

**Home Group Lesson 3-13-16**  
**QUESTIONS OVER THE BURIAL OF JESUS**  
***Luke 23:26-49***

I. What do we understand about the providence of God? Acts 4:27-28: Eph. 3:11

NOTES ABOUT PREDESTINATION:

- 1) Rom. 8:29 We are predestined to be like Jesus not to be saved
- 2) Eph. 1:4 We are predestined to be Holy not to be saved
- 3) Eph. 1:5 God wants everyone to be saved but they must make their own choice

I Tim. 2:4; II Pet. 3:9

- 4) FURTHER STUDY: Matt. 11:28-30: Lk. 12:8: Jn. 4:14: Acts 2:21 & 10:43: Rom. 10:13: Titus 2:12: I Jn. 2:23, 3:3-4 & 10, 5:1: Rev. 22:17

II. Why was the timing of Jesus burial important? Matt. 12:40

...How is it possible to get 3 days and 3 nights out of Friday at 3 p.m. till Sunday at day break?

III. What could be a reason for God wanting Jesus to die with the wicked and be buried with the rich? Isa. 53:9 II Pet. 3:9

IV. Why is it so amazing that the soldiers fulfilled the prophecies about no broken bones and piercing Jesus side? Jn. 19:31-34: Ps. 34:20: Zech. 12:10

V. What understand do we get for ourselves about Joseph and Nicodemus changing from secret Disciples to being public about accepting Jesus?

Matt. 10:32: Rom. 1:16: I Jn. 2:23

VI. What evidence from the burial do we have that Pilate still believed Jesus to innocent? Matt. 27:58

VII. How did God use the burial cloth and the myrrh to convince Peter and John that Jesus had risen? Jn. 20:6-7

VIII. Why would the religious leaders still reject Jesus as the risen Messiah after the guards testimony? Matt. 27:62-66

IX. What responsibility do Christians have concerning the death burial and resurrection? Pro. 11:30: Mk. 16:15-16: Acts 26:18: II Cor. 5:20