

# A Grand Finale

*MK 15:33-16-8; 1COR 15:3-7; 53-58; PS 22:1-31; 69:21; MT 27:45-28:10; LK 23:44-24:12; JN 19:28-20:10*



## INTRODUCTION:

Your favorite movie climax

☉ Jesus was crucified, buried and \_\_\_\_\_ again on the third day, just as he said; This is the gospel climax.

1. **Early on Friday afternoon**, Jesus endured the \_\_\_\_\_ of the cross for the *(15:33-36; HEB 12:2)*
  - a. Through his death, Jesus \_\_\_\_\_ himself for sin. *(15:33-38; HEB 9:28; 12:2; 1COR 15:54-56; ISA 25:8; HOS 13:14)*
  - b. There was a group of women who witnessed his \_\_\_\_\_. *(15:40-41)*
  
2. **Late on Friday afternoon**, Joseph of Arimathea courageously asked for the \_\_\_\_\_ of Jesus to be released to him. *(15:42-45)*
  - a. Through his burial, Jesus humbled himself to the \_\_\_\_\_ and descended into hell. *(15:46; 1PET 3:18-20; EPH 4:9; HEB 2:9)*
  - b. Those same women saw where he was \_\_\_\_\_. *(15:47; MT 27:61)*

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3. **Early on \*Sunday morning**, Mary and Mary went to the tomb to continue the anointing of Jesus' body. *(16:1-8)*
  - a. Through his resurrection, Jesus was \_\_\_\_\_ by God. *(16:6; PHP 2:9-11; EPH 1:20; HEB 1:4)*
  - b. In confusion, those same women \_\_\_\_\_ from the tomb and cried in the garden. *(8)*

**CONCLUSION:** *This morning, by faith we run towards the tomb and laugh in the garden! Because...*

1. We have a loving \_\_\_\_\_. *(ROM 5:6-8)*
2. We have a legal \_\_\_\_\_. *(1PET 2:24)*
3. We have a living \_\_\_\_\_. *(1PET 3:18)*