



Lessons From the Foot of the Cross

“Life in His Name” Series

John 19:17-27, p.905

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I. Look at the cross. (vs 17-18)

II. Look above the cross. (vs.19-22)

III. Look beneath the cross. (vs. 23-24)

IV. Look beside the cross. (vs. 25-27)

Response: Life at the foot of the cross. What do we learn from these scenes?

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Small Group Questions.

1. Jesus was always in control, yet chose to take up his own cross. How does this impact the way you think about what he went through on the way to Golgotha?
2. What burdens do you normally resist that you should probably change your attitude towards when you consider what Christ did for us on the cross?
3. Share some of your thoughts concerning the two other men who were crucified with Jesus.
4. Discuss the significance of the title posted on the cross in three languages.
5. God's sovereignty over all things is displayed through the scene of the soldiers dividing Jesus' clothing. What appears to simply be a scene of soldiers crassly looting the belongings of those being executed, actually serves to fulfill prophecy written long before. Discuss how your life might look different if you were to truly believe that God is actually this sovereign over the daily details of your life?
6. What insights about God do you get from vs 25-27; the exchange with John and Jesus' mother?
7. What insights do you get about the family of God from the same passage?
8. How could your life better reflect these things?