

Romans 3:20 to 5:2 Terminology

Term #1a – Faith (20 times)

What we trust in or believe in.

Term #1b – Believe (7 times)

What we trust in or believe in. The same root word as faith.

Term #2a – Righteousness (12 times)

“To be righteous” or “to be right” or “to be in a right standing with God”.

Term #2b – Justify or Justified or Justifier or Justification (9 times)

This is the same word as “righteous” above, but in the verb form.

In other words, it is the act of God making a person right or righteous.

Term #3 – Imputed or Accounted or Counted (12 times)

“To put...” or “to reckon/credit...” “...something to a person’s account”.

Term #4 – Redemption (1 time)

“To release something or someone through a payment.” Or, “to liberate through the payment of a ransom”.

Term #5 – Propitiation (1 time)

An elusive meaning. But it carries the concept of a person who makes payment or gives compensation for a wrong committed.