

MARK: GOSPEL TRUTH FOR A GROWING CHAOS

BUT JESUS CRIED

MARK 15:37 But Jesus Cried with a loud voice and gave up the spirit.38 And the curtain of the temple was torn in two from top to bottom.39When the centurion who stood facing Him saw that He cried out and gave up the spirit, he said, "Truly this Man was the Son of God."

MARK 15:42 Now when evening had come, because it was the Preparation Day, that is, the day before the Sabbath, 43 Joseph of Arimathea, a prominent council member, who was himself waiting for the kingdom of God, coming and taking courage, went in to Pilate and asked for the body of Jesus. 44Pilate marveled that He was already dead; and summoning the centurion, he asked him if He had been dead for some time. 45So when he found out from the centurion, he granted the body to Joseph.

John 19:33 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.

HEBREWS 2:9 But we see Jesus, who was made a little lower than the angels for the suffering of death, crowned with glory and honor; that he by the grace of God should taste death for every man.

THE DARKNESS

MARK 15:33 And when the sixth hour was come, there was darkness over the whole land until the ninth hour.

THE DARKNESS

Exopus 10:21 Then the LORD said to Moses, "Stretch out your hand toward heaven, that there may be darkness over the land of Egypt, darkness which may even be felt."22So Moses stretched out his hand toward heaven, and there was thick darkness in all the land of Egypt three days.23They did not see one another; nor did anyone rise from his place for three days. But all the children of Israel had light in their dwellings.

THE DARKNESS

LUKE 23:45 And the sun was darkened, and the veil of the temple was rent in the midst.

THE CRIES

MARK 15:34 And at the ninth hour Jesus cried with a loud voice, saying, Eloi, Eloi, lama sabachthani? which is, being interpreted, My God, my God, why hast thou forsaken me?35 And some of them that stood by, when they heard it, said, Behold, he calleth Elias.36 And one ran and filled a spunge full of vinegar, and put it on a reed, and gave him to drink, saying, Let alone; let us see whether Elias will come to take him down.37 And Jesus cried with a loud voice, and gave up the ghost.

THE CRIES

2 CORINTHIANS 5:21 For He made Him who knew no sin to be sin for us, that we might become the righteousness of God in Him.

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.

THE CRIES

ROMANS 5:6 For when we were still without strength, in due time Christ died for the ungodly. For scarcely for a righteous man will one die; yet perhaps for a good man someone would even dare to die. But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

1 CORINTHIANS 15:3 For I delivered to you first of all that which I also received: that Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures,

MARK 15:38 And the veil of the temple was rent in twain from the top to the bottom.

HEBREWS 9:11 But Christ came as High Priest of the good things to come, with the greater and more perfect tabernacle not made with hands, that is, not of this creation. 12 Not with the blood of goats and calves, but with His own blood He entered the Most Holy Place once for all, having obtained eternal redemption.

HEBREWS 10:19 Therefore, brethren, having boldness to enter the Holiest by the blood of Jesus, 20 by a new and living way which He consecrated for us, through the veil, that is, His flesh,21 and having a High Priest over the house of God,22 let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of faith, having our hearts sprinkled from an evil conscience and our bodies washed with pure water.

HEBREWS 10:14 For by one offering He has perfected forever those who are being sanctified.

1 TIMOTHY 2:5 For there is one God and one Mediator between God and men, the Man Christ Jesus, who gave Himself a ransom for all, to be testified in due time,

THE CENTURION

MARK 15:39 And when the centurion, which stood over against him, saw that he so cried out, and gave up the ghost, he said, Truly this man was the Son of God.

1 JOHN 4:15 Whoever confesses that Jesus is the Son of God, God abides in him, and he in God.

1 THESSALONIANS 4:16 For the Lord Himself will descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of an archangel, and with the trumpet of God. And the dead in Christ will rise first.