A Reconciling Spirit

Matthew 5:9 Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called sons of God.

I. What Does It Mean to Be a Peacemaker?

A. Meaning of the word.

- 1. In this scripture passage = _____.
- 2. The word Jesus used = _____.

B. What are peacemakers?

- 1. Those who are used to bring about a D______ solution.
- 2. Those who establish good R______.
 Romans 14:19; I Thessalonians 5:13;
 Ephesians 4:3 & Philippians 4:2.
- 3. Those who strive to make the world a better place to live in.

4. Those who have made peace with G______.

II. What Does It Mean to be Called the Sons of God?

A. What does the phrase "son of" mean?

1. In identification with family.

2. In relationship with abstract nouns – Acts 4:36-37.

B. God is known as a P_____

- I Corinthians 14:33; Romans 15:33; II Corinthians 13:11; I Thessalonians 5:23 & Hebrews 13:20.

C. So – "Sons of God" means that peacemakers are:

1. Doing ______.

2. Identified ______.

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