

Forgiveness - Matthew West

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Verse 1

It's the hard-est thing to give a-way And the last thing on your mind to-day It

al-ways goes to those who don't de-serve It's the op-po-site of how you feel When the

pain they caused is just too real It takes e-v'ry-thing you have to say the word For-give -ness,

C Verse 2&

for-give - ness It

flies in the face of all your pride It moves a-way the mad in - side It's
clear the bit - ter-ness a - way It can e - ven set a pri - soner free There

al-ways ang -er's own worst e - ne-my E-ven when the ju-ry and the judge
is no end to what its pow-er can do So let it go and be a-mazed By

Say you got a right to hold a grudge It's the whis-per in your ear say-ing "set it
what you see through eyes of grace The pri-soner that it real - ly frees is

free" For-give -ness, for-give -ness
 you For-give -ness, for-give -ness

For-give -ness, for-give -ness Show me how
 For-give -ness, for-give -ness

Chorus 1

to love the un-lov - a-ble Show me how to reach the un-reach - a-ble Help me now

to do the im-pos - si-ble For-give -ness, for-give -ness

Help me now to do the im-pos - si-ble For-give -ness

D.S. Al Coda Chorus 2
 It'-ll I want to fin - al-ly set it free So show me how

to see what Your mer - cy sees Help me now to give what You gave

to me For-give -ness, for-give -ness For-give -ness,

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The image shows a musical score on a single staff. It begins with a treble clef and a common time signature 'C'. The first measure contains a whole note chord 'C'. The second measure is a whole rest. The third measure contains a quarter note 'F' with a '7' below it, followed by a quarter note 'F' with a slur above it, and a quarter note 'F' with a slur above it. The fourth measure contains a whole note chord 'F'. The fifth measure is a whole rest. The sixth measure contains a quarter note 'F' with a '7' below it, followed by a quarter note 'F' with a slur above it, and a quarter note 'F' with a slur above it. The seventh measure contains a whole note chord 'C'. The eighth measure contains a whole note chord 'C'. The lyrics 'for-give - ness' are written below the first four measures, and 'For-give - ness' are written below the last four measures. A double bar line is at the end of the eighth measure, with the number '3' in the top right corner.

C

F

C

7

7

for-give - ness

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