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Matthew 27:1-23

Matthew's Gospel
"What To Do With Jesus?"

INTRODUCTION

1. THE REAL BAD GUY
2. HALFWAY REPENTANCE
3. PILATE BEFORE JESUS

Questions for use in small groups or for personal meditation and study

1. If you had to sum it up, what is the principal sin of the chief priests and elders of the people who orchestrated Jesus death?
2. Whose the principle bad guy in the story of Matthew 27?
3. How do you reconcile what these men did with the predetermined and prophetic will of God? See Matthew 26:54,56
4. Read 1 John 1:5. What's the point?
5. Did Judas repent? Why do you think that? Why not think that?
6. What is repentance? See Matthew 3:13-15; 4:17; 2 Cor 7:10
7. Pastor suggested that ironically Pilate's question put to the people, "*Then what shall I do with Jesus who is called Christ?*" is the principle question of the gospel. What is the gospel?