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The Role of Resentfulness
in Spiritual Warfare



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WHAT DO YOU DO
WHEN PEOPLE
HURT YOU?

Q1: What is Resentfulness?



Resentfulness is
Lack of forgiveness.

Q2: What is the relationship between
Resentfulness and Spiritual Oppression?

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an **Open Door** for
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Q3: Why should Resentfulness be avoided?

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God's Grace:

Give people
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Resentfulness:

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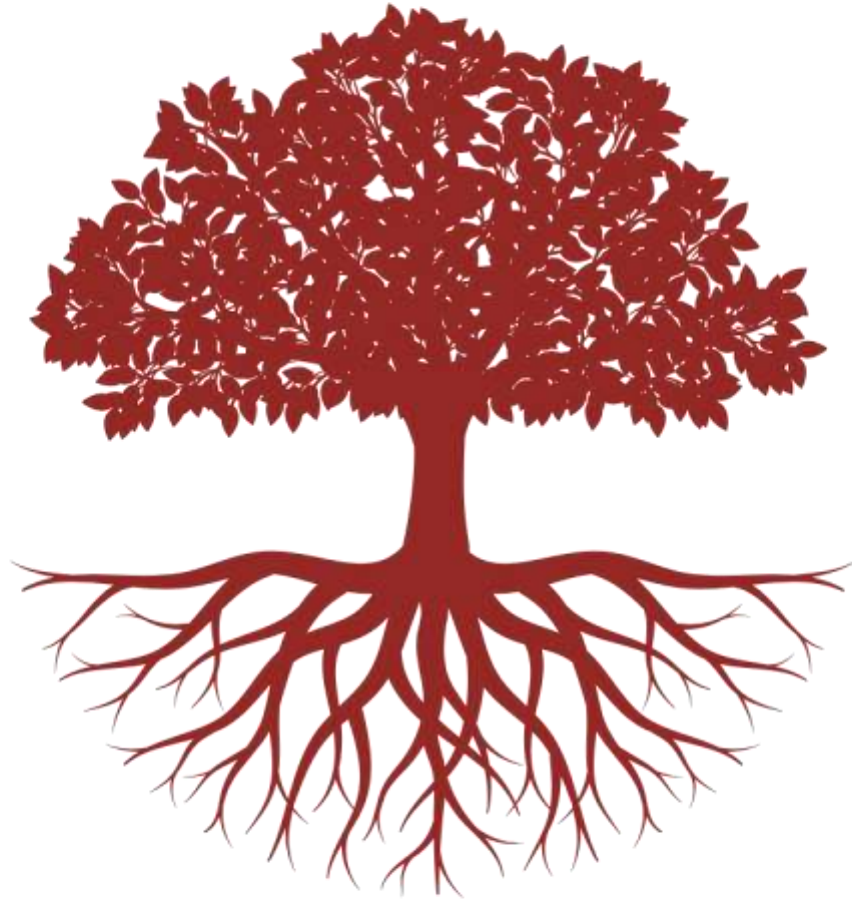


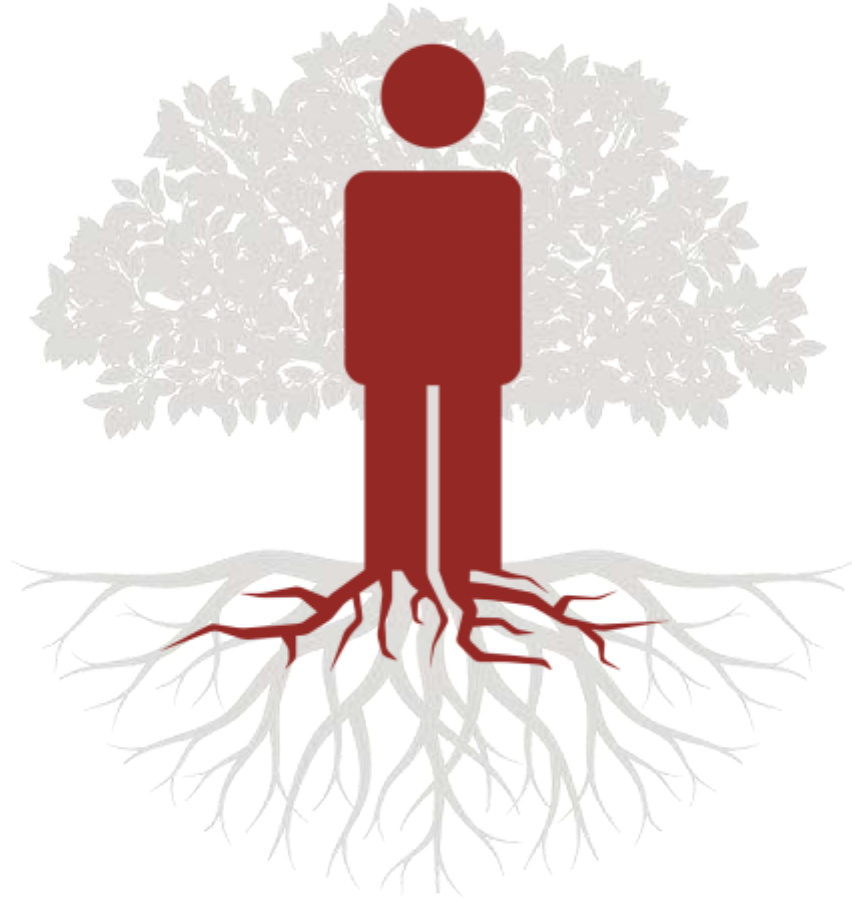
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corrodes your ability
to be a channel
of God's grace.

