I	T	H	E	R	C	Y	M	O	F
T	P	R	I	S	O	N	M	V	O
D	A	I	Q	U	M	T	N	O	R
E	U	O	W	E	P	L	O	Q	G
B	F	E	H	E	A	V	E	N	I
T	O	L	O	R	S	I	T	E	V
H	E	A	R	T	S	N	T	V	E
L	I	P	A	T	I	E	N	C	E
K	I	N	G	D	O	M	R	I	T
L	O	C	T	E	N	D	I	T	O

COMPASSION  
DEBT  
FORGIVE  
HEART  
HEAVEN

KINGDOM  
MONEY  
OWE  
PATIENCE  
PRISON

### Prayer:

Dear God,  
Sometimes it is hard to forgive and sometimes  
it's hard to ask for forgiveness. Help me to  
remember that you want me to forgive just as  
you forgive me.

Amen