



# Sermon Discussion Questions

*May the Word of God SHAPE and MOLD us into the image of Jesus!*

**CHECK INS:** Let's check in quick with each other; how are we doing folks...?!?

## 8.24.25 - SERMON RECAP:

Grab your Bibles and turn to John 19:16-37. This past Sunday we reflected on the crucifixion of our Savior and King, as he took on the sin of the world and died for us. This passage, though known regularly well from us who have grown up in the church, is quite an incredible one that shows us ALL that Jesus fulfilled as the Messiah. May we come to talk through these questions as a way to further apply this passage into our everyday lives- as Disciples of Jesus! (As a group, let's take turns reading this scripture together; and then ponder/discuss these questions for our lives.)

## DIGGING DEEPER:

1. How does Paul's statement in 2 Corinthians 5:21—"God made him who had no sin to be sin for us..."—help explain what was happening spiritually at the moment of Jesus' death?
2. Why is it significant that Jesus fulfilled so many prophecies in His death?
3. What specific Old Testament prophecies are fulfilled in this passage, and why does John emphasize their fulfillment? (See especially vv. 24, 28, 36–37 — Psalm 22, Psalm 69, Exodus 12, Zechariah 12)
4. How does this passage shape our understanding of Jesus' identity as both fully human and fully divine?
5. In what ways does John show that Jesus was fully in control, even in His death?
6. How should Jesus' sacrificial death shape the way you think about sin?
7. How should the physical brutality and spiritual weight of the crucifixion shape our view of sin and the cost of grace?
8. How does the cross display both God's justice and His mercy?
9. According to Galatians 2:20–21, what does it mean to be "crucified with Christ," and how does the reality of Jesus' crucifixion in John 19 call us to live by faith in the Son of God?
10. In light of Romans 5:8–9, how does Jesus' death on the cross not only demonstrate God's love but also guarantee our justification and future salvation from wrath?

## LIFE APPLICATION / PRAYER:

What is one application from this passage that you want to live out?

## How Does ALL THIS Apply to our Values?



Gospel Transformation

Compassionate Engagement



Authentic Relationship

Kingdom Multiplication

