As you read, identify one thing you disagree with theologically and one thing that allows you to see something in a new way (or just something you like).

According to Oswalt, what was the intermediate and ultimate goal of Jesus' death?

Messianic prophecies—where do they appear in the Bible? Is that problematic? Why or why not?

According to Oswalt, what is the human pattern for relating to God in both Old and New Testaments?

Summarize briefly Oswalt's understanding of Paul's writings on sin.