

Date: 4/29/2018
Series: The Suffering Servant
Sermon Title: Roman Trial and Verdict
Sermon Text: John 18:28-19:16a



GC Discussion Questions

Big Idea: *Jesus is the King, the Truth, and the Lamb whose self-sacrifice truly delivers.*

1. What is the easiest thing for you to put your trust in instead of Christ? Why do you think you are tempted to trust in that thing? What are the consequences you've experienced when you put your trust into that thing?
2. The Bible tells us that if we are not trusting Christ, then we are rejecting him. There isn't a clearer place to see this in Scripture than when Jesus is on trial.

Read passage: John 18:28-19:16a.

3. What do you find especially unique or emotionally powerful about this passage?
4. On Sunday, Chuck compared our sin to the action of the Roman soldiers. How is our sin like the actions of the Roman soldiers?
5. What three identities does this passage give to Jesus? Where do you see that?
6. What is the significance of Jesus being the better King, the real Truth, and the ultimate Passover Lamb for us as Christians? How should this affect where we put our trust?
7. Even as Christians, are we in danger of missing the true identity of Christ just like the Jews did? Why do we do this? What is the result when we do?
8. What are practical ways that we can encourage one another to see Christ truly? What are some ways that you are already doing this? Do you feel a need to take more practical steps in this direction? How could this change how we live out our faith among fellow church members?
9. Is there anything else that you found especially relevant or encouraging about this passage or about the sermon?