Due: April 20, 2011 Name: _____

Worksheet 23 - What's God's forgiveness all about

(Questions 251-257 pp. 209-214)

1. How does God forgive sins? (Q. 251)

2. What did Jesus do for guilty sinners so that God declared guilty sinners righteous? (Q 252)

3. Write a passage that shows that God declared all people righteous. (Q 253)

4. If people try to earn righteousness before God by their own works, will God justify them and declare them righteous? (Q 254) (Yes / No)
5. Rather than trusting our own righteousness, what does the faith, which the Holy Spirit works in us, trust in? (Q 255)

6. Why can you be certain that God forgives you? (Q 256)

7. Write a passage that teaches us that God's forgiveness brings us peace and rest for our souls every day. (Q 257a)

8. Write a passage that teaches us that God's forgiveness assures us of eternal life (Q 257b)

Home discussion: Discuss how knowing that your sins are forgiven by God helps you make it through the day.