

# The Gospel of the King

## The Crucified King

### Mark 15:33-37

Lesson 1: Don't \_\_\_\_\_ the Cross.

What happened that day on Golgotha is a brutal reminder of the horror of \_\_\_\_\_ and consequences of Divine \_\_\_\_\_.

3 Painful Metaphors:

Jesus, the \_\_\_\_\_ (Psalm 22:1-6)

Jesus, the \_\_\_\_\_ (Numbers 21:4-9)

Jesus, the \_\_\_\_\_ (Leviticus 16:15-16, 21-22)

*"The cure was shaped in the likeness of that which wounded."* – Matthew Henry

Lesson 2: Don't \_\_\_\_\_ the Cross.

Christ died as the God-ordained instrument of our \_\_\_\_\_; not as the \_\_\_\_\_ of man's cruelty and injustice. We are saved not merely because of what \_\_\_\_\_ to Christ on the Cross, but because of what \_\_\_\_\_ did to him.

Christ was made \_\_\_\_\_ for us. (2 Corinthians 5:21)

Christ was \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ by God because of us. (Deuteronomy 21:23, Galatians 3:13)

Christ died under the \_\_\_\_\_ of God for the sins we committed. (Isaiah 53:5-6)

*"Christ became what we were in order to redeem us from what we deserved."*  
– Paul Washer

Lesson 3: Don't \_\_\_\_\_ the Cross.

Everything changed when God was crucified. The event/act is not something we "move on from" to other, more practical truths. It is the central act of God's \_\_\_\_\_ and the sole means thru which God establishes His \_\_\_\_\_ and saves His \_\_\_\_\_. (1 Corinthians 1:18-2:5)

Through the cross, we know \_\_\_\_\_.

Through the cross, we know how to be \_\_\_\_\_ with God.

Through the cross, we know how to \_\_\_\_\_ with God.

Through the cross, we know our ultimate \_\_\_\_\_ with God.

*"I decided to know nothing among you except Jesus Christ and him crucified."* – Paul, the Apostle

*"All divine life, and all the precious fruits of it, pardon, peace, and holiness, spring from the cross."* – Horatius Bonar

### Conclusion: What Happened When Jesus Died

#### Mark 15:38-41 (ESV)

The Temple curtain was torn granting us \_\_\_\_\_ to the presence of God for all who \_\_\_\_\_.

A Roman centurion \_\_\_\_\_ in the God revealed thru dying.

Many watched what transpired and walked away in despair, setting the stage for the world-shaking discovery in 3 days of an \_\_\_\_\_!

**My response today:**