

FIXING OUR EYES ON JESUS
Matthew 26:69 - 27:56

1. What have you learned and applied to your life from the previous lesson's Lecture, Commentary Notes, or Pointers for Parents?

Please read Matthew 26:69-27:10

2.a) Please describe how Peter denied Jesus.

b) When have you had a weakness revealed to you, of which you were totally unaware?

c) How did you respond?

3.a) Why do you think Judas did not go to the Lord and ask for forgiveness when he had remorse?

b) How did the chief priests and elders respond to Judas, and what does that reveal about them?

Please read Matthew 27:11-32

4. Why do you think Jesus refused to answer the charges made against Him?

5.a) How did Pilate deal with Jesus?

b) Why was he willing to give in to the demands of the Jews?

c) What lesson can you learn from this?

6. How did the Roman soldiers humiliate and abuse Him?

Please read Matthew 27:33-56

7. Why do you think Jesus refused the anesthetic drink?

8.a) Who else mocked Jesus while standing by the cross, and what did they say?

b) How might their words have tempted Jesus?

9.a) How did Jesus experience more than just physical suffering?

b) When you read an account of the crucifixion, what is your response?

10. What took place in the temple at the moment of Jesus' death, and what significance did it have?

Suggested Memory Verse:

"Above His head they placed the written charge against Him: THIS IS JESUS, THE KING OF THE JEWS." Matthew 27:37