

the road to the cross

Week 6 – Death & Burial mark 14-16

1. Even if you don't like Star Wars, there's a good chance that you like Yoda. Why do you think Yoda is so awesome?

As we near the end of our series on Jesus' final days before his death, we have seen that Jesus has been betrayed and arrested. His closest friends have denied knowing him as he stood trial, and he has been condemned to die by crucifixion. We pick up the story as Jesus is being led away to his death...

Read Mark 15:21-47

The third hour = 9am; The sixth hour = 12noon; The ninth hour = 3pm

2. How do you initially react as you read these verses? (What is your emotional reaction?)

3. Throughout the passage there are various responses that are made to Jesus on the cross. Note who makes these responses and what they are.

Verses	Who?	How do they respond?
v29-30		
v31-32		
v37-39		

4. Those passing by, the soldiers and rulers, and the other criminals see Jesus hanging on the cross as a sign of weakness. Why is this not the case?

5. Notice above that there are essentially only two different types of responses that can be made to Jesus and his death. In what ways have you made either of these responses?

