

The Lord Our God Is Merciful

Scripture References

Exodus 34:6

The Lord, the Lord God is merciful.

Exodus 25:22 - The mercy seat.

And there I will meet with you, and I will commune with you from above the mercy seat, from between the two cherubims, which are upon the ark of the testimony, containing all the things which I have commanded you, among the children of Israel.

Matthew 23:23 - Mercy the weightier matter in the Law

Woe to you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! For you pay tithe of mint and anise and cummin, and have neglected the weightier matters of the law: justice, mercy, and faith.

Hebrews 4:16 - Come to God in order to obtain mercy

Come boldly to the throne of grace, that you may obtain mercy and find grace to help in time of need.

Lamentations 3:22-23 - His mercies are renews every morning

Through the Lord's mercies we are not consumed, because His compassions fail not. They are renewed every morning; great is Your faithfulness.

Genesis 2:16, 17 - Adam and Eve, though under a death sentence, did not die

And the Lord God commanded the man, saying, "Of every tree of the garden you may freely eat; but of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil you shall not eat, for in the very day that you eat of it you shall surely die." Adam sinned but lived to have children, and raise his family, until he died at age 930.

Steps to Christ, p. 95 - Our need pleads in our defense in God's courtroom

There are certain conditions upon which we may expect that God will hear and answer our prayers. One of the first of these is that we feel our need of help from Him.... Our great need is itself our argument and pleads most eloquently in our behalf.

Ephesians 2:4

But God is rich in mercy.

Matthew 5:3 - It's not the rich in spirit that receive the kingdom, but the poor.

Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of God.

Luke 23:34 - Mercy offered...

Father forgive them, for they know not what they do.

Matthew 5:7 - Mercy begets mercy

Blessed are the merciful, for they shall obtain mercy.