

# merciful *(mer-ci-ful)*

## Definition

adj. showing kindness or forgiveness to others.

## Example Sentence

The boss was very **merciful** when Bob messed up on the job.

## More Example Sentences

She was **merciful** and forgave her friend.

## Synonyms

compassionate; kind; forgiving

## Antonyms

cruel; harsh; unforgiving

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