

# O Saviour Teach me to Forgive

Meditation on First Word from the Cross Luke 23: 34

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**O Saviour teach me to forgive  
That I a life like thine might live!  
In true perfection didst thou die:  
“Forgive them Father” was thy cry.**

**O thee I honour and adore;  
Help me to love my neighbour more!  
Be patient with me yet a while  
And bless my strivings with thy smile.**

**For me wast thou in suffering long.  
I yearn for thee in tender song!  
Thou, Lord, forgavest when in pain,  
Those who have erred and err again.**

**The home of pardon is thy heart:  
Thy gracious ways to me impart.  
Forbearance would I not begrudge -  
Forgive me when thou com'st to judge.**