

GOOD FRIDAY *of* PASSION WEEK 2025

THE EXAMINATION OF THE PROMISED MESSIAH. THE FULFILLMENT OF THE PROPHETIC SCRIPTURES.
THE RESPONSIBILITY FOR ALL TO BELIEVE.

John 19:17-42

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THE TITLE OF THE MESSAGE:

**LIVE:
THE SON OF GOD - ON DISPLAY !**

The Revelation, Offering of Jesus Christ as King of Israel, Savior of the World

SUBJECT TOPICALLY REFERENCED UNDER:

Passion Week, Good Friday, Dedication, Devotion, Sacrifice, The Will of God.

ON THIS DAY *of* PASSION WEEK 2025

SUBJECT TOPICALLY REFERENCED UNDER:

His 1st Coming, Good Friday, Prophecy, King.

The Theme and Textual Summation of the Passage

John 19:17-42

And He, bearing His cross, went out to a place called "The Place of a Skull", which is called in Hebrew, Golgotha, **18** where they crucified Him, and two others with Him, one on either side, and Jesus in the center. **19** Now Pilate wrote a title and put it on the cross. And the writing was: JESUS OF NAZARETH, THE KING OF THE JEWS. **20** Then many of the Jews read this title, for the place where Jesus was crucified was near the city; and it was written in Hebrew, Greek, and Latin. **:21** Therefore the chief priests of the Jews said to Pilate, "**Do not write, 'The King of the Jews,' but, 'He said, 'I am the King of the Jews.' ' ' :22** Pilate answered, "**What I have written, I have written.**" **:23** Then the soldiers, when they had crucified Jesus, took His garments and made four parts, to each soldier a part, and also the tunic. Now the tunic was without seam, woven from the top in one piece. **24** They said therefore among themselves, "**Let us not tear it, but cast lots for it, whose it**

shall be," that **the Scripture** might be fulfilled which says: *"They divided My garments among them, And for My clothing they cast lots."* Therefore, the soldiers did these things. **25** Now there stood by the cross of Jesus His mother, and His mother's sister, Mary the wife of Clopas, and Mary Magdalene. **26** When Jesus therefore saw His mother, and the disciple whom He loved standing by, He said to His mother, **"Woman, behold your son!"** **27** Then He said to the disciple, **"Behold your mother!"** And from that hour that disciple took her to his own home. **28** After this, Jesus, knowing that all things were now accomplished, that the Scripture might be fulfilled, said, **"I thirst!"** **29** Now a vessel full of sour wine was sitting there; and they filled a sponge with sour wine, put it on hyssop, and put it to His mouth. **30** So when Jesus had received the sour wine, He said, **"It is finished!"** And bowing His head, He gave up His spirit. **31** Therefore, because it was the Preparation Day, that the bodies should not remain on the cross on the Sabbath (for that Sabbath was a high day), the Jews asked Pilate that their legs might be broken, and that they might be taken away. **32** Then the soldiers came and broke the legs of the first and of the other who was crucified with Him. **33** But when they came to Jesus and saw that He was already dead, they did not break His legs. **34** But one of the soldiers pierced His side with a spear, and immediately blood and water came out. **35** And he who has seen has testified, and his testimony is true; and he knows that he is telling the truth, so that you may believe. **36** For these things were done that the Scripture should be fulfilled, *"Not one of His bones shall be broken."* **37** And again another Scripture says, *"They shall look on Him whom they pierced."* **38** After this, Joseph of Arimathea, being a disciple of Jesus, but secretly, for fear of the Jews, asked Pilate that he might take away the body of Jesus; and Pilate gave him permission. So he came and took the body of Jesus. **39** And Nicodemus, who at first came to Jesus by night, also came, bringing a mixture of myrrh and aloes, about a hundred pounds. **40** Then they took the body of Jesus, and bound it in strips of linen with the spices, as the custom of the Jews is to bury. **41** Now in the place where He was crucified there was a garden, and in the garden a new tomb in which no one had yet been laid. **42** So there they laid Jesus, because of the Jews' Preparation Day, for the tomb was nearby.

This past Wednesday night we talked about the significance of the Passover lamb,

and how God, from the beginning, communicated to us that the forgiveness of sins could only be accomplished based upon the life of the Innocent...

