

## PRAYING FOR JERKS

Part 13

May 18-19

YOUR  
Best 10  
MINUTES

### I. Do you know the high cost of getting even?

A. You pay a price \_\_\_\_\_.

B. You pay a price \_\_\_\_\_.

*Resentment kills a fool. (Job 5:2 NIV)*

*You tear yourself to pieces in your anger. (Job 18:4 NCV)*

C. You pay a price \_\_\_\_\_.

*“Forgive us our debts as we also have forgiven our debtors.... For if you forgive other people when they sin against you, your heavenly Father will also forgive you. But if you do not forgive others their sins, your Father will not forgive your sins.” (Matt. 6:12, 14–15 NIV)*

*“The way you give to others is the way God will give to you.” (Luke 6:38 NCV)*

### II. Pray for your enemy.

*“Father, forgive them. They do not know what they are doing.” (Lk. 23:34 MSG)*

*When they hurled insults at him, he did not retaliate; when he suffered he made no threat. Instead, he entrusted himself to him who judges justly. (1 Pet. 2:23 NIV)*

*See to it that no one falls short of the grace of God and that no bitter root grows up to cause trouble and defile many. (Heb. 12:15 NIV)*