

JESUS BEFORE PILATE, CRUCIFIXION, BURIAL



DIRECTIONS: FOLLOW THE STEPS BELOW TO COMPLETE EACH ACTIVITY.

PART 1: FILL IN THE BLANKS

Use the Word Bank to complete each sentence.

1. The last hours of Jesus' life on earth are called the _____.
2. Jesus was taken to _____, the Roman governor, before being sentenced to death.
3. Before being crucified, Jesus was _____ and beaten by the soldiers.
4. Jesus was crucified between two _____.
5. The curtain in the _____ tore in two when Jesus died.
6. A man named _____ buried Jesus' body in a tomb.
7. Faithful _____ were at the cross and witnessed Jesus' death.

WORD
BANK



Temple
Agony
Pilate
Passion
Mocked
Criminals
Women
Joseph of Arimathea

PART 2: TRUE OR FALSE

Circle the T or F next to each statement.

If the statement is false, correct it.

- T F 1. Pilate thought Jesus was guilty and wanted Him crucified.**
- T F 2. Jesus was crucified even though He had done nothing wrong.**
- T F 3. Mark's gospel only names one woman who watched Jesus be crucified.**
- T F 4. Joseph of Arimathea buried Jesus in a tomb made of gold.**
- T F 5. The centurion said, "Surely this man was the Son of God" after Jesus died.**

PART 3: DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

Answer the questions below (written or discussed as a group):

1. How do you think Jesus' friends felt when He was crucified?

Answer: _____

2. Why do you think Jesus allowed all of this to happen even though He was innocent?

Answer: _____

PART 4: CREATIVE CHALLENGE

Write a haiku poem about The Passion

Directions:

1. The poem must have exactly three lines.
2. The first line has five syllables, the second has seven, and the third has five.
3. Haiku do not have to rhyme.

Example:

Jesus calms my fears,
Storms fade when He's by my side,
His love keeps me safe.