...being spent, offered or sacrificed so as to make atonement, to settle humanity's payment owed to God for our sins and for the guilt of us all.

The Hour Had Come - - - This is God's Friday.

"THE SON OF GOD - ON DISPLAY"

What a Powerful Reality.

2 Corinthians 5:19

God was in Christ reconciling the world to Himself,
no longer (keeping account) imputing their trespasses to them.

Revelation 1:4c-5 NIV

Grace and peace to you from Him Who is, and Who was, and Who is to come, and from the seven spirits before His throne, **5** and from Jesus Christ, Who is the Faithful Witness, the Firstborn from the dead, and the Ruler of the kings of the earth. To him Who **loves us** and has **freed us from our sins by his blood.**

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It was the time of Passover in Jerusalem.

We know from the historical writings of men like Flavius Josephus, who wrote that the population of the city had swollen to nearly 2.5 million pilgrims, Jews coming to celebrate Passover.

This would mean that all of the surrounding hills

and valleys refilled with makeshift tents and portable dwellings for the pilgrims that come to celebrate the Passover feast.

Everything had been made ready.

All of the pieces of God's word were now set in place. Israel, as a nation - was under the heel of Roman occupation.

The Jewish people would soon discover that they had arrived at a God-Ordained Junction...

Jeremiah 31:31-33

“Behold, the days are coming, says the LORD, when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and with the house of Judah - **32** not according to the covenant that I made with their fathers in the day that I took them by the hand to lead them out of the land of Egypt, My covenant which they broke, though I was a husband to them, says the LORD. **33** But this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, says the LORD: I will put My law in their minds, and write it on their hearts; and I will be their God, and they shall be My people.

Abraham, Isaac, & The Lamb

1 Corinthians 5:7b

For indeed Christ Jesus is our Passover, who was sacrificed for us.

Revelation 1:17-18

And when I (John) saw Him (Jesus), I fell at His feet as dead. But He laid His right hand on me, saying to me, *“Do not be afraid; I am the First and the Last. 18 I am He who lives, and was dead, and behold, I am alive forevermore. Amen. And I have the keys of Hades and of Death.”*

Revelation 2:8

“And to the angel of the church in Smyrna write, ‘These things says the First and the Last, who was dead, and came to life:

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#1

From The Cross Jesus Says...

“Father, forgive them, for they do not know what they do.”

Luke 23:34a

Then Jesus said, “Father, forgive them, for they do not know what they do.”

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#2

From The Cross Jesus Says...

“Today you will be with Me in Paradise.”

Luke 23:43

And Jesus said to him, “Assuredly, I say to you,
today you will be with Me in Paradise.”

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#3

From The Cross Jesus Says...

“Woman, behold your son! – Behold your mother”

John 19:26-27

When Jesus therefore saw His mother, and the disciple whom He loved standing by, He said to His mother, “Woman, behold your son! (John)” 27 Then He said to {the} disciple, “Behold your mother!” And from that hour that disciple (John) took her to his own home.

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#4

From The Cross Jesus Says...

“My God, My God, Why have You forsaken me?”

Matthew 27:46

And about the ninth hour Jesus cried out with a loud voice,
saying, “Eli, Eli, lama sabachthani?” that is,
“My God, My God, why have You forsaken Me?” **(Psalm 22:1)**

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#5

From The Cross Jesus Says...

“I thirst!”

John 19:28

After this, Jesus, knowing that all things were now accomplished, that the Scripture might be fulfilled, said, **“I thirst!”**

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#6

From The Cross Jesus Says...

“It Is Finished!”

John 19:30

So when Jesus had received the sour wine, He said, **“It is finished!”**
And bowing His head, He **gave up** His spirit.

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#7

From The Cross Jesus Says...

“Father, Into Your Hands I Commit My Spirit!””

Luke 23:44-46

Now it was about the sixth hour, and there was darkness over all the earth until the ninth hour. **45** Then the sun was darkened, and the veil of the temple was torn in two.

46 And when Jesus had cried out with a loud voice, He said, **“Father, ‘into Your hands I commit My spirit.’”**

Having said this, He breathed His last.

End of Study

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