A. The most important issue that must be settled in every person’s life is: _____ is the ______.

B. Today, we want to explore the name Adonai, which means “________.”
   1. We need to make an important distinction here – sometimes the word Lord appears either as all capitals “LORD” or with a capital L and the rest of the word in small letters “Lord.”
   2. Where it is “LORD” in all capital letters, that is the word __________.
   3. Where it is “Lord,” that is the word __________.

C. The word “Adonai” appears over ______ times in the Old Testament.

D. The New Testament equivalent of Adonai is __________.

E. Adonai is first used by __________ in Genesis _____.
   1. By using this term master (Adonai) for God, Abram was acknowledging that, despite being a master (Adon) over many things himself, Abraham served a greater Master – YHWH was his Adonai – his Lord and Master.

F. When we recognize that God is our Lord, then He is Lord of all we _____, Lord of all we _____, and Lord of all we _____.

G. We must not underestimate the importance of this _____ and our recognition of it.

H. Jesus is described as being “Savior” ______ times in the New Testament, but He is referred to as “Lord” around ______ times.

I. In Matthew 7, as Jesus was coming to the end of his sermon on the mountain, He finished off with some teaching on ______________.

J. The key to acceptance before God is __________ the ________ of God.
   1. The key is recognizing that God is the ________ and then ________ like it.

K. In Matthew 7, Jesus went onto talk about two _____ - Let’s call them Bob #1 and Bob #2 – because they were ____________.
   1. Let’s notice their similarities:
      a. First, they both __________ __________.
      b. Second, they both had done some __________ __________.
   2. The difference between the two builders is what is at the core—the ____________.

L. We all know what happens when the foundation of a building is lacking - the whole structure is threatened - the __________ __________ of ______ is an example of this.

M. The only foundation that will stand the storms of life and the storm of God’s judgment is a foundation built on the __________ of __________.
   1. Jesus must be our __________ and we must do His __________.

N. When God is truly our Adonai, our Master, then two things become reality: ____________ and ____________.

O. I hope we can view the Lordship of God as a great ____________, rather than some kind of oppressive ____________.

P. “Blessed are the people whose God is the LORD.” (Ps. 144:15)