

WHY GOD CAN FORGIVE SIN

I. Forgiveness from God

A. Psalm 32:1,2,5,6

B. Psalm 130:3, 4

C. Psalm 103: 2, 3, 8-12

II. Why is forgiveness necessary

A. Because of Who God is

B. Because all humans are guilty of sin

III. Why God can forgive sin

A. Forgiveness is never a matter of: winking at, ignoring, pretending, or giving man a break because God was in a good mood

B. It is because an innocent sacrificial Substitute took our penalty

C. Isaiah 53:4-6; 1 Peter 2:24; 1 Peter 3:18