Forgive Them | From The Cross, Pt. 5

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Pastor Nick Hage ~ March 29th & 30th, 2025

33 When they came to the place called the Skull, they crucified him there, along with the criminals—one on his right, the other on his left. 34 Jesus said, "Father, forgive them, for they do not know what they are doing." And they divided up his clothes by casting lots.
35 The people stood watching, and the rulers even sneered at him. They said, "He saved others; let him save himself if he is God's Messiah, the Chosen One."
36 The soldiers also came up and mocked him. They offered him wine vinegar 37 and said, "If you are the king of the Jews, save yourself."
38 There was a written notice above him, which read: this is the king of the Jews.
39 One of the criminals who hung there hurled insults at him: "Aren't you the Messiah? Save yourself and us!"
<u>Luke 23:33-39 (NIV)</u>
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1. Jesus' forgiveness is rooted in His .
There was a written notice above him, which read: this is the king of the Jews. Luke 23:38 (NIV)
So if the Son sets you free, you will be free indeed. John 8:36 (NIV)
2. Jesus' forgiveness is offered through His

17 And if Christ has not been raised, your faith is futile; you are still in your sins. 18 Then those also who have fallen asleep in Christ are lost. 19 If only for this life we have hope in Christ, we are of all people most to be pitied.

1 Corinthians 15:17-19 (NIV)

3. Jesus' forgiveness is validated by His

I am the First and the Last. 18 I am the Living One; I was dead, and now look, I am alive for ever and ever! And I hold the keys of death and Hades. Revelation 1:17-18 (NIV)

For your own notes:

Daily Bible Readings

Monday—<u>Luke 24:1-35</u>//Tuesday—<u>Luke 24:36-53</u>

Wednesday—Acts 1//Thursday—<u>Acts 2:1-13</u>

Friday—<u>Acts 2:14-47</u>//Saturday—Acts 3

Sunday-Acts 4:1-22

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Weekend Service Times:

Saturday **6:15 p.m.**

Sunday 10:30 a.m. & 12:15 p.m.