

# Incentives for the Erring to Repent

**“Return, ye backsliding children, I will heal your backsliding.” Jeremiah 3:22**

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| <b>1. A genuine sorrow for sin</b>           | <b>2 Corinthians 7:10</b>               |
| <b>2. The goodness of God</b>                | <b>Romans 2:4</b>                       |
| <b>3. The fear of eternal punishment</b>     | <b>Galatians 6:7-8</b>                  |
| <b>4. Contemplation of former joy</b>        | <b>2 Peter 1:9</b> <b>Psalm 5:3, 12</b> |
| <b>5. Heaven is interested in the erring</b> | <b>2 Peter 3:9</b>                      |

**“He that covereth his sins shall not prosper; but whoso confesseth and forsaken them shall have mercy.” Proverbs 28:13**



**“I Thought on my ways, and turned my feet unto thy testimonies. I made haste, and delayed not to keep thy commandments.” Psalm 119:59-60**

**“Brethren, if a man be overtaken in a fault, you which are spiritual restore such an one in the spirit of meekness; considering yourself, lest you also be tempted.” Galatians 6:1**