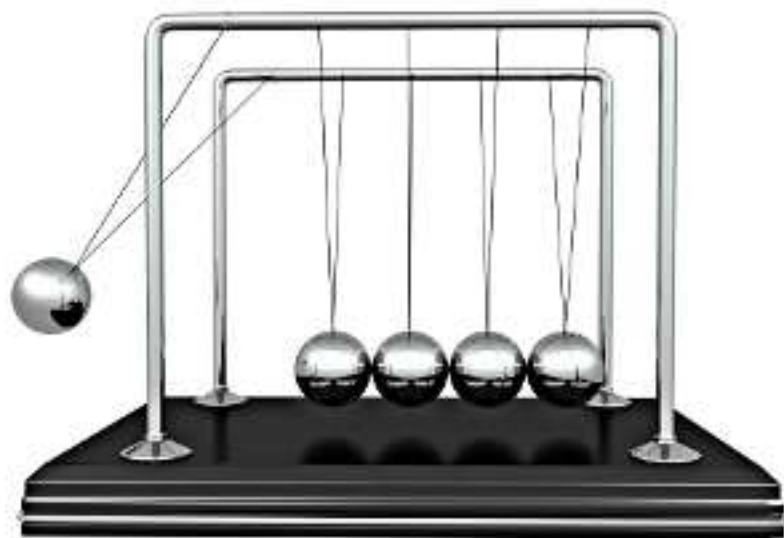
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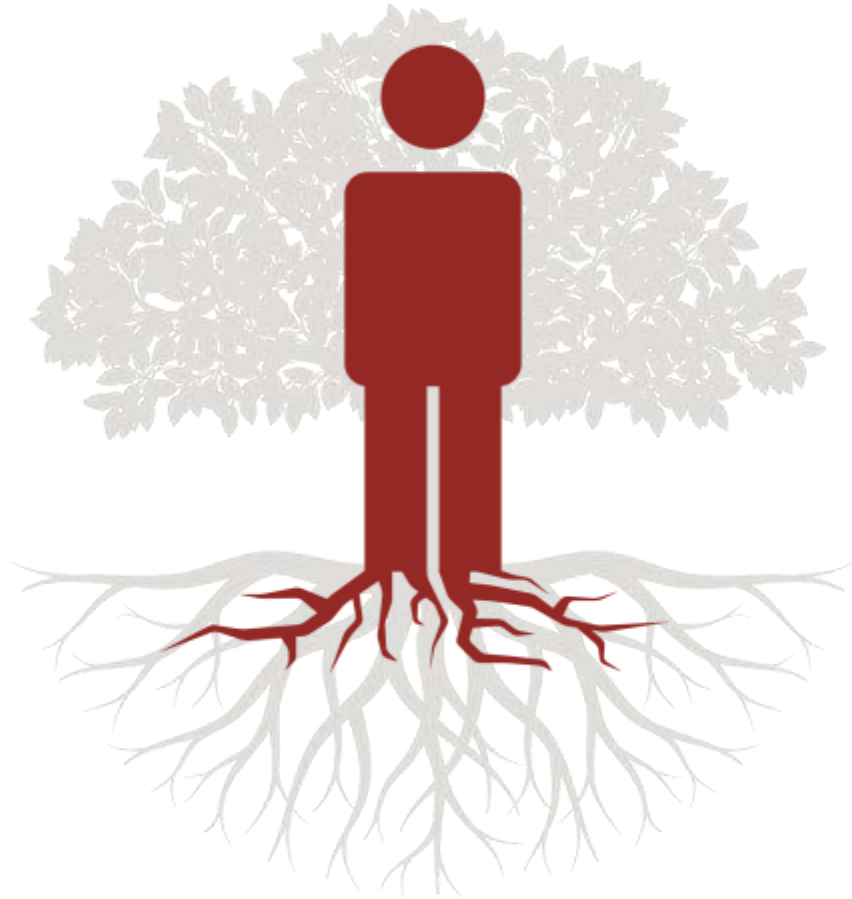








