

1. In the Gospel of Mark, Jesus is identified as the \_\_\_\_\_ of God, possessing the authority to teach, heal, and forgive sins.
2. Mark provides evidence of Jesus' divinity by showing He has the authority to perform miracles and, most significantly, to \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Jesus' primary mission on earth was to \_\_\_\_\_ rebels from the danger of facing God's judgment.
4. A supernatural darkness fell over the land during the crucifixion, lasting for \_\_\_\_\_ minutes.
5. This darkness is significant because, in a Biblical context, it serves as a sign of God's \_\_\_\_\_ and judgment.
6. The sources describe God's anger as a settled, controlled, and personal \_\_\_\_\_ toward all that is wrong and unjust.
7. While the cross involved physical pain, Jesus' cry of "Eloi, Eloi, lema sabachthani?" expressed his \_\_\_\_\_ agony.
8. By using the formal word " \_\_\_\_\_ " instead of the intimate "Abba," Jesus indicated a loss of warmth and intimacy in His relationship with God.
9. Although Jesus lived a sinless life, He allowed Himself to be punished as a \_\_\_\_\_ for others.
10. Jesus described His death as a \_\_\_\_\_ for many, meaning He paid the price to free people from the consequences of their rebellion.
11. At the moment Jesus died, the curtain of the temple was torn in two from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_.
12. The temple curtain was a massive barrier, standing \_\_\_\_\_ feet high and several inches thick.
13. The tearing of this curtain symbolized that the way is now \_\_\_\_\_ for people to approach God.
14. The reaction of the soldiers is characterized as \_\_\_\_\_ because they were more concerned with Jesus' clothes than the significance of His death.
15. Pontius Pilate's reaction is described as \_\_\_\_\_ because he handed over an innocent man just to satisfy the crowd.
16. The bystander who wanted to see if Elijah would perform a miracle demonstrated \_\_\_\_\_, treating the crucifixion like a show.
17. After witnessing how Jesus died, the Roman \_\_\_\_\_ declared, "Truly this man was the Son of God!".

## **Answer Key**

1. **Son**
2. **forgive sin**
3. **rescue**
4. **180**
5. **anger**
6. **hostility**
7. **spiritual**
8. **Eloi**
9. **substitute**
10. **ransom**
11. **top; bottom**
12. **thirty**
13. **open**
14. **busyness**
15. **cowardice**
16. **detachment**
17. **centurion**

What were the five evidences that Jesus is God?

Explain the reactions of the religious leaders and Pilate.

How does the centurion's reaction differ from the soldiers?