# **SERMON NOTES**

Sunday, March 24, 2013

## "<u>THE SIGNIFICANCE OF HIS DEATH</u>" (John 19:16-37)

The words "Jesus died on the cross for us" are familiar but what does this really mean? Today as we prepare our hearts for the Lord's Supper, we will explore the significance of Jesus' death at the cross – what it means and what it means for each of us.

### 1. Jesus came into the \_\_\_\_\_\_.

"You know that He appeared in order to take away sins" (1 John 3:5, NASB).

### 2. Jesus died \_\_\_\_\_

"No one can take my life from me. I sacrifice it voluntarily. For I have the authority to lay it down when I want to and also to take it up again" (John 10:18, NLT).

## 3. Jesus died as a \_\_\_\_\_

"He personally carried our sins in his body on the cross so that we can be dead to sin and live for what is right. By his wounds you are healed" (1 Peter 2:24, NLT).

#### 4. Jesus died \_\_\_\_\_

"Christ suffered for our sins once for all time. He never sinned, but he died for sinners to bring you safely home to God" (1 Peter 3:18, NLT).

5. The Death of Jesus was \_\_\_\_\_

"Thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ" (1 Corinthians 15:57, NASB).

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#### **1.** Jesus came into the world to die.

"And according to the Law, one may almost say, all things are cleansed with blood, and without shedding of blood there is no forgiveness" (Hebrews 9:22NASB).

"From that time Jesus began to show His disciples that He must go to Jerusalem, and suffer many things from the elders and chief priests and scribes, and be killed, and be raised up on the third day" (Matthew 16:21, NASB).

"You know that He appeared in order to take away sins" (1 John 3:5, NASB).

## 2. Jesus died <u>voluntarily</u>.

"No one can take my life from me. I sacrifice it voluntarily. For I have the authority to lay it down when I want to and also to take it up again" (John 10:18, NLT).

"Although He existed in the form of God, did not regard equality with God a thing to be grasped... Being found in appearance as a man, He humbled Himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross" (Philippians 2, 6,8, NASB).

### 3. Jesus died <u>as a sacrifice for sin</u>.

"But He was pierced through for our transgressions, He was crushed for our iniquities; the chastening for our well-being fell upon Him, and by His scourging we are healed. All of us like sheep have gone astray, each of us has turned to his own way; but the Lord has caused the iniquity of us all to fall on Him" (Isaiah 53:5-6, NASB).

"Christ died for our sins" (1 Corinthians 15:3, NASB).

"He personally carried our sins in his body on the cross so that we can be dead to sin and live for what is right. By his wounds you are healed" (1 Peter 2:24, NLT).

### 4. Jesus died as our Substitute.

"For the wages of sin is death" (Romans 6:23, NASB).

"Christ suffered for our sins once for all time. He never sinned, but he died for sinners to bring you safely home to God" (1 Peter 3:18, NLT).

"not dealt with us according to our sins" (Psalm 103:10, NASB).

"I have been crucified with Christ; and it is no longer I who live, but Christ lives in me; and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave Himself up for me" (Galatians 2:20, NASB).

# 5. The Death of Jesus was victorious.

"He himself is the sacrifice that atones for our sins—and not only our sins but the sins of all the world" (1 John 2:2, NLT).

"Believe in the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved" (Acts 16:31, NASB).

"Thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ" (1 Corinthians 15:57, NASB).

"If you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved" (Romans 10:9, NLT).

"Therefore, whoever eats the bread or drinks the cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner will be guilty of sinning against the body and blood of the Lord. A man ought to examine himself before he eats of the bread and drinks of the cup. For anyone who eats and drinks without recognizing the body of the Lord eats and drinks judgment on himself" (1 Corinthians 11:27-29, NIV).