



ABBA!

forgive us our trespasses AS we forgive ...





do we really forgive?



ABBA!

*From the depths of the heart,
as only God can forgive in us?*



ABBA!

AS...!?

ABBA!



*As the king in the parable
who discharges the debt
of millions of silver coins,*

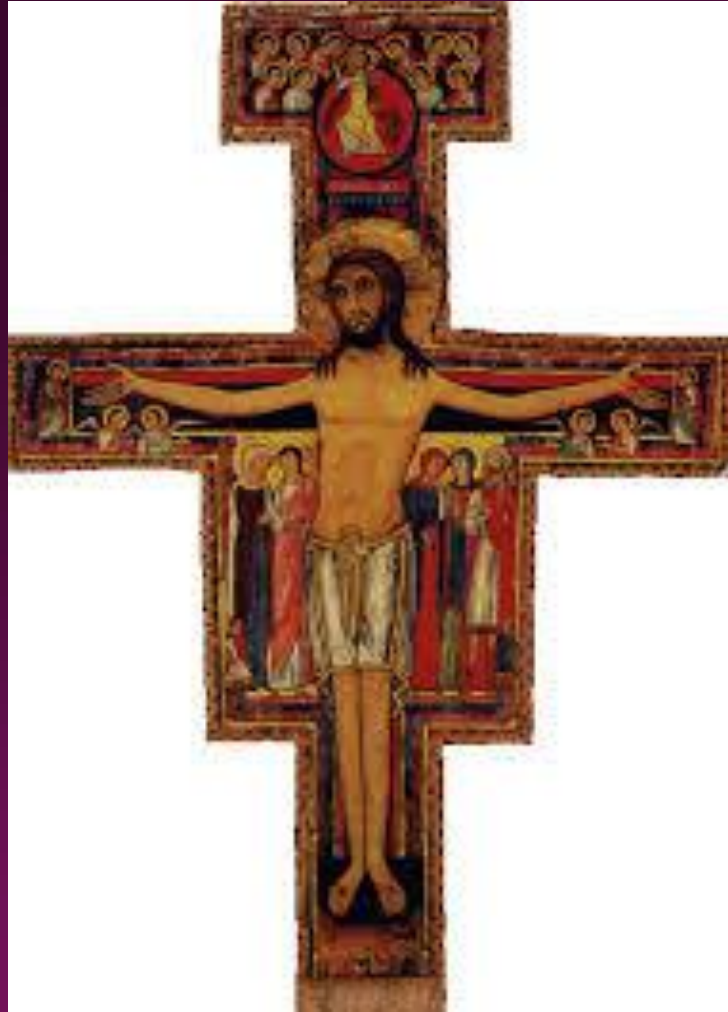
ABBA!

*And not as
the forgiven servant
who demands to be reimbursed*



ABBA!

*As Jesus, on the cross,
who takes upon himself
the sin of the world
and prays:*



ABBA!

*"Father, forgive them
for they know not what they do".*



ABBA!

ABBA!



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lead us not into temptation,

*The temptation of despair,
of believing that you have abandoned the world
to the violence of the feeling of your absence,*



ABBA!



ABBA!

*And temptation, then, to shirk one's fellow (wo)man,
to shut oneself off, to refuse to share,
Because we would not be brothers, sisters ...*

*The temptation to turn away from You
and from others,
from those who suffer most.*



ABBA!



*The temptation to allow oneself to be complicit in evil,
in us all.*

ABBA!

*BUT
DELIVER
US
FROM
EVIL!*



ABBA!



*Deliver us all from this evil
and make us all enter
into a dynamic of conversion*

ABBA!



*Lead us all
to the gratuity love,
to new life in Christ*

ABBA!



*Carried by the breath
of the Spirit.*

ABBA!



DEI
AMORIS
CANTORES

J'ESPÈRE EN SILENCE

ABBA!

*And let us all return to Thee
in faith in Jesus*

victor over evil and death.

ABBA!

Our Father in our own languages