

The Purpose of His Kingdom

Getting Started

1. What is the most amazing thing/event/occasion you have ever witnessed in person?
2. How do you respond to troubling news from a physician?

Digging Deeper

3. What reasons would the disciples have to be afraid over Jesus' passion predictions?
4. What reasons could they have had to hope instead of fear?

Read Acts 2:23 and Acts 3:13

5. What does the betrayal or handing over of Jesus teach us about how Divine sovereignty fits with human responsibility?

Living It Out

6. How can you use the story of the death and resurrection of Christ to encourage a brother or sister who is walking through the valley of the shadow of death?
7. What unknowns in your own life (insecurities about finances, health, relationships) can you calm through a hope in the cross and empty tomb?

Mark 9:30-32; 10:32-34

Why did Jesus need to die? Was He a good man who was caught up in the schemes of political adversaries in the first century? Did He die to show us a picture of self-sacrifice? Through Jesus' own foretelling of His death and resurrection, we will learn the purpose for the cross of Calvary and the empty tomb.

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_____ by the will of the King.

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in the _____ of the King.

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