

Gospel of John - That You May Believe

The Cross
John 19:17 - 42
May 22, 2022

Questions for Personal Reflection and Group Discussion

1. Read John 19:17-37.

What words or phrases from this passage about the crucifixion of Jesus stand out to you and why?

Why do you think the sign above Jesus' head was written in three different languages?

What change did the priests ask Pilate to make to the sign and why do you think they made that request?

2. Read Psalm 22:18, Psalm 69:19-21, Psalm 34:19-20 and Zechariah 12:10.

How does Jesus fulfill each of these prophecies?

How does Jesus' fulfillment of these prophecies (and others) impact your faith?

How does John's description of the crucifixion emphasize the truth the Jesus was fully God and fully man?

Why does Jesus say, "It is finished"? How is this good news for you today?

3. Read John 19:35.

What reason does John give for including this information? Why is it important?

How is your life different because of the sacrifice Jesus made for you?