

the ONE offering Forgiveness

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All my life's increase
everything I spent years building
gone up in a puff of smoke
burnt to the root
all because I said "yes"
in a moment of weakness
I can't believe that there could possibly be...
forgiveness for a f*ck*d up person

I'm sat in the exercise yard of my prison
but strangely enough I'm at peace
I fucked up and paid the price
and although others may think I'm crazy
I've found that God is into forgiveness
and it feels soooo good
I've got more freedom than I've ever had...
even though I'll be locked up here for years

I never meant to speak
but it just kind of came out
I heard myself talking
although couldn't believe it was me
[spewing out all those cruel and disgusting words]
After what I've said
I absolutely don't expect to be offered...
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I'll forever carry the shame
of what I did to others
and the guilt
of how that's affected my family
the weight of it cripples me
destroying my soul
I fucked up big time and don't deserve forgiveness...
so just write me off

In your hour of need I wasn't there
I said "no" instead of "yes"
and put my own comfort
above your obvious discomfort
Now it's too late
You're dead and buried
and from beyond the grave there is absolutely no...
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I saw the signs
and knew beyond doubt
that you were spiralling out of control
but you denied it and refused help
You really fucked up
I know it and so do you
Is there forgiveness for you?
Despite everything...possibly

I hurt beyond words
those that I love
damaged beyond repair
those dearest to me

The relationships that were once so close
are now distant and cold
I hope beyond hope that there might just be...
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I've read it and I believe it
[that unforgiveness will affect my health]
but you really did fuck up
and it hurt me so badly
Others can say and do
whatever they want
but from my side there will never ever be...
any forgiveness at all

I did it deliberately
I thought about it a lot
and knew the potential consequences
but my desire to do it
was stronger than anything else
so I did
Can your God [or any god] really give...
forgiveness for a f*ck*d up person?

I've heard people say
that it takes real strength
to face a fucked-up person
one who absolutely deserves
all that's coming to them
but then make the tougher choice...to forgive
So I must be weak
because *I just can't do it*