

The Last Words of Jesus: The Word of Substitution

Matthew 27:45-46 (NLT) At noon, darkness fell across the whole land until three o'clock. ⁴⁶ At about three o'clock, Jesus called out with a loud voice, "Eli, Eli, lema sabachthani?" which means "My God, my God, why have you abandoned me?"

What happened? Jesus _____

1 John 2:2 (NIV) 'He (Jesus) is the atoning sacrifice for our sins, and not only for ours, but also for the sins of the whole world.'

1 Peter 2:24 (NIV) He himself bore our sins in his body on the cross.

What does it teach us?

1. _____

Revelation 4:8 (NIV) Holy, holy , holy is the Lord God Almighty.

2. _____

a) Sin _____

Isaiah 59:2 (NIRV) Your sins have separated you from your God. They have caused him to turn his face away from you.

b) Sin _____

Psalms 38:4 (NIV) My guilt has overwhelmed me like a burden too heavy to bear.

c) Sin _____

Psalms 7:11 (NIV) God is a righteous judge.

3. _____

Romans 3:23-26 (NIRV) Everyone has sinned. No one measures up to God's glory. ²⁴ The free gift of God's grace makes us right with him. Christ Jesus paid the price to set us free. ²⁵ God gave Christ as a sacrifice to pay for sins through the spilling of his blood. So God forgives the sins of those who have faith... ²⁶ God did all this to prove in our own time that he does what is right. He also makes right with himself those who believe in Jesus.

What should our response be?

1. Turn from _____ and trust _____

Acts 20:21 (NIRV) I have told (everyone) that they must turn away from their sins to God. They must have faith in our Lord Jesus.

2. Live in _____

Amazing Grace – John Newton.

3. _____ this good news.

Romans 10:13-14(NLT) Everyone who calls on the name of the LORD will be saved. ¹⁴ But how can they call on him to save them unless they believe in him? And how can they believe in him if they have never heard about him? And how can they hear about him unless someone tells them?

Additional Notes: