



DAY 3: JESUS WAS CRUCIFIED AND BURIED

(Crucifixion - Burial)

Mark 15:20-46

NOTE: WHEN YOU SEE TYPING IN "CAPS" LIKE THIS, MAKE SURE YOU ARE DRAWING ON THE SKETCH BOARD AS YOU TEACH

INTRODUCTION: Today's lesson tells us about the most important event in human history. Your decision about this event will determine whether you spend eternity in Heaven or Hell.

During your sketching preparation time, lightly pencil in the body of Christ and the cross, if you need to. Make sure that only you can see the pencil marks.

(START PAINTING IN THE BODY AND CROSS AS IT WILL TAKE AWHILE)

A.) Jesus is crucified

- 1.) A man is taken from the crowd because of Jesus' weakened condition
- 2.) Gave Jesus myrrh to drink to deaden pain but He would not take it
- 3.) The cross was placed in an upright position after nailing
 - Show Moses' serpent on a pole picture and read John 3:14
- 4.) The soldiers gambled for Jesus' clothing
 - Ps 22:16--His hands and feet were pierced
 - Ps 22:18--His clothing was gambled for
- 5.) A sign was placed above the cross indicating the person's crime so that others would fear the same punishment. Pilate said, "I find no fault in Him." Pilate has signed made that said, "**KING OF THE JEWS**" and nailed it to the top of the cross
 - What sins would be written above your name?
 - These were the sins that were really listed that God would have seen
 - Jesus was dying for my sins

(DRAW IN TWO CROSSES)

- 6.) Jesus was crucified between two thieves -- Is 53:12 prophesied this
- 7.) Jesus was mocked by the thieves, passerby, and religious leaders Ps 22:6-8 prophesied this

B.) The Bible is God's letter to us

This event is the heart of the letter

- 1.) Jesus is holy and righteous deserving Heaven
- 2.) I am a sinner deserving death and Hell
- 3.) Jesus took my place on the cross and became separated from His Father
- 4.) From noon to 3 it was dark. Why? Jesus said, "My God, My God, why have You forsaken Me?"

C.) "It is finished"

- What is finished?
- What had Jesus accomplished?
- Sin was now paid for and the gift of salvation (Heaven) is now available to all who will
- Draw: **REPENT**-- agree with God about their sins
- Draw: **BELIEVE**-- in the death of Jesus as payment
- This fulfilled the promise God made in the Garden
- Draw: Adam and Eve in fig leaves
- Sin and Satan are defeated

D.) The veil (curtain) of the temple is torn--Lev 16:12-16

- 1.) Remember the tabernacle and the Day of Atonement
- 2.) A veil separated the priest from God's mercy
- 3.) The priest could go in the Most Holy Place only once a year with the blood of a lamb
- 4.) The curtain remained because animal blood cannot pay for sin
- 5.) The blood of Jesus cleansed from all sin so the veil is torn

(DRAW IN PRIEST, THE MERCY SEAT AND TORN CURTAIN)

E.) The Centurion believes -- (DRAW IN CENTURION)

- "Truly this was the Son of God"
- He was in charge of 100 Roman soldiers

F.) Jesus is buried in Joseph of Arimathea's grave (DRAW IN GRAVE)

- Joseph was a rich religious leader
- Is 53:9 -- Prophesied this would happen

Conclusion:

- Jesus cannot stay dead if death is to be defeated
- Tomorrow we will spend time looking at the meaning of Jesus' death from the Old Testament

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