

Unshakable Faith



Plank #2.

God's Forgiveness



aphiēmi – Forgiveness

Means to send forth or send away.



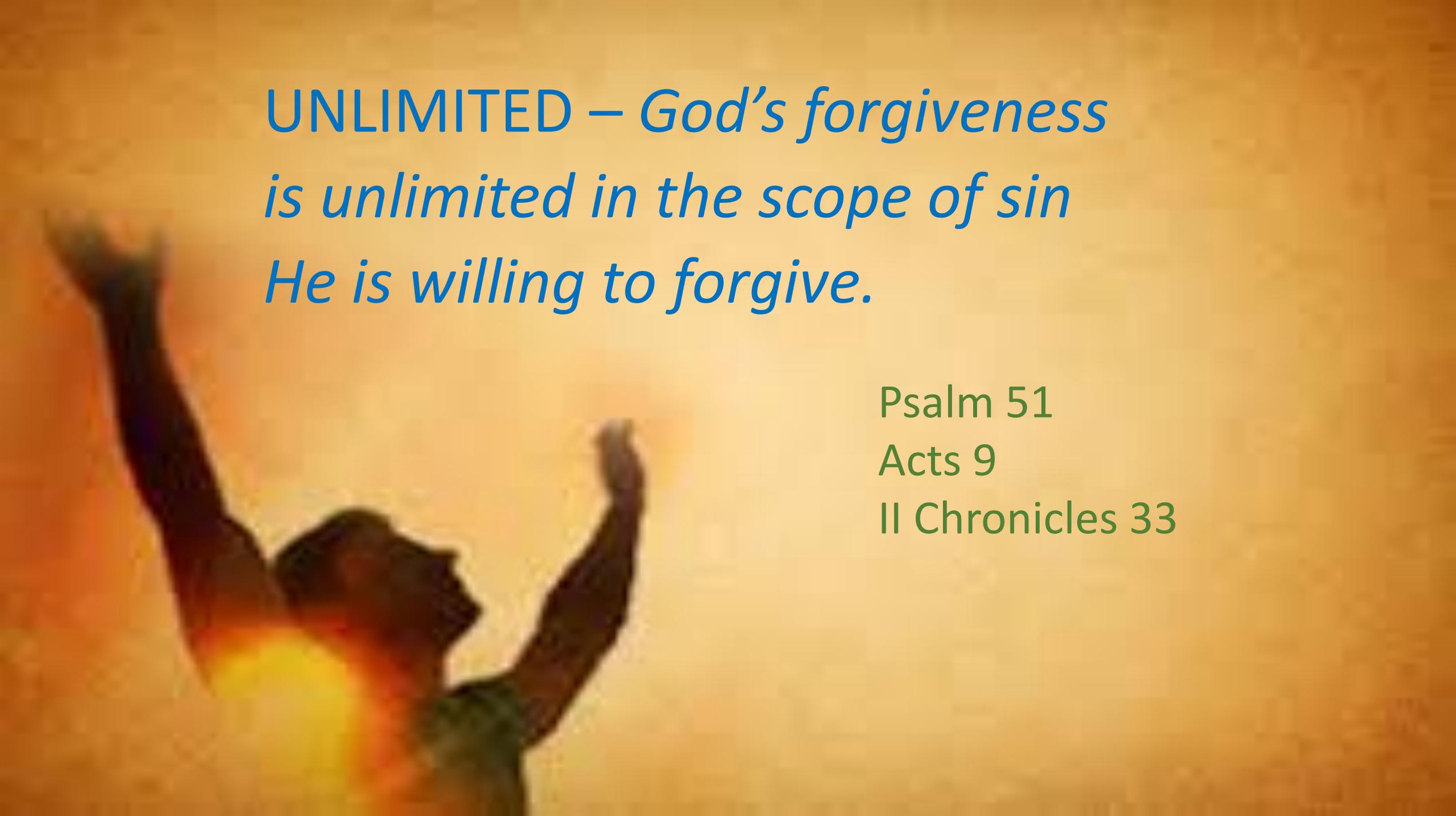


UNLIMITED – *God’s forgiveness is unlimited in the number of times He will forgive.*

Matthew 18:21-22 (NLT2)

21 Then Peter came to him and asked, “Lord, how often should I forgive someone who sins against me? Seven times?”

22 “No, not seven times,” Jesus replied, “but seventy times seven!”



