

# **Heidelberg Catechism**

## **LORD'S DAY 13**

Question 33. Why is Christ called the only begotten Son of God, since we are also the children of God?

**Answer.** Because Christ alone is the eternal and natural Son of [a] God; but we are children [b] adopted of God, by grace, for his sake.

Question 34. Wherefore callest thou him our Lord?

**Answer.** Because he hath redeemed us, both soul and body, from all our sins, not with gold or silver, [c] but with his precious blood, and hath delivered us from all the power of the devil; and thus hath made us his own property.

[a]: John 1:1; Heb. 1:2

[b]: Rom. 8:15,16,17; Eph. 1:5,6

[c]: 1Pet. 1:18,19; 1Cor. 6:20

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### Vocabulary

Please define the following words/terms in the context of the Heidelberg Catechism, Lord's Day 13:

Begotten: \_\_\_\_\_

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Natural: \_\_\_\_\_

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Adopted: \_\_\_\_\_

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Redeem/Redeemed: \_\_\_\_\_

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Precious blood: \_\_\_\_\_

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Delivered: \_\_\_\_\_

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Property: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Scripture Reading/Comprehension**

Please read the following Bible passages and answer the questions:

1. John 1:1

Who is the Word?

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2. Eph. 1:5,6

What does it mean to be adopted by God? Do we receive any benefits or privileges because of this? Please explain.

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3. Rom. 8:15,16,17

Please summarize the key points contained in these verses:

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4. 1 Pet. 1:18,19

Who redeemed us “from the empty way of life handed down to you from your forefathers”? How was this accomplished? Please explain.

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