The sufferings of our Savior were designed to display the glory of God as the moral ruler of the universe.

*William Jay*

"Reconciliation" in the New Testament sense is not something which we accomplish when we lay aside our enmity to God; it is something which God accomplished when in the death of Christ he put away everything that on his side meant estrangement.

*James Denny*

Great is the gospel of our glorious God,  
Where mercy met the anger of God's rod;  
A penalty was paid and pardon bought,  
And sinners lost at last to him were brought.

*W. Vernon Higham*

To deny the necessity of the atonement is to deny the existence of a real moral order.

*J. Gresham Machen*

Christ discharged the debt of sin. He bore our sins and purged them. He did not make a token payment which God accepts in place of the whole. Our debts are not canceled; they are liquidated.

*John Murray*

What is offered to men in the gospel? It is not the possibility of salvation, not simply the opportunity of salvation. What is offered is salvation.

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