



When you read the story of Jesus' execution, one exciting meditation is to focus on the people who interacted with Jesus as He died.

**B.L.U.F.** (Bottom Line Up Front): *Learn eternal lessons from the people who interacted with Jesus.*

**1. Those Who D \_\_\_\_\_ Understand v. 33a, 34b-39**

- 1) Calloused Soldiers & Criminals v. 33a, 34b, 36-39
- 2) Apostate Religionists & Their Followers v. 35

**2. Those Who D \_\_\_\_\_ Understand v. 40-43, 47**

- 1) Broken S \_\_\_\_\_ v. 40-43  
 Observe what the broken sinner realized (v. 40-41):
  - ⇒ His own sinfulness
  - ⇒ God's judgment is deserved
  - ⇒ God is to be feared
  - ⇒ Jesus can save me
 So he appealed to Jesus and heard Jesus' response...v. 43.

- 2) Shocked S \_\_\_\_\_ v. 47  
 A centurion was a commander of 100 soldiers. He was responsible for all that occurred this eventful day. What moved him at the end of the day?
  - ⇒ What he saw Lk 23:47
  - ⇒ What he heard from Jesus Mk. 15:39
  - ⇒ What he felt Mt. 27:54

He made two amazing declarations:

- ⇒ Jesus is righteous Lk 23:47
- ⇒ Jesus is God Mk 15:39; Mt 27:54



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## JESUS' CRUCIFIXION

6:00-9:00 a.m.	9:00 a.m.	9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon	12:00 noon to 3:00 p.m.
<p>Pilate washed his hands and delivered Jesus to be killed at about 6:00 a.m. (Jn. 19:14).</p> <p>Jesus is now mocked by the whole band of soldiers. Mockery consists of crown, robe, reed, mock worship, smitten with stick, spat upon, beard plucked out.</p>	<p>Jesus is led from the Praetorium, or Common Hall, to the location of crucifixion.</p> <p>Simon of Cyrene is assigned the task of helping to carry Jesus' cross.</p> <p>A group of women typically hired to wail are instructed by Jesus.</p>	<p>Jesus is nailed to the cross.</p> <p>He speaks His 1<sup>st</sup> Saying – forgiveness.</p> <p>Jesus' "crime" is nailed to the cross.</p> <p>Jesus is ridiculed by passerby's, Sanhedrin, soldiers &amp; thieves.</p> <p>2<sup>nd</sup> Saying – thief's salvation.</p> <p>3<sup>rd</sup> Saying – Care for mother.</p>	<p>4<sup>th</sup> Saying – Why?</p> <p>5<sup>th</sup> Saying – Thirsty</p> <p>6<sup>th</sup> Saying – Finished!</p> <p>7<sup>th</sup> Saying – Relinquishes life.</p> <hr/> <p><b>Phenomena:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sun Darkened</li> <li>• Temple Veil Rent</li> <li>• Earthquake</li> <li>• Graves Opened</li> </ul>
Matthew 27:27-30	Matthew 27:31-34	Matthew 27:35-44	Matthew 27:45-56
Mark 15:16-19	Mark 15:20-23	Mark 15:24-32	Mark 15:33-41
	Luke 23:26-33	Luke 23:33-43	Luke 23:44-49
	John 19:16-17	John 19:18-27	John 19:28-30