WHO IS THIS MAN?

THE PRICE OF REDEMPTIONMark 10:32-34Jeff Schreve

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"Behold, we are going up to Jerusalem, and the Son of Man will be delivered to the chief priests and the scribes; and they will condemn Him to death. and will deliver Him to the Gentiles. And they will mock Him and spit upon Him, and scourge Him, and kill Him, and three days later He will rise again." Mark 10:33-34

Do you realize how much it cost to purchase your salvation?

1. Jesus knew what it cost.

A. He knew from the Scriptures. And He took the twelve aside and said to them, "Behold, we are going up to Jerusalem, and all things which are written through the prophets about the Son of Man will be accomplished." Luke 18:31

B. He knew from divine omniscience. "Truly, truly, I say to you, before Abraham was born, I am." John 8:58

2. Jesus willingly paid what it cost.

A. He suffered the intense sting of betraval. Even my close friend, in whom I trusted, Who ate my bread, Has lifted up his heel against me. Psalm 41:9

- B. He suffered the crushing pain of condemnation and cruelty.
- C. He suffered the unfathomable weight of divine judgment. And when the sixth hour had come, darkness fell over the whole land until the ninth hour. Mark 15:33
- 3. Jesus was rewarded for paying the cost.

A. God the Father raised Him <u>from the dead</u>. The God of our fathers raised up Jesus, whom you had put to death by hanging Him on a cross. Acts 5:30

B. God the Father raised Him to glory. ... who through Him are believers in God, who raised Him from the dead and gave Him glory, so that your faith and hope are in God. 1 Peter 1:21

C. God the Father raised Him to save sinners.

For since by a man came death, by a man also came the resurrection of the dead. For as in Adam all die, so also in Christ all shall be made alive. 1 Corinthians 15:21-22

How shall we escape if we neglect so great a salvation?