INTRODUCTION TO SOTERIOLOGY

1. Soteriology refers to the doctrine of _____.

2. "The Father carried out this plan by sending the _____ to accomplish redemption for those He has chosen, and then by sending the _____ to apply redemption to those He had chosen." (MacArthur, pg. 265)

3. Why does God save anyone? He does so for His own purposes, according to His own _____, for His own glory.

4. "The distinctive teaching of biblical Christianity is that God himself has made full _____ for sinners." (MacArthur, pg. 266)

5. When you hear the word "atonement" think: _____, because that is the true theological sense of the word.

6. Christ fulfilled the Father's plan for Salvation through _____ Substitutionary Atonement.

7. Speaking of Christ's substitutionary sacrifice, Paul tells us in 1 Corinthians 5:7, "Christ our _____ also has been sacrificed."

8. "Propitiation" refers to the fact that Christ's suffering and death satisfied the _____ of God (Isa 53:10-11; Rom 3:25; 1 Jn 4:10).

9. "Expiation" refers to the _____ or putting away of sin (Col 2:14; 1 Jn 3:5). Both Expiation and Propitiation were accomplished by Christ.

10. Christ not only died for the forgiveness of our sins, but the ultimate reason was to _____ us to God (Rom 5:10; Col 1:21-22; 1 Pet 3:18).

11. Both Ephesians 4:32 and Colossians 3:13 tell us that we are to forgive each other _____ ____ God has forgiven us in Christ. So, we much pursue reconciliation whenever that is possible.

12. "Redemption" means to get something back as part of an exchange or _____.

13. "Christ redeems sinners from the curse of the Law, from the penalty and power of sin, and eventually from the _____ of sin." (MacArthur, pg. 273)

14. The word "ransom" in Matthew 20:28 refers to a price paid to free a person from debt, captivity, or _____. In relation to sin, Christ rescued us from all three of those things.

15. Christ's death was not a ransom paid to Satan. Rather, it was an act of _____ against him (John 12:31-32; Hebrews 2:14-15; 1 John 3:8).

Revelation 5:9

And they sang a new song, saying, "Worthy are You to take the book and to break its seals; for You were slain, and purchased for God with Your blood men from every tribe and tongue and people and nation.