

# **The Weight & Wonder Of The Cross**

**Good Friday**



# The Prophecy of The Suffering Servant

3 He was despised and abandoned by men,  
A man of great pain and familiar with  
sickness;

And like one from whom people hide their  
faces,

He was despised, and we had no regard for  
Him.

**Isaiah 53:3 (NASB)**



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4 However, it was our sicknesses that He  
Himself bore,  
And our pains that He carried;  
Yet we ourselves assumed that He had been  
afflicted,  
Struck down by God, and humiliated.

**Isaiah 53:4 (NASB)**



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5 But He was pierced for our offenses,  
He was crushed for our wrongdoings;  
The punishment for our well-being was  
laid upon Him,  
And by His wounds we are healed.

**Isaiah 53:5 (NASB)**



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6 All of us, like sheep, have gone astray,  
Each of us has turned to his own way;  
But the Lord has caused the wrongdoing  
of us all  
To fall on Him.

**Isaiah 53:6 (NASB)**



# The Fulfillment on the Cross

30 Therefore when Jesus had received the sour wine, He said, **"It is finished!"** And He bowed His head and gave up His spirit.

**John 19:30 (NASB)**



# The Fulfillment on the Cross

46 And about the ninth hour Jesus cried out with a loud voice, saying, "Eli, Eli, lema sabaktanei?" that is, "My God, My God, why have You forsaken Me?"

**Matthew 27:46 (NASB)**



# The Substitutionary Atonement

24 and He Himself brought our sins in His body up on the cross, so that we might die to sin and live for righteousness; by His wounds you were healed.

**1 Peter 2:24 (NASB)**





# God's Love On Display

8 But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

**Romans 5:8 (NASB)**



# Christ Reconciled Us To God

9 Much more then, having now been justified by His blood, we shall be saved from the wrath of God through Him. 10 For if while we were enemies we were reconciled to God through the death of His Son, much more, having been reconciled, we shall be saved by His life.

**Romans 5:9-10 (NASB)**



# Through Christ We Can Celebrate in God

11 And not only this, but we also celebrate in God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have now received the reconciliation.

**Romans 5:11 (NASB)**



# Christ's Death Bought Us Eternal Life with Him

18 For Christ also suffered for sins once for all time, the just for the unjust, so that He might bring us to God, having been put to death in the flesh, but made alive in the spirit;

**1 Peter 3:18 (NASB)**



# Our Response To The Cross

24 Then Jesus said to His disciples, "If anyone wants to come after Me, he must deny himself, take up his cross, and follow Me. 25 For whoever wants to save his life will lose it; but whoever loses his life for My sake will find it.

**Matthew 16:24-25 (NASB)**



# The Good News of Good Friday

16 "For God so loved the world, that He gave His only Son, so that everyone who believes in Him will not perish, but have eternal life. 17 For God did not send the Son into the world to judge the world, but so that the world might be saved through Him.

**John 3:16-17 (NASB)**



# A Prayer of Salvation

Remember, saying this prayer or any other prayer will not save you. Only believing in Jesus Christ and His finished work on the cross for you can save you from sin. This prayer is simply a way to express to God your faith in Him and thank Him for providing for your salvation.

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“God, I know that I have sinned against You and deserve punishment. But I believe Jesus Christ took the punishment I deserve so that through faith in Him I could be forgiven. I receive Your offer of forgiveness and place my trust in You for salvation. I accept Jesus as my personal Savior! Thank You for Your wonderful grace and forgiveness—the gift of eternal life! Amen!”

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17 Therefore if anyone is in Christ, this person is a new creation; the old things passed away; behold, new things have come.

**2 Corinthians 5:17 (NASB)**



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20 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)**

