

Jesus, the Great I AM

(18) I AM, Alive forevermore

I AM, the Lamb of God, the final 3 hours ...Mt.27

How was Is.53:3-4 fulfilled in Mt.27:27-31, 36-40?

Man of Sorrows, acquainted with grief. Viewed as smitten of God (for His own sins)...

What was the specific taunt of the Jewish leaders? 27:41-43

He claims to be the Son of God, King of Israel. Let God rescue Him IF He wants Him!

What happens at high noon? Lu.23:44; Mt.27:45 see Ex.10:21-22

Total darkness comes over the whole land. Everyone recognized God is present.

For the next 3 hours Jesus bears the full wrath of God. Why? Is.53:4-6; Gal.3:13

He was crushed for our iniquities. The Just dies for the unjust, thus we are healed.

As the darkness passes, what does Jesus declare? Jn.19:30 see Is.53:11

He declares that "it is finished", Gr.=Tetelestai, "paid in full"! God's wrath satisfied.

And then what does He do (of His own will)? Jn.19:30; **10:17-18**

He yielded up, gave up, His Spirit. No one takes His life. He has this authority Himself.

What signs happened at this very instant? Mt.27:51-53

Temple curtain torn in two, top to bottom. Earthquake, rocks split! Many saints raised.

And just as He said, He died for His sheep. What is hastily done next? Mt.27:57-61

As the Scriptures foretold (Is.53:9), He was buried with wicked men, tomb of the rich.

That was Friday, but Sunday's here!

What had the Jewish leaders, though unbelieving, understood Jesus to say? Mt.27:62-66; 16:21

After 3 days I will rise again! Note vs.64. Yet His own disciples did not seem to get it!

And what, indeed, takes place early on the 3rd day? Mt.28:1-6; see Rom.4:25

He has risen, just as He said! The action/proof that believers are justified!! Now Rom.8:1

Why did the angel roll the stone away? Mt.28:6 see Mt.16:21, 17:23, 20:19, 26:32

Not to let Jesus out! He was already risen! It is to let the world in to see the empty tomb!!

What are some distinct differences about Jesus' resurrection versus Lazarus'? Jn.11:38-44

Jesus raised Himself; glorified body; no longer subject to death! Alive evermore, Rev.1:18

As a result of His completed work, what has been given (by the Father) to Christ? 28:18

All authority in heaven and on earth. Therefore GO, make disciples, baptize and teach...

What is the scene in heaven when the Son returns? Ps.110:1; 2:1-6

The Father is laughing at those who resist Christ! Rejoice in Christ TODAY!