



The Crucifixion of The Christ

Mark 15:16-47

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EASY WARM-UP QUESTIONS

1. If you were going on a spiritual retreat, what three things would you take (besides your Bible)?
2. If you could ask Jesus to fix one problem in the world today, what would it be?

JESUS IS MOCKED 15:16-20

1. As you read how Jesus was beaten and mocked, also read and consider Isaiah 52:14 and Isaiah 53:7.
2. What do the actions of the soldiers and these descriptions of Jesus help you to understand about those who were beating and mocking Him?
3. What do these descriptions help you to understand about Jesus?
4. What does this (answer to #3) mean to you personally?

JESUS IS CRUCIFIED 15:21-41

1. The Executor Mortis was in command of a:
 - a. Quanta
 - b. Quaternion
 - c. Quartet
 - d. Quatrain
2. What are two things from the crucifixion procedure which stand out to you?
3. In today's study of Mark's crucifixion account is there anything new which stands out to you (or makes a greater impression on you) concerning the soldiers? The crowd? The Sanhedrin? The followers of Jesus? Jesus Himself?
4. What is the significance of the temple curtain being torn (15:38)? What does this mean to you personally?
5. What is the significance of the Centurion's statement in verse 39? What does this mean to you personally?

JESUS IS BURIED 15:42-47

1. Why was it important for Pilate to ensure that Jesus was actually dead? (CAUTION = There may be more than one answer.)
2. Why was it important for the Centurion to ensure that Jesus was actually dead? (CAUTION = There may be more than one answer.)
3. Why is it important for you to know that Jesus is actually dead?

PROCESSING ALL THAT

1. These days, what does it mean for you to know that Jesus died for you? (Consider also 1 Peter 2:22-24)
2. These days, what does it mean for you to know that Jesus died for you because He loves you? (Consider also John 15:13,14a)

BONUS QUESTION

1. This week, what difference will what we've looked at in this study make in how you "do life"?