Resentfulness
causes **trouble**
and **contaminates** many.



Q5: How do I get rid of Resentfulness?

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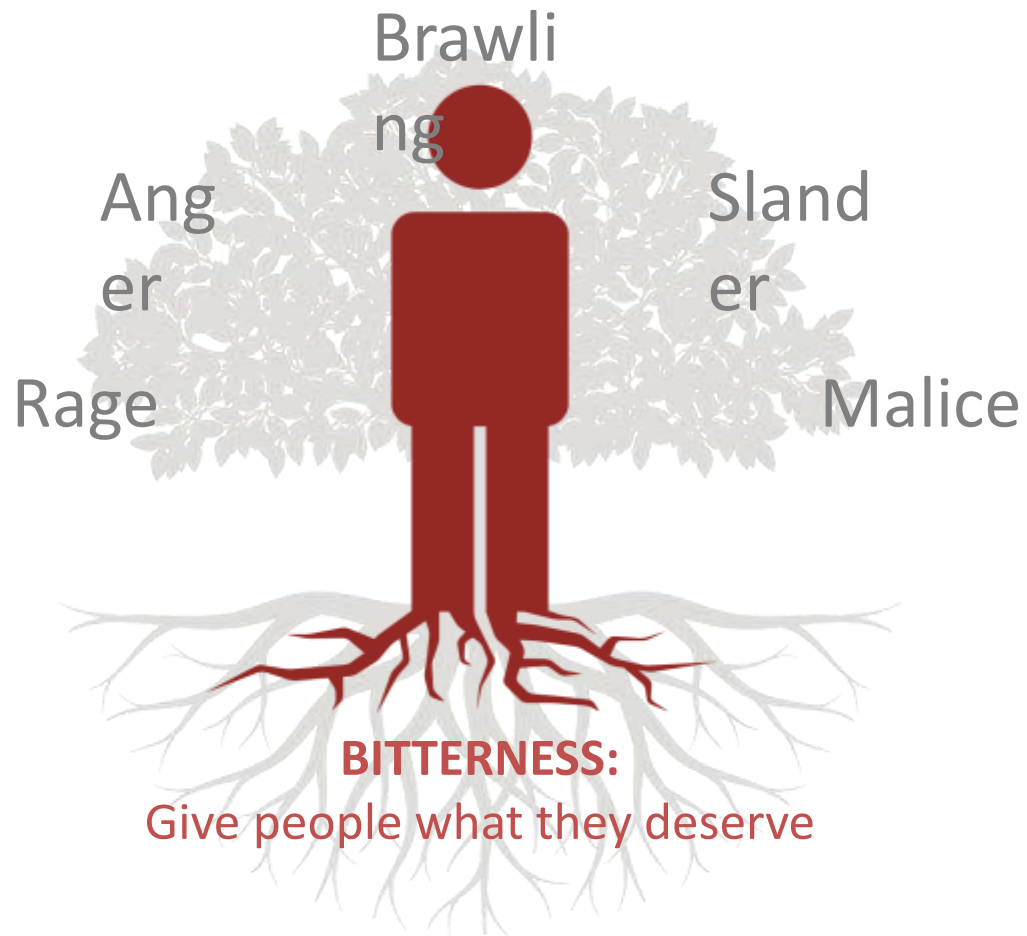
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Resentfulness
can only **be removed**
by forgiveness.





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Forgiveness is not reconciliation
but **letting go of retaliation.**



Lord, I forgive: Who + What + How
Make me a channel of your grace.



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THE POWER OF YOUR LOVE

**Lord, I come to You,
let my heart be changed, renewed,
flowing from the grace that I've found in You.
And Lord, I've come to know
the weaknesses I see in me
will be stripped away
by the power of Your love.**

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