

Mercy... A Double Blessing

A curious, hungry porcupine
Poked his head inside a can,
Which had been tossed beside the road
By a very careless man.

It was nice to sniff the good smell,
And his head slipped in with ease,
But when he wanted to back out,
He was stuck in a too-tight squeeze!
A kind lady driving along the road
Saw the porcupine's terrible state.
Although she thought of his prickly quills,
She helped him before too late.
She tugged... he pulled, then tumbled free,
And with a grateful glance, waddled away.
The merciful deed of this lady
Saved porcupine's life that day!

When we were
"stuck" in sin,
God sent
His Son
to save us...
"according
to His mercy."
Titus 3:5

"Blessed
are the
merciful:
for they
shall obtain
mercy."
Matthew 5:7

"A merciful man doeth good to his own soul: but he that is
cruel troubleth his own flesh." Proverbs 11:17

"He that followeth after righteousness and mercy findeth
life, righteousness, and honour." Proverbs 21:21



How easy it is to slip into sin...
How hard it is to get out again!