

SEVEN LAST Words

Luke 23:33-34 Father, forgive them for they do not know what they're doing

- ↳ Jesus knew He is doing the Father's will
- ↳ Jesus had complete trust in God the Father
- ↳ Jesus defends His persecutors
- ↳ He practices what He preaches (Love others)
- ↳ Isaiah 53:12 He is outnumbered by his transgressors yet he interceded for them. (He is still praying for His transgressors.)

Luke 23:41-43 Truly, I say to you, today you shall be with Me in paradise.

- ↳ Jesus' promise is sure, personal
- ↳ We need to be humble in order to experience the eternal promise of forgiveness.
- ↳ One of the criminals humbled himself, admitted his sins, and recognized Jesus as the savior and king.
- ↳ Salvation is by Grace (Ephesians 2:8-10)
- ↳ Good works is important but won't earn yourself salvation.
- ↳ Admit you are a sinner and humble yourself

John 19:25-27 Woman, behold your son; Behold your mother!

- ↳ Jesus did not neglect His earthly responsibilities
- ↳ Luke 1:31-33 Mary, mother of Jesus, knew the essential role of Jesus when she's about to conceive Him.
- ↳ Luke 1:34-38 she knew that Jesus will be called the son of God. Nothing will be impossible to the Lord.
- ↳ Many took the risk for being put to shame, from being stoned to death, and other humiliation as she recognizes that she is a bondslave of God

Matthew 27:45-46 My God, My God, why have you forsaken me?

- ↳ the greatest pain was eternal separation from God.
- ↳ Psalm 22:1; 16-18 Messianic Psalm; Jesus is fulfilling the prophecy.
- ↳ God is Holy; when Jesus took our sins, He felt God's judgement in our behalf.

John 19:28-30 I Am thirsty

- ↳ Jesus is 100% God and 100% Man
- ↳ Hebrews 2:17 Jesus had to be like a man in order to be the perfect payment for our sins.
- ↳ Hebrews 4:14-16 Jesus is the high priest who can sympathize and can go through all the temptation yet can remain sinless.

John 19:28-30 It is Finished! (Tetelastai)

- ↳ work is done, perfect, complete, receipts paid in full, debt paid
- ↳ John 17:4 Jesus knows He is accomplishing the task God has given Him.
- ↳ Old Testament sacrifices no longer matter if we understand the most perfect sacrifice for us — Jesus' death.
- ↳ Hebrews 10:10, 12, 14 Jesus is the ONLY sacrifice that we needed.
- ↳ Hebrews 10:17 God will then say, all your sins, I will no longer remember.

Luke 23:46 Father, into your hands, I commit my spirit

- ↳ Jesus died confidently — physically
- ↳ Jesus died to fulfill prophecy — the manner of His death
- ↳ Jesus died willingly — Power over life & death
- ↳ Jesus died triumphantly — Resurrection!

* Admit you are a sinner, humble yourself, come to Jesus understand His love. He died for you in order for us to live. Accept His gift of eternal life.

