



Group Discussion and Application

- Review the definitions of these words from today's study:
Redeem
Trespass
Forgive
Mystery
- God has forgiven *according to the riches of his grace*. Illustrate the difference between giving something "according to" vs. "out of".
- How did you feel when you realized your sins were forgiven?
- In Christ we have been freed from slavery to sin. What does it mean to be freed from the guilt, penalty, and power of sin?
- Explain the content of the mystery of God's will (vv. 9-10).
- If a believer's sins (past, present, and future) have already been forgiven, why should he confess them (1Jn 1:9)?
- Explain why it was necessary for Jesus to be both fully God and fully man in order to redeem us.
- Locate some Scriptures that talk about the price paid for our redemption.



Personal Reflection and Response

- Spend some time reflecting on what it means to be forgiven. Rejoice!
- Memorize 1Peter 1:18-19.
- For further study, read John Murray's *Redemption Accomplished and Applied* (Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 1955).



Family Homework

- Discuss question #1 above (Group Discussion and Application).
- Define "grace" and give some examples.
- What are some of your favorite songs about our redemption and redeemer? Sing these together as a family.



In Him... We are Redeemed

Ephesians 1:7-12

Four actions of God show that our redemption is completely of Him:

1 Our redemption was _____ by God.

2 Our redemption was _____ by God.

3 Our redemption was _____ by God.

4 Our redemption was _____ by God.