A Word of Suffering
Matthew 27:45–46
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1. The picture of sin. Matt. 27:45
   
   Prov. 4:19; Matt. 8:12; John 8:12; 12:46; 13:27, 30; Acts 26:18;
   Rom. 13:12; 2 Cor. 6:14; Eph. 6:12; 1 John 1:5

2. The passion of our Savior. Matt. 27:46a
   

3. The prophesies of Scripture. Matt. 27:46b
   
   • God’s sacredness. Psalm 22:1–2
   • Man’s sarcasm. Psalm 22:6–13
   • Messiah’s suffering. Psalm 22:14–18
   • Redemptive success. Psalm 22:3–5, 19–31

4. The penalty of sin. Matt. 27:46b
   
   Is. 53:4–6; Ez.18:4; Rom. 6:23; 2 Cor. 5:21; 1 Peter 2:24

5. The pattern for suffering.
   
   Matt. 5:11–12; John 15:20; 1 Peter 2:21–23; 2 Tim. 3:12


3. Discipleship demands that you “calculate the cost.”
