

Jesus Dies and Is Buried . . . but Sunday's Coming Mark 15:33–47

1. The death of the Lord (15:33–41)

The Seven Words of Jesus on the Cross		
Words	When	What
"Father forgive them..."	Third Hour (9:00 AM)	Christ is an intercessor who forgives
"Today you will be with me in Paradise"		Those who trust in Christ will be with Christ
"Behold your son ... behold your mother"	Sixth Hour (12:00 PM)	Jesus cares for others
"My God, my God, why have you forsaken me"		Sin separates
"I thirst"		Jesus was fully human
"It is finished"		The work of atonement is finished
"Father into your hands I commit my spirit"	Ninth Hour (3:00 PM)	Jesus does the will of his Father

Affirmations of Jesus as the Son of God:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In the prologue (1:1) • By the demons (1:23–27; 3:1; 5:7) • By God the Father (1:11; 9:7) • By Jesus Himself (14:60–62) • By a centurion (15:39)

2. The burial of the Lord (15:42–47)

Confirmations of Jesus' Death:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The request of Joseph of Arimathea for Jesus' body (15:43) • A centurion's confirmation of Jesus' death (15:45). • Joseph's wrapping of Jesus' body and placing it in a tomb (15:46) • Mary Magdalene and Mary the mother of Jesus taking note of where Jesus buried

Think and Do

- The death of Christ reminds us the awful price of sin and the profound love of God? So, the price of sin has been paid and God's love has been displayed. Let these truths bring you to the Cross for salvation or take you from the Cross for service.
- The burial of Christ reminds us that Jesus truly died and someday we are going to die. His death has happened your death is coming. Are you ready?
- Your future holds either *hope* or *hell* but in either case, Sunday's coming!