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2. Sin Collides with Grace

"Today you will be with me in paradise" - Luke 23:43

3. Pain Collides with Comfort

"Jesus said to his mother, 'Dear woman, here is your son,' and to the disciple 'Here is your mother'" - John 19:26,27

4. God's Infinite Wrath Collides with the Sacrifice of His Infinite Son

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- At the cross we see that our sin debt created a _____ and required a _____. (Isaiah 53:6)
- At the cross we see that Jesus was _____ so that we never have to be. (Galatians 3:13)

5. Doubt Collides with Reality

Later, knowing that all was now completed, and so that the Scripture would be fulfilled, Jesus said, "I am thirsty." - John 19:28

- At the cross we see that Christ's sacrifice has been _____ since the foundation of the world. (Psalm 22:14-18 and Psalm 69:21b)
- At the cross we see that God and His Word are _____. (Numbers 23:19)
- At the cross we see the _____ of Christ. (Ephesians 2:14-15)
- At the cross we see that a _____ with the _____ is the only source for our thirsty souls.

6. Debt Collides with Payment

When he had received the drink, Jesus said, "It is finished." With that, he bowed his head and gave up his spirit. - John 19:30

- At the cross we see that the sacrificial system is _____, the payment for sin is _____, and Satan is _____ of his power. (Hebrews 9:23-26, I Corinthians 6:19-20, and Hebrews 2:14-15)
- At the cross we see that God now sees us through the lens of the Son's _____.

7. Death Collides with Eternal Life

Jesus called out with a loud voice, "Father, into your hands I commit my spirit." When he had said this, he breathed his last. - Luke 23:46

- At the cross we see Jesus _____ completely in the Father.

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