

Life Lines (128)
"Behold When the Sun's Light Fails"
Luke 23:44-49

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SCRIPTURE READING: LUKE 23:44-49

He was the Lamb of God taking away the sin of the world.

Isaiah 53:4-5

⁴ Surely he has borne our griefs and carried our sorrows; yet we esteemed him stricken, smitten by God, and afflicted. ⁵ But he was pierced for our transgressions; he was crushed for our iniquities; upon him was the chastisement that brought us peace, and with his wounds we are healed.

I. The _____ of Christ on the Cross

The First Three Hours (suffering the wrath of men)

1. Father, _____ them (offering _____)

2. Woman, _____;

He said to his disciple, behold _____ (John 19:26-27)

(offering _____)

3. To the thief with penitent faith: Truly, I say to you,

_____ you will be _____ in paradise.

(offering _____)

The Second Three Hours (suffering the wrath of God)

4. My God, My God, Why have you _____ me?

(Matthew 27:46; Mark 15:34; Psalm 22:1)

5. I _____! (John 19:28)

6. It is _____! (John 19:30)

7. _____, into Your hands I commend my spirit

(Luke 23:46; Psalm 31:5)

II. The ' _____ ' of those around the cross

Three _____ Signs

Mark 15:25 ²⁵ *And it was the third hour when they crucified him.*

1. The _____ - The Light of the _____ (v.44-45a)

2. The _____ - The Way to God's Presence
_____ (v.45b)

3. The _____ - Human Consciences _____ (v.47-49)

A. The Light of the _____ (v.44-45)

1. A sign of _____

(Amos 8:9-10; Zeph 1:15; Joel 2:30-32; Acts 2:14-21; Isaiah 60:2)

2. Jesus is experiencing the _____ of _____

(Psalm 22; Luke 22:53; John 14:30; John 12:31)

B. The Way Into God's Presence _____ (v.45b)

1. The Temple Veil is _____ in _____

(v.45b; Matthew 27:51, Mark 15:38)

2. His death removes the _____ (Hebrews 10:14, 19-22)

3. His death makes the _____

(Hebrews 9:8-12)

C. Human Consciences _____ (v.47-49)

1. The _____ (v.47)

He sees and responds with a _____ (Isaiah 53:11)

2. The _____ (v.48-49)

They see and respond with _____

Conclusion

Think of the sayings

1. Without the cross there is no _____

2. Without the cross there is no _____

3. Without the cross there is no _____

Because the Son descended into darkness to be forsaken,
suffer thirst, die providing vicarious atonement for our sins

4. He will not _____ us or _____ us (Hebrews 13:5)

5. We will never _____ (John 5:14)

6. His _____ is OUR _____. It is _____!

7. We can _____ our _____ to our _____!

John 3:36

³⁶ *Whoever believes in the Son has eternal life; whoever does not obey the Son shall not see life, but the wrath of God remains on him.*