



















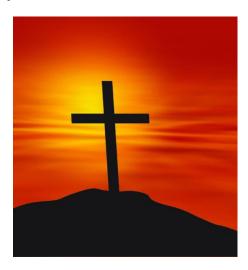
What has Jesus done for us?

- Gen 1:1 In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth.
- John 1:1 In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.





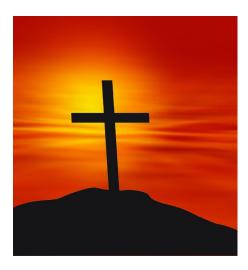
<u>**1 Peter 2:21-</u></u> "For even hereunto were ye called: because Christ also <u>suffered**</u> for us, <u>**leaving us an example**</u>, that ye should follow his steps:"</u>



Heb 5:8-9 Though he were a Son, <u>yet</u> <u>learned he obedience</u> by the things which he <u>suffered</u>; And being made perfect, he became the author of eternal salvation unto all them that obey him



Rom 5:8 "But God commendeth his love toward us, in that, while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us"



<u>**1 Peter 3:18</u>** "For Christ also hath <u>once</u> <u>**suffered**</u> for sins, the <u>just for the unjust</u>, that he might bring us to God, being put to death in the flesh, but quickened by the Spirit:"</u>



Suffering of Christ <u>Mental Agony</u>

Luke 22:41-44- "And he was withdrawn from them about a stone's cast, and kneeled down, and prayed, Saying, Father, if thou be willing, remove this cup from me: nevertheless not my will, but thine, be done. And there appeared an angel unto him from heaven, strengthening him. And **being in an agony** he prayed more earnestly: and his sweat was as it were great drops of blood falling down to the ground."

Suffering of Christ <u>Mental Agony</u>

Luke 22:44

"As it were great drops of blood" Luke does not say that the perspiration was blood; he says that it was like blood. There are a few cases recorded in medical history in which intense mental suffering has been accompanied by the oozing of blood from the skin because of a breakdown of the blood vessels.

Matt 20:19- "And shall deliver him to the Gentiles to mock, and to scourge, and to crucify him: and the third day he shall rise again."



Mocked defined in Jesus

Matt 27:27-31 "Then the soldiers of the governor took Jesus into the common hall, and gathered unto him the <u>whole band</u> of soldiers. And they <u>stripped him</u>, and put on him a scarlet robe....

....and when they had platted a **crown of** thorns, they put it upon his head, and a reed in his right hand: and they bowed the knee before him, and mocked him, saying, Hail, King of the Jews! And they spit upon him, and took the reed, and smote him on the head. And after that they had mocked him, they took the robe off from him, and put his own raiment on him, and led him away to crucify him"

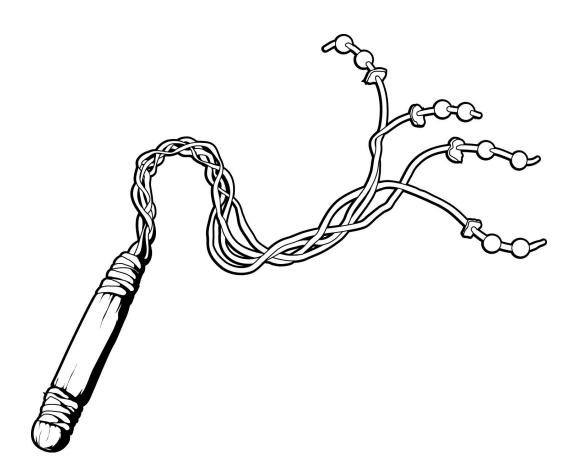
Mocked

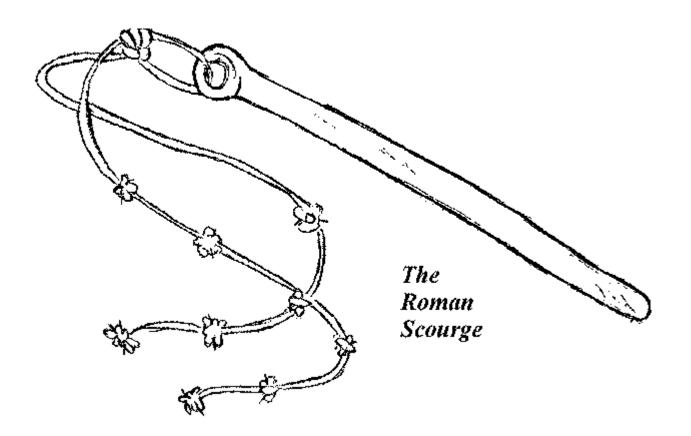
- –Jesus is <u>mocked</u> in the house of the high priest (Lk 22:63-65).
- -He is <u>mocked</u> by Herod and his soldiers (23:11).
- -He is <u>mocked</u> by the soldiers at the cross (23:36).
- –He is <u>mocked</u> by one of the criminals who hung beside Him (23:39).

