

Matthew Lesson Chapter 27 b

The Gospel According to Matthew -- Chapter 27:27-56

Historical background – Jesus was arrested. Pilate sat in the judge’s seat. Jesus was handed over to be crucified.

Vocabulary

- Praetorium
- Company of soldiers
- Scarlet robe, a crown and a staff
- Cyrene, called Simon
- Wine and gall
- Flogged
- *“Eli, Eli, lema sabachthani”*
- the temple’s curtain

Questions about Chapter 27 b

1. How did the Roman soldiers treat Jesus? (v. 27-31)
2. Jesus was taken to Golgotha. What happened there? (v. 32-37)
3. Who was also crucified along side Jesus? (v. 38-44)
4. Read Luke 23, verses 38-43. What did Jesus do for them? How is this significant for us?
5. How did the chief priests, teachers of the law and the elders respond to Jesus? (v. 41-44)
6. From noon until three in the afternoon darkness covered the land. What happened? (v. 45-49)
7. Jesus cried out in verse 50. What happened at that same moment? Why is this important? (vs. 50-54)
8. Many women followed Jesus. Who were they? (v. 55)