

Question #2: What is the unforgivable sin?

How do you view Jesus?

“People need to learn that rejecting Jesus out of ignorance is one thing, but attacking the power by which he works is something far more serious. If one is weak, one can be encouraged. If one is ignorant, one can be informed. If one is willfully blind and deaf and rejects help, what can be done? One has cut oneself off from what might lead to repentance. The sworn enemies of Jesus have shut their eyes to the truth. They say good is evil in order to turn others away from Jesus, to preserve their own authority, and to resist becoming disciples. God is willing to forgive even this sin, but they have willfully shut themselves off from God’s forgiveness. It is not a single action but a continual state of spurning the Spirit’s work.” — *Tim Keller*

“It’s the act of resistance which belittles the Holy Spirit so grievously that he withdraws forever with his convicting power so that we are never able to repent and be forgiven.” —John Piper

Question #3: How do we live with the possibility of committing the unforgiveable sin?

a) Run from sin

The Promise: As long as one desires to repent, to get his or her life back in order spiritually, God will always forgive.

b) Run to repentance

“For I know my transgressions, and my sin is always before me. Against you, you only, have I sinned and done what is evil in your sight, so that you are proved right when you speak and justified when you judge. Surely, I was sinful at birth, sinful from the time my mother conceived me.” Psalm 51:3–5