

**“Was Crucified, Dead and Buried”**  
**Luke 23.44-56**

**#1: The Death of Jesus (23:44-49)**

**A. The Darkness (44-45a)**

<sup>44</sup>It was now about the sixth hour, and there was darkness over the whole land until the ninth hour, <sup>45</sup>while the sun’s light failed.

**B. The Curtain (45b)**

And the curtain of the temple was torn in two.

**C. The Savior (46)**

<sup>46</sup>Then Jesus, calling out with a loud voice, said, “Father, into your hands I commit my spirit!” And having said this he breathed his last.

**D. The Responses**

<sup>47</sup>Now when the centurion saw what had taken place, he praised God, saying, “Certainly this man was innocent!”

<sup>48</sup>And all the crowds that had assembled for this spectacle, when they saw what had taken place, returned home beating their breasts. <sup>49</sup>And all his acquaintances and the women who had followed him from Galilee stood at a distance watching these things.

**#2: The Burial of Jesus (23:50-56)**

<sup>50</sup>Now there was a man named Joseph, from the Jewish town of Arimathea. He was a member of the council, a good and righteous man, <sup>51</sup>who had not consented to their decision and action; and he was looking for the kingdom of God. <sup>52</sup>This man went to Pilate and asked for the body of Jesus. <sup>53</sup>Then he took it down and wrapped it in a linen shroud and laid him in a tomb cut in stone, where no one had ever yet been laid. <sup>54</sup>It was the day of Preparation, and the Sabbath was beginning. <sup>55</sup>The women who had come with him from Galilee followed and saw the tomb and how his body was laid. <sup>56</sup>Then they returned and prepared spices and ointments.

On the Sabbath they rested according to the commandment.