Gospel Terminology

Justification - an instantaneous act by God, who legally	Romans 4:24-5:1,
declares a person's righteous (just) standing before Him	Gal. 2:16, Rom.
based on the Work of Christ.	3:26-38, Rom. 8:33-
	34
Propitiation - the exhausting of God's holy wrath by the	Hebrews 2:17, I
worthy sacrifice of Jesus changing God's attitude toward us.	John 2:2, 4:10, Rom.
	3:25
Atonement - The Work that Christ did in His life and Death to	Heb. 9:23-26, Luke
earn our pardon and salvation	24:25-27, Phil. 3:9
Penal Substitution - In our place Christ bore the just	Rom. 5:6-8, John
punishment that was due us because of our sins	19:30
Redemption - Christ paying the price for our freedom from	I Peter 1:18-19,
bondage to sin, death, and Satan (the purchasing of a slave)	Mark 10:45
	(Ransom)
Adoption - the transaction whereby we receive all the rights	John 1:12, Eph. 1:5,
and privileges of being God's children, placed into His family.	Rom. 8:14-17, Gal.
	3:23-26, I John 3:1-
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Imputation - the giving/placing of righteousness on my	Rom. 3:4-6, Rom.
account from Christ' account	5:17, Phil. 3:9, I Cor.
	1:30
Regeneration - The miraculous act of God where new life is	James 1:18, I Pet.
placed in the believer – called "being born again."	1:3, John 3:3-8, Ez.
	36:26-27
Reconciliation - The process where man and God are brought	II Cor. 5:18-19,
back into a relationship (ultimately it's the reconciliation of	Rom. 5:9-11
God's love and His anger)	
Sanctification - the synergistic and progressive process of one	I Cor. 6:11, Rom.
becoming more like Jesus in their lives	6:11-18, Col. 3:1-3,
	Eph. 4, I Pet. 1:15,
	Phil. 2:12-13
Glorification - the instantaneous transformation of ones	Rom. 8:17, 30, I Cor.
mortal and physical fallen being into an immortal un-fallen	15:51-52, Rom.
being	8:11, Heb. 11:10-16
Indwelling Spirit - The very Spirit of God living within the	Rom. 5:5, Rom 8,
believer/ residing/ abiding with his spirit	Gal. 5
Indwelling Sin - The reality of a believers state as thoroughly	Rom. 5:12-21, Rom.
sinful with the remaining flesh that cannot serve God	8:7, Rom. 7:14-25