

# Luke Chapter Twenty-Three

## Keys to This Chapter

### Key Passage: Verse 47

“So when the centurion saw what had happened, he glorified God, saying, ‘Certainly this was a righteous Man!’”

### Key People

Jesus  
Pilate  
Caesar  
Chief priests, scribes and rulers  
Herod  
Barabbas  
Simon  
“Daughters of Jerusalem”  
Joseph  
Two criminals  
Roman soldiers  
A centurion  
Women from Galilee

### Key Places

Judea  
Galilee  
Jerusalem  
Calvary  
Arimathea

### Key Words

Perverting  
Jurisdiction  
Vehemently  
Enmity  
Chastise  
Insistent  
Blasphemed  
Paradise  
Centurion  
(Day of) Preparation  
Sabbath

### Key Lesson

## Questions on the Text

1. What accusation against Jesus did the multitude make to Pilate?
2. What, in verse two, did Pilate ask of Jesus? What was His answer?
3. What was Pilate’s first conclusion about Jesus? (v. 4)
4. What did Pilate do when he found out Jesus was a Galilean?
5. What was Herod’s initial reaction to seeing Jesus? Why?
6. Before he sent Him back to Pilate, what did Herod do to Jesus?
7. What, according to verse 16, did Pilate now want to do with Jesus? Why? (v. 15)
8. What was the reaction of the chief priests, rulers and people to Pilate’s plan? (v. 18)
9. What, ultimately, did Pilate do? (vv. 24-25)
10. Who bore the cross of Jesus?
11. Who was crucified with Jesus?
12. What inscription was placed on Jesus’ cross?
13. Who asked Jesus to remember him when He came in His kingdom? (vv. 39-42)
14. What happened from the sixth hour to the ninth hour of the day?
15. What did Jesus say before he breathed His last?
16. What did the centurion say of Jesus? What caused him to reach that conclusion?
17. What did “the whole crowd” do when they saw what had been done?
18. Who asked Pilate for the body of Jesus? What kind of man was he?
19. What was done with the body of Jesus? (v. 53)
20. Who returned to Jesus’ tomb with spices and fragrant oils?

## Discussion Question

Can a person today be saved in the same way the thief on the cross was saved?