Famous Last Words Words Of Contentment - Luke 23:44-46 Date:

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Love	(Matthew 22:39).		
A. 7 (Luke 23:34).	Those Who Have	You	
B. Be Sure You've Taken Of Those You (John 19:26-27).			
C	Your (John	19:28).	
II. Love	Love (Matthew 22:37-38).		
A. Make Arrangements And Others To Do The Same (Luke 23:43).			
B Your People (Matthew	Tough v 27:46).	At God, Not	
	Is God (John 19:30).	So, Do	
Jesus/	A	Life.	

For Further Reflection:

- 1. Read: John 19:30, Job 42:1-5, Lamentations 3:21-23. After hours of suffering on the cross, Jesus declared "It is finished." Jesus reminds us that our worst struggles do not last forever and that God can shape purpose out of our pain. It is normal for us, though, to have questions along the way. In the Old Testament, Job suffered and had major questions for God. Describe a time in your life when you could relate to Job a time when you questioned God or felt like he was ignoring your prayers. What did you learn through this time? What questions linger?
- 2. Jesus was willing to acknowledge his needs. Why do you think it can be difficult for people to admit they are hurting or struggling? Think of a time when you were struggling and someone was there for you. How did this person help you get through a difficult situation?
- 3. Even as Jesus was suffering on the cross, he made sure his mother would be cared for when he was gone. What are some practical things you can do to make sure your loved ones are cared for today and in the future?
- 4. Are there things, people or areas in your life that you are trying to control? Truthfully, how is this affecting the way you think, act, and speak? Are you trying to "handle things" with God or for God? What would it look like to surrender these things to God? Can you start walking in deeper surrender this week?