

## The Last Week Of Jesus' Life

### The Resurrection

1 Corinthians 15:1-19

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## The Conclusion

- **Matthew 27:54**, “*Now the centurion, and they that were with him watching Jesus, when they saw the earthquake, and the things that were done, feared exceedingly, saying, Truly this was the Son of God.*”

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## Why The Crucifixion? Romans 3:23-26

- **To Manifest His Love For Us.** Romans 5:8
- **To Leave Us A Needed Example.** 1 Peter 2:21-24
- **To Thwart the Schemes of Satan and of the World.** Acts 2:22-24; cf. Hebrews 2:14-15
- **To Draw All Men To Himself.** John 12:32
- **To Demonstrate the Awfulness of Sin.** Romans 7:13

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## The Resurrection

- Prophesied early in His ministry. John 2:19-21
- Prophesied just before His entrance into the city. Matthew 20:18-19
- This was the fundamental message preached to the world. Acts 2, 4, 5; 10:40-41; 13:30-31; 17:3, 30-31; cf. 1 Corinthians 15:1-4, 12-20
- The apostle Paul affirms that the resurrection declares Jesus to be the Son of God with power. Romans 1:4

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## The Burial

Jesus was crucified on Friday which was the preparation day, i.e., the day before the Sabbath. cf. Mark 15:42; Luke 23:54-56

- Since this Sabbath was also during the Passover week, it was a “*high day.*” John 19:31-32
- What uninspired man could have guessed 1,000 years earlier:
  - He would be crucified and that the soldiers would “*cast lots for His coat*” (Psalms 22:18)?
  - They would give Him “*vinegar to drink*” (Psalms 69:21)?
  - That “*a bone of Him shall not be broken*” (cf. Psalms 34:20)?
  - That “*they shall look on Him whom they have pierced*” (cf. Zechariah 12:10)?

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## The Burial

**Joseph Of Arimathaea.** cf. Matthew 27:57-60; Mark 15:42-46; Luke 23:50-54; John 19:38-42

- A rich man, good, just, and who had not consented to the counsel and deed of the Jews – came to Pilate requesting the body of Jesus

**Nicodemus.** John 3:1ff; 7:45-52

- Also came bringing about 100 pounds of mixture of myrrh and aloes which were used for burial purposes.

Who would have guessed 750 B.C.

**Isaiah 53:9**, “*And they made his grave with the wicked, and with a rich man in his death*”

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## The Watch At The Sepulcher Matthew 27:62-66

### Fear of the Jews.

- Matthew 27:63, “*We remember that that deceiver said while he was yet alive, After three days I rise again.*”  
(cf. John 2:19)
- Matthew 27:64 – Afraid the disciples would steal the body.
- Tomb sealed and guarded. Matthew 27:66

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