when He had tasted it, He would not drink. [35] Then they crucified Him, (Luke 23:33 and the criminals, one on the right hand and the other on the left) (Mark 15:28 [28] So the Scripture was fulfilled which says, "And He was numbered with the transgressors.") (Luke 23:34 <u>Then Jesus</u> said, ''Father, forgive them, for they do not know what they do.'')

(Mark 15) {25} Now it was the third hour, and they crucified Him.

(Matthew 27) [36] Sitting down, they kept watch over Him there. [37] And they put up over His head the accusation written against Him: THIS IS JESUS (John 19:19 OF NAZARETH) THE KING OF THE JEWS.

(Luke 23) [36] The soldiers also mocked Him, coming and offering Him sour wine, [37] and saying, "If You are the King of the Jews, save Yourself." [39] Then one of the criminals who were hanged blasphemed Him, saying, "If You are the Christ, save Yourself and us." [40] But the other, answering, rebuked him, saying, "Do you not even fear God, seeing you are under the same condemnation? [41] "And we indeed justly, for we receive the due reward of our deeds; but this Man has done nothing wrong." [42] Then he said to Jesus, "Lord, remember me when You come into Your kingdom." [43] And Jesus said to him, <u>"Assuredly, I say to you, today you will be with Me in Paradise."</u>

(Mark 15) [33] Now when the sixth hour had come, there was darkness over the whole land until the ninth hour. [34] And at the ninth hour Jesus cried out with a loud voice, saying, <u>"Eloi, Eloi, lama sabachthani?"</u> which is translated, "My God, My God, why have You forsaken Me?" [35] Some of those who stood by, when they heard that, said, "Look, He is calling for Elijah!"

(John 19) [28] After this, Jesus, knowing that all things were now accomplished, that the Scripture might be fulfilled, said, <u>"I thirst!"</u> [29] Now a vessel full of sour wine was sitting there; and they filled a sponge with sour wine, put it on hyssop, and put it to His mouth. [30] So when Jesus had received the sour wine,

(Matthew 27) [49] The rest said, "Let Him alone; let us see if Elijah will come to save Him." [50] And Jesus cried out again with a loud voice, and yielded up His spirit. (Luke 23:46 He said, "Father, 'into Your hands I commit My spirit.' " Having said this, He breathed His last)

O How He Loved Us

(John 15:13) ""Greater love has no one than this, than to lay down one's life for his friends." (Romans 5:7-8) "For scarcely for a righteous man will one die; yet perhaps for a good man someone would even dare to die. [8] But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us."

(*Ephesians 3:14-19*) "For this reason I bow my knees to the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, ... {16} that He would grant you, ... {17} ...; that you, being rooted and grounded in love, {18} may be able to comprehend with all the saints what is the width and length and depth and height; {19} to know the love of Christ which passes knowledge; that you may be filled with all the fullness of God."

(Ephesians 3:14-19) {14} When I think of the wisdom and scope of God's plan, I fall to my knees and pray to the Father, {17} ...May your roots go down deep into the soil of God's marvellous love. {18} And may you have the power to understand, as all God's people should, how wide, how long, how high, and how deep his love really is. {19} May you experience the love of Christ, though it is so great you will never fully understand it. Then you will be filled with the fullness of life and power that comes from God. [Paraphrase]

(Ezekiel 1:1) "Now it came to pass .. that the heavens were opened and I saw visions of God." (Ezekiel 1:26-28) "And above the firmament .. was the likeness of a throne, in appearance like a sapphire stone; on the likeness of the throne was a likeness with the appearance of a man high above it. {27} Also from the appearance of His waist and upward I saw, as it were, the color of amber with the appearance of fire all around within it; and from the appearance of His waist and downward I saw, as it were, the appearance of fire with brightness all around. {28} Like the appearance of a rainbow in a cloud on a rainy day, so was the appearance of the brightness all around it. This was the appearance of the likeness of the glory of the LORD. So when I saw it, I fell on my face, ..."

(2 Corinthians 8:9) "For you know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though He was rich, yet for your sakes He became poor, that you through His poverty might become rich."

(Philippians 2:5-7) "Let this mind be in you which was also in Christ Jesus, {6} who, being in the form of God, did not consider it robbery to be equal with God, {7} but made Himself of no reputation, ..."

(Philippians 2:7) "but emptied Himself, ..." [NASB]

(*Ephesians 1:4*) "just as He chose us in Him before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy and without blame before Him in love,"

(Luke 5:32) ""I have not come to call the righteous, but sinners, to repentance.""

(Luke 19:10) ""for the Son of Man has come to seek and to save that which was lost.""

(1 John 4:9-10) "In this the love of God was manifested toward us, that God has sent His only begotten Son into the world, that we might live through Him. {10} In this is love, not that we loved God, but that He loved us and sent His Son to be the propitiation for our sins."

(1 John 4:14) "And we have seen and testify that the Father has sent the Son as Savior of the world."

(1 John 4:16) "And we have known and believed the love that God has for us. God is love, and he who abides in love abides in God, and God in him."

(*Philippians 2:7*) "but made Himself of no reputation, taking the form of a bondservant, and coming in the likeness of men."