Suffering of Christ Jesus Scourged



Matt. 20:19, Mark 10:34, Luke 18:33





Scourging, or "whipping," is often mentioned in the New Testament as a mode of punishment. The law of Moses directed that the number of stripes should not exceed 40, but might be any number less, at the discretion of the judge, Deut 25:2-3. The person who was sentenced to scourging was formerly laid upon the ground, and the blows inflicted on his back in the presence of the judge. In later times the criminal was tied to a low post.

The instrument formerly used was a "rod." Afterward they employed thongs or lashes attached to the rod. To make the blows severe and more painful, they sometimes fastened sharp points of iron or pieces of lead in the thongs. These were called "scorpions," 1 Kings 12:11. The law was express that the number of stripes should not exceed forty. The Jews, to secure greater accuracy in counting, used a scourge with three lashes, which inflicted three stripes at once. With this the criminal was struck thirteen times, making the number of blows thirty-nine. Paul was five times scourged in this way. See 2 Cor 11:24.

The Romans did not feel themselves bound by the law of the Jews in regard to the "number" of stripes, but inflicted them at pleasure. Thus our Saviour was scourged until he was so weak as not to be able to bear his cross. (from Barnes' Notes)

"Just as there were many who were appalled at him his appearance was so disfigured beyond that of any man and his form marred beyond human likeness" - Isaiah 52:14



•Matt 26:53-54- Thinkest thou that I cannot now pray to my Father, and he shall presently give me more than twelve legions of angels? But how then shall the scriptures be fulfilled, that thus it must be?





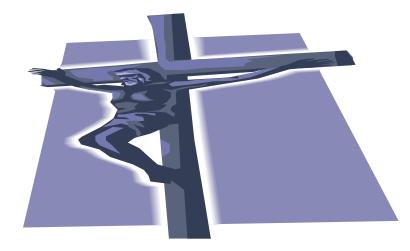
Ancient Roman Crucifixion Spikes



<u>What is crucifixion?</u> A medical doctor provides a physical description: The cross is placed on the ground and the exhausted man is quickly thrown backwards with his shoulders against the wood. The legionnaire feels for the depression at the front of the wrist. He drives a heavy, square wrought-iron nail through the wrist and deep into the wood. Quickly he moves to the other side and repeats the action, being careful not to pull the arms too tightly, but to allow some flex and movement. The cross is then lifted into place.

The left foot is pressed backward against the right foot, and with both feet extended, toes down, a nail is driven through the arch of each, leaving the knees flexed. The victim is now crucified. As he slowly sags down with more weight on the nails in the wrists, excruciating, fiery pain shoots along the fingers and up the arms to explode in the brain--the nails in the wrists are putting pressure on the median nerves. As he pushes himself upward to avoid this stretching torment, he places the full weight on the nail through his feet. Again he feels the searing agony of the nail tearing through the nerves between the bones of his feet. As the arms fatigue, cramps sweep through the muscles, knotting them in deep, relentless, throbbing pain.

With these cramps comes the inability to push him upward to breathe. Air can be drawn into the lungs but not exhaled. He fights to raise himself in order to get even one small breath. Finally carbon dioxide builds up in the lungs and in the blood stream, and the cramps partially subside. Spasmodically he is able to push himself upward to exhale and bring in life-giving oxygen.



<u>**1 Peter 2:23-</u>** Who, when he was reviled, reviled not again; when he suffered, he threatened not; but committed himself to him that judgeth righteously:</u>

"But he was wounded for our transgressions, he was **bruised** for our iniquities: the chastisement of our peace was upon him; and with his stripes we are healed. All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned every one to his own way; and the LORD hath laid on him the iniquity of us all." - Isaiah 53:5-6

John 3:16 For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.

What has Jesus done for us?

- Heb 4:15-16 For we have not an high priest which cannot be touched with the feeling of our infirmities; but was in all points tempted like as we are, yet without sin. Let us therefore come boldly unto the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy, and find grace to help in time of need.
- Heb 7:25 Wherefore he is able also to save them to the uttermost that come unto God by him, seeing he ever liveth to make intercession for them.
- Rom 8:34 Who is he that condemneth? It is Christ that died, yea rather, that is risen again, who is even at the right hand of God, who also maketh intercession for us.
- **1 Tim 2:5** For there is one God, and one mediator between God and men, the man Christ Jesus.

What has Jesus done for us?

• **1 John 2:1-2** My little children, these things write I unto you, that ye sin not. And if any man sin, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous, And he is the propitiation for our sins: and not for ours only, but also for the sins of the whole world.



