Resurrection Life of Jesus Church

BEING A GRACEFUL CHRISTIAN

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PART 2: THE CURE

If this spiritual infection is not quickly cleared up, the Christian will develop a chronic spiritual sickness, a sinful condition that will separate the Christian from the Love of God and bring him into bondage and physical sickness. Romans 6:12-16

The cure for this spiritual disease is laid out by Jesus in **Matthew 18:21-35**.

Are you a graceful believer in Christ or have you developed unforgiveness that is making you into a bitter, angry resentful man or woman?

If you have been damaged emotionally as a child by your parents or someone else in the family or by someone you loved and respected deeply, it will be used by demonic forces to keep you spiritually contaminated. The following symptoms are common to this kind of contamination:

	THE DEVIL'S METHOD	JESUS' METHOD
1.	Intolerance	Jesus said: Love your enemies Matthew 5:38-48
2.	Impatience	
3.	Judgmental	
4.	Remembering old grudges	
5.	Demanding	
6.	Showing little mercy to others	
7.	Giving no slack whatsoever	
8.	Gossip	
9.	Retaliation	

Many Christians are living in denial; they are phony in their responses to others, by not telling the truth that they are hurt and hold old grudges, which have never been resolved. Jesus spoke about this condition; don't come to the Father until vou are clear with your loved ones on this earth. Matthew 5:23-26

Remember, you cannot pray with someone you are angry with! This is why Jesus stressed the following point with his disciples: Love One Another! John 15:7-17



If you want to be cleansed from any spiritual contamination, there is only one place to go, humble yourself before Father God and confess all your sins, bitterness, and all the junk that is in you and ask God to wash you clean with the blood of Jesus! **Psalms 51:1-19**

Do you have an ear to hear with?