

The Gospel of the King

A Different Kind of King

Mark 8:31-33 (ESV)

Context – The Great Confession: “_____”. (Mark 8:29)

“The Christ” =

The cost of Messiahship – An essential word: “_____” (v. 31)

Jesus *must* _____

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Why?

Penal Substitutionary Atonement and the heart of the Gospel ...

9 Rationales for Penal Substitutionary Atonement: (from J.I. Packer)

- 1) God _____ nothing, but _____ all sin as it deserves.
- 2) My sins merit ultimate penal suffering and rejection from God’s presence and _____ can blot them out.
- 3) The penalty due to me for my sins, whatever it was, _____ by Jesus Christ, the Son of God, in his death on the cross.
- 4) Because this is so, I through _____ am made ‘the righteousness of God in him’.
- 5) _____ is my sole ground of hope before God.
- 6) _____ is God’s own gift to me, given in virtue of Christ’s death for me.
- 7) Christ’s death for me guarantees my preservation to _____.
- 8) Christ’s death for me is the measure and pledge of the _____ to me.
- 9) Christ’s death for me calls and constrains me to _____, to _____, to _____ and to _____.

My response and the true cost of discipleship:

Mark 8:34-9:1 (ESV)

_____ myself.

This means I ...

_____ my cross.

This means I ...

_____ Jesus.

This means I ...