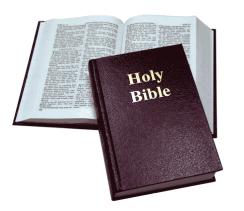
The Sermon on the Mount

STUDY 18

Reading: Matthew 6:12-15



Forgive us...lead us...deliver us...

Home Fellowship Group Bible Study Questions

Tuesday 22nd/Wednesday 23rd October 2013

- 1) In the Lord's Prayer, why is sin pictured as a debt?
- 2) On the basis that this is a prayer that only Christians can really pray; why is it necessary for those who have been forgiven at the cross at conversion to continue asking for forgiveness?

Read: Matthew 18:23-35

3) What is the relationship between asking for forgiveness and giving forgiveness?

So important is this issue that Jesus enlarges on it after he has finished the model prayer (see verses 14-15).

- 4) This seems to imply that we forgive others in order that we can then receive God's forgiveness. *What exactly does Jesus mean here?*
- 5) It seems strange that in verse 13 we have to ask God not to lead us into temptation. *What is Jesus saying here?*
- 6) Are we right to ask for deliverance from evil when we believe that everything is within God's providence?