UNLIMITED – *God's forgiveness
is unlimited in the scope of sin
He is willing to forgive.*

Psalm 51

Acts 9

II Chronicles 33

To be forgiven of sin one must:

1. Take responsibility for their sinful actions.





2. Confess the sin to God
and ask His forgiveness.

1 John 1:9 (NLT2)

*⁹ But if we confess our sins to him,
he is faithful and just to forgive us
our sins and to cleanse us from all
wickedness.*

3. Repent from the sinful behavior.

Acts 3:19 (NKJV)

¹⁹ Repent therefore and be converted, that your sins may be blotted out, so that times of refreshing may come from the presence of the Lord,



4. Trust Jesus' sacrifice on the cross for the removal of sin.

John 1:29 (NLT2)

29 The next day John saw Jesus coming toward him and said, "Look! The Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world!"

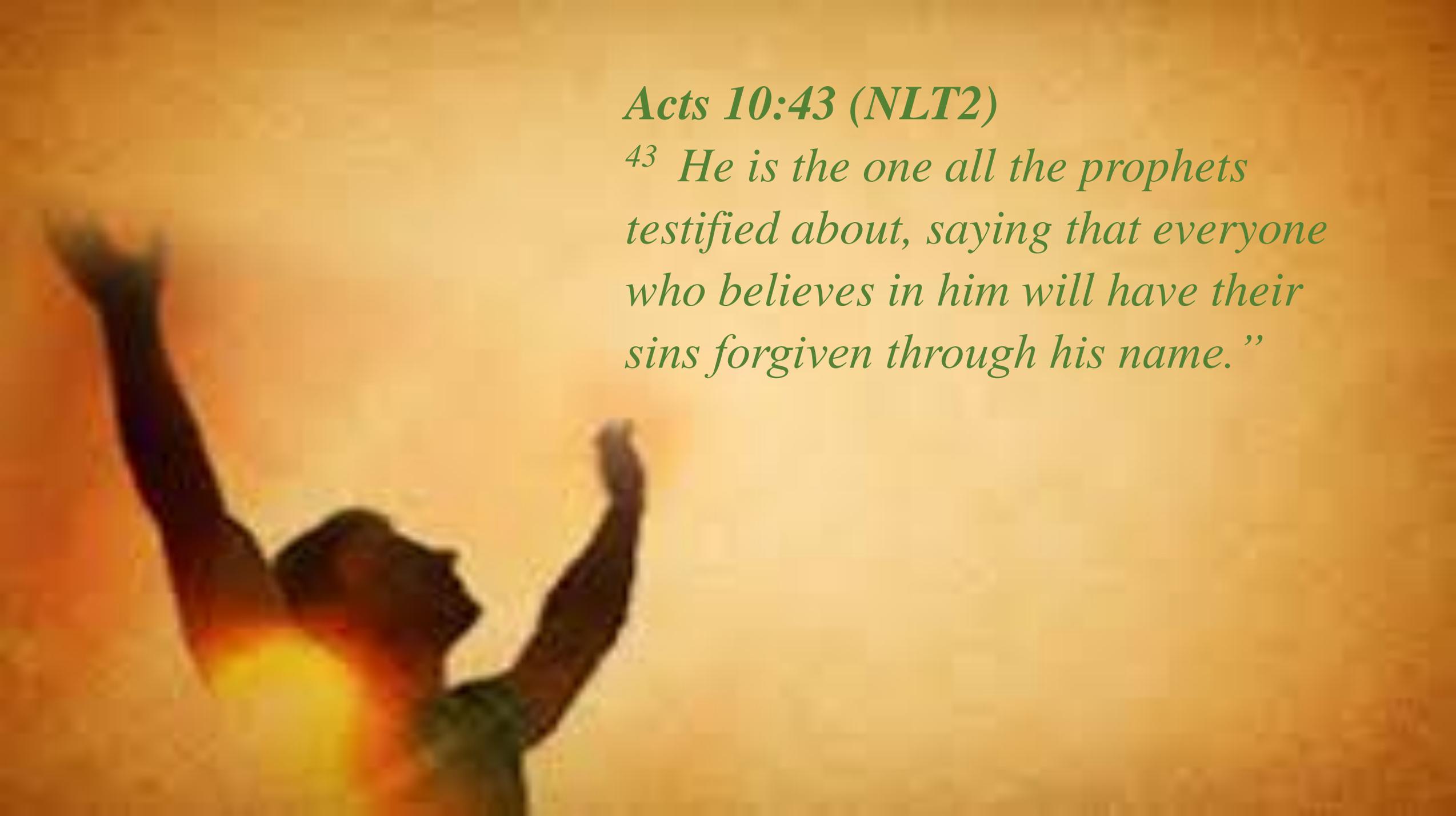




Acts 13:38-40 (NLT2)

38 “Brothers, listen! We are here to proclaim that through this man Jesus there is forgiveness for your sins.

