

Four Things that Happened to Jesus

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Introduction- Reading (Luke 9:22-27)

1. We have but a small portion of the things which happened to Jesus recorded for us
2. John would conclude his gospel account with these words (**John 21:25**)
3. We want to look at 4 things happened to Jesus (**Luke 9:22**)

Discussion-

I. Suffer Many Things

- A. **Isaiah 53**
- B. **Mark 9:12-13** – fulfillment of prophesy
- C. Christ appearance to the men on the road to Emmaus. Cleopas said they were hoping Jesus would redeem Israel – **Luke 24:25-27**
- D. **Heb. 4:14-16**
- E. He suffered all these things for our salvation

II. Rejected by the elders and chief priests and scribes

- A. For a while, Christ fame spread throughout all the land
- B. But in the end all, even his very disciples forsook him
- C. The Sanhedrin (elders, chief priests, scribes) rejected him
- D. **Matt. 26:57-68** (before Caiaphas the high priest)
- E. **Matt. 27:1-2** (Chief priest and elders conferred (plotted) together against Jesus to put him to death);
- F. **Matt. 27:11-22** (Jesus before Pilate)

III. Slain

- A. **Acts 2:22-23**
- B. **Matt. 27:26-31** – scourged and mocked
- C. **Matt 27:35-43; 50-54** - crucifixion

IV. Raised the Third Day

- A. Jesus was placed in a new tomb with a great stone closing the tomb (**Matt. 27:59-60**)
- B. The tomb was heavily guarded (**Matt. 27:62-66**)
- C. On the 3rd day, Mary came and found an empty tomb (**Matt. 28:1-6**)
- D. **Luke 24: 1-8**
- E. Many seek to leave Jesus dead on the cross
- F. The importance of the resurrection is clearly outlined by Paul to the Corinthians (**1 Cor. 15:13-20**)

Conclusion-

1. These 4 things happened to Jesus that we might be saved from our sins (**Luke 24:44-48**)
2. **Matt. 11:28-30** – the great invitation