

The Story of Jesus

(Lesson 13)

Introduction:

1. To help us grow in the knowledge of Christ (2 Peter 3:18), we are studying Scriptures that reveal "The Story of Jesus" (John 5:39).
2. After Jesus was betrayed and arrested, He was tried before Annas, Caiaphas, Pilate and Herod [at the second trial before Pilate, Jesus was delivered to be crucified].
3. This lesson is a study of "Jesus' crucifixion."
4. The complete details are recorded in Matthew 27:31-50; Mark 15:20-37; Luke 23:26-46; and John 19:16-37.
5. Following His trials, . . .

Discussion:

I. JESUS WAS TAKEN TO GOLGOTHA

- A. According to John 19:17, Jesus carried His cross as He began His journey to Golgotha, the place of execution.
- B. Eventually, Simon carried Jesus' cross (Luke 23:26).
- C. Golgotha [the place of a skull] is also called "*Calvary*" (Luke 23:33).
- D. "*A great company of people*" followed Jesus (Luke 23:27).
- E. When Jesus arrived at Golgotha He was offered something to drink [*"wine mingled with myrrh"*], but He refused it (Mark 15:23).
- F. After arriving at Golgotha, . . .

II. JESUS WAS CRUCIFIED

- A. Jesus was crucified at "*the third hour*" (Mark 15:25).
- B. Jesus was crucified between 2 thieves (Mark 15:27-28).
- C. Jesus' accusation was fastened to the cross (John 19:19-22).

III. WHILE JESUS WAS ON THE CROSS,:

- A. The soldiers parted His garments (John 19:23-24).
- B. He was mocked (Matthew 27:39-44).
- C. He asked the Father to forgive those who crucified Him (Luke 23:34).
- D. He had an exchange with the thieves (Luke 23:39-43).
- E. He committed the care of His mother to John (John 19:25-27).
- F. After being on the cross for about 6 hours, . . .

IV. JESUS DIED

- A. He died about the 9th hour (Matthew 27:46-50; Luke 23:46; John 19:30).
- B. A soldier pierced His side with a spear (John 19:31-37).