39 Everyone who believes in him is declared right with God—something the law of Moses could never do.

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Acts 10:43 (NLT2)

43 He is the one all the prophets testified about, saying that everyone who believes in him will have their sins forgiven through his name.”

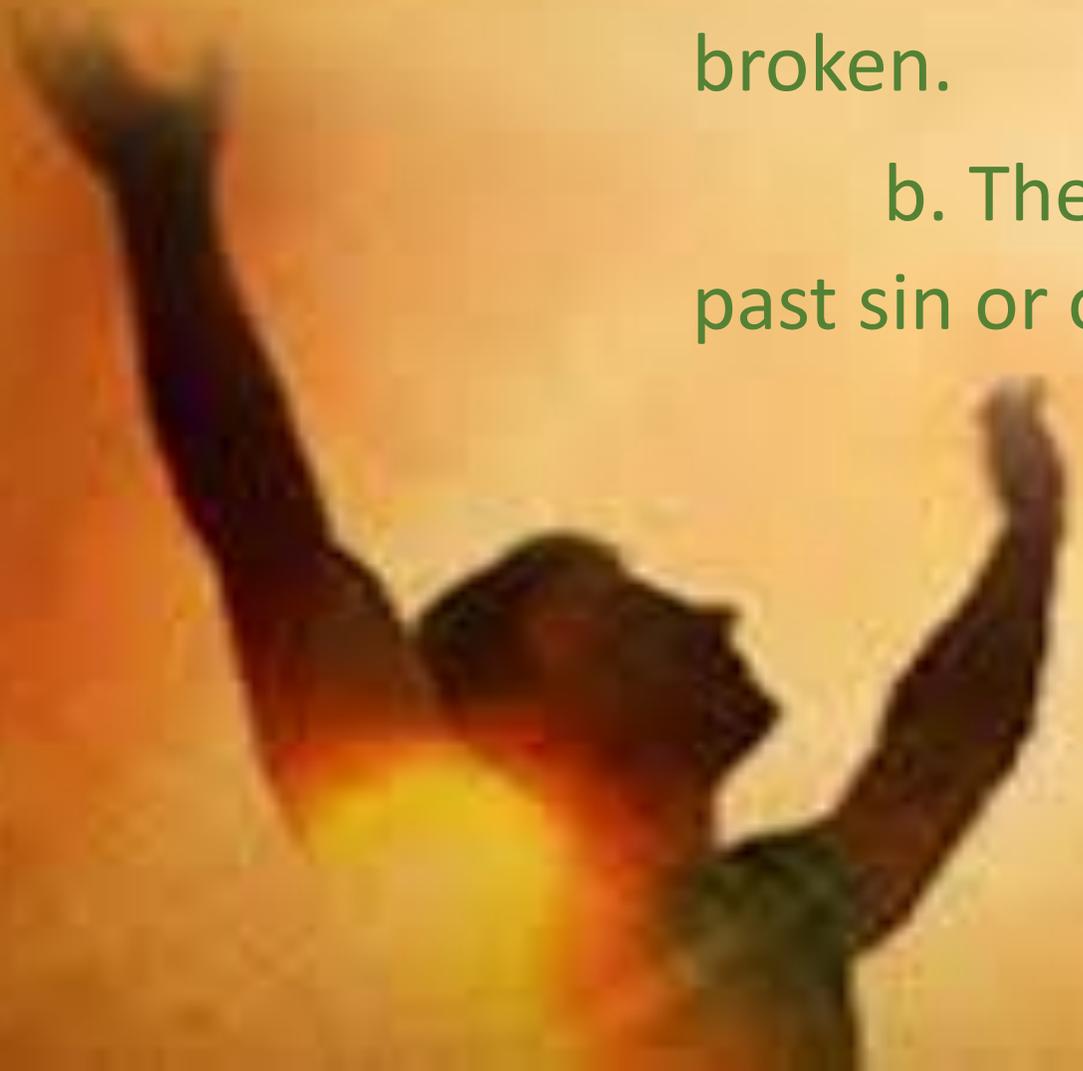
Two reasons a person may not feel like they have been forgiven:

1. They aren't forgiven



2. They are forgiven; However:

- a. There are strongholds that need to be broken.
- b. There is tremendous guilt and shame over past sin or over present sinful behavior.



2. They are forgiven; However:

- c. They are unwilling to receive God's forgiveness and unwilling to forgive themselves.
- d. Holding grudges toward someone else.

