Thursday 30th September 2021

Ps.130,3: "If you, LORD, kept a record of sins, Lord, who could stand?"

2Cor.5,19: "God was reconciling the world to himself in Christ, not counting people's sins against them. And he has committed to us the message of reconciliation."

'Iniquities are matters which are not according to equity: what a multitude we have of these! God, who sees it all and is also Lord, will assuredly bring us into judgment concerning those thoughts, and words, and works which are not in exact conformity to his law. Were it not for the Lord Jesus, could we hope to stand? Dare we meet him in the dread day of account in the footing of law and equity? What a mercy it is that we need not do so, for the next verse sets forth another way of acceptance to which we flee. Verse 4, "But there is forgiveness with you.""

(ChSpurgeon, Treasury of David)