

# Asking for Forgiveness

Circle the letter of the best answer for each statement below.

1. When I sin, I must ask for forgiveness because
  - a. I must admit I did wrong.
  - b. it would be rude not to ask.
  - c. it's better to make excuses.
  
2. I must ask God for forgiveness because
  - a. God doesn't always forgive us.
  - b. when I sinned, I turned my back on God.
  - c. otherwise God won't know what I did.
  
3. I must be reconciled with the Church because
  - a. when I sinned, I didn't act like a follower of Jesus and part of his community, the Church.
  - b. the Church can punish me.
  - c. the Church forces me go to confession.
  
4. When I sin I should ask forgiveness of the person I hurt because
  - a. it's the polite thing to do.
  - b. saying I'm sorry is part of asking for forgiveness.
  - c. I want the person to forget what I did.
  
5. When I celebrate the Sacrament of Penance and Reconciliation,
  - a. I stop being a sinner.
  - b. I learn from my mistakes.
  - c. I am reconciled with God, the Church and other people.

In your own words, give an example of how to ask someone for forgiveness.

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