

## John 19

1. What did Pilate and the soldiers do to Jesus according to verses 1-3?
  - a. Verses 4 and 5 seem to indicate that Pilate had two reasons for this treatment of Jesus: What were they?
  - b. What additional reason does Luke give (Luke 23:16) for Pilate chastising Jesus?
  - c. What made Pilate even “more afraid” of his involvement in Jesus’ trial?
2. Who had “the greater sin” in crucifying Jesus? Why?
3. How do we harmonize verse 17 with Luke 23:26?
4. From other Gospel accounts, what do we know about the two “others” between whom Jesus was crucified?
5. What controversy was had concerning the inscription that Pilate affixed to the cross?
  - a. What irony existed in regard to Pilate’s wording?

6. Per Roman custom, the executioners divided Jesus' garments among themselves as a type of reward. But in fulfillment of Psalm 22:18, what interesting thing did the soldiers do with Jesus' tunic?
  - a. Who typically wore a tunic like the one that Jesus wore? (Ex. 39:22 for help)
7. To whom did Jesus commit the care of His mother?
8. Why didn't the soldiers break the legs of Jesus, and what spiritually symbolic and significant thing did they do instead?
  - a. Why did the Jews want the bodies of Jesus and the thieves taken down from the cross on that same day?
  - b. What two reasons have traditionally been offered as to why the legs of crucifixion victims were broken?
9. Who claimed the body of Jesus, and what two earlier interactions did he have with, and concerning Jesus?
10. Where was Jesus buried?
11. *Thought question* - Was there any significance in the tomb being "new" (Matt. 27:60)?