(*Luke 22:27*) ""For who is greater, he who sits at the table, or he who serves? Is it not he who sits at the table? Yet I am among you as the One who serves."

(Matthew 11:28-30) ""Come to Me, all you who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. (29) "Take My yoke upon you and learn from Me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. (30) "For My yoke is easy and My burden is light.""

(Mark 9) {19} He answered him and said, "O faithless generation, how long shall I be with you? How long shall I bear with you? Bring him to Me."

(Mark 9) [30] Then they departed from there and passed through Galilee, and He did not want anyone to know it. [31] For He taught His disciples and said to them, "The Son of Man is being betrayed into the hands of men, and they will kill Him. And after He is killed, He will rise the third day."

(Luke 18) [31] Then He took the twelve aside and said to them, "Behold, we are going up to Jerusalem, and all things that are written by the prophets concerning the Son of Man will be accomplished.

(Mark 10) [33] "...and the Son of Man will be betrayed to the chief priests and to the scribes; and they will condemn Him to death and deliver Him to the Gentiles; [34] "and they will mock Him, and scourge Him, and spit on Him, and kill Him. (Matthew 20:19 crucify) And the third day He will rise again."

(Luke 13) [31] On that very day some Pharisees came, saying to Him, "Get out and depart from here, for Herod wants to kill You." [32] And He said to them, "Go, tell that fox, 'Behold, I cast out demons and perform cures today and tomorrow, and the third day I shall be perfected.' [33] "Nevertheless I must journey today, tomorrow, and the day following; for it cannot be that a prophet should perish outside of Jerusalem. [34] "O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, the one who kills the prophets and stones those who are sent to her! How often I wanted to gather your children together, as a hen gathers her brood under her wings, but you were not willing! [35] "See! Your house is left to you desolate; and assuredly, I say to you, you shall not see Me until the time comes when you say, 'Blessed is He who comes in the name of the LORD!'""

(John 12) [3] Then Mary took a pound of very costly oil of spikenard, (Mark 14:3 alabaster flask....Then she broke the flask and poured it on His head) anointed the feet of Jesus, and wiped His feet with her hair. And the house was filled with the fragrance of the oil...... [7] But Jesus said, "Let her alone; (Mark 14:6 She has done a good work for Me) she has kept this for the day of My burial. [8] "For the poor you have with you always, (Mark 14:7 and whenever you wish you may do them good) but Me you do not have always."

(John 12) [22] Philip came and told Andrew, and in turn Andrew and Philip told Jesus. [23] But Jesus answered them, saying, "The hour has come that the Son of Man should be glorified. [24] "Most assuredly, I say to you, unless a grain of wheat falls into the ground and dies, it remains alone; but if it dies, it produces much grain. [25] "He who loves his life will lose it, and he who hates his life in this world will keep it for eternal life. [26] "If anyone serves Me, let him follow Me; and where I am, there My servant will be also. If anyone serves Me, him My Father will honor. [27] "Now My soul is troubled, and what shall I say? 'Father, save Me from this hour'? But for this purpose I came to this hour. [28] "Father, glorify Your name."

(Luke 22) [21] "But behold, the hand of My betrayer is with Me on the table. [22] "And truly the Son of Man goes as it has been determined, but woe to that man by whom He is betrayed!"

(Mark 14) [34] Then He said to them, "My soul is exceedingly sorrowful, even to death. Stay here and watch. (Matthew 26:38 with Me)" [35] He went a little farther, (Luke 22:41 about a stone's throw, and He knelt down) and fell on the ground, and prayed that if it were possible, the hour might pass from Him. [36] And He said, "Abba, Father, all things are possible for You (Matthew 26:39 O My Father, if it is possible, let this cup pass from Me) Take this cup away from Me; nevertheless, not what I will, but what You will."

(*Luke 22*) [43] Then an angel appeared to Him from heaven, strengthening Him. [44] And being in agony, He prayed more earnestly. Then His sweat became like great drops of blood falling down to the ground.

(Matthew 26) [40] Then He came to the disciples and found them asleep, and said to Peter, "What? (Mark 14:37 Simon, are you sleeping?) Could you not watch with Me one hour? [41] "Watch and pray, lest you enter into temptation. The spirit indeed is willing, but the flesh is weak."

(Mark 14) {50} Then they all forsook Him and fled.

(Luke 22) [54] Having arrested Him, they led Him and brought Him into the high priest's house. (John 18:13 Annas first, for he was the father-in-law of Caiaphas who was high priest that year) (Matthew 26:57 where the scribes and the elders were assembled) But Peter followed at a distance (Matthew 26:58 to the high priest's courtyard).

(Mark 14) [71] Then he began to curse and swear, "I do not know this Man of whom you speak!" (Luke 22:60 "Man, I do not know what you are saying!") [72] (Luke 22:60 Immediately, while he was still speaking) A second time the rooster crowed. (Luke 14) [61] And the Lord turned and looked at Peter. ..

(Luke 14) [67] "If You are the Christ, tell us." But He said to them, "If I tell you, you will by no means believe. [68] "And if I also ask you, you will by no means answer Me or let Me go. [69] "Hereafter the Son of Man will sit on the right hand of the power of God." [70] Then they all said, "Are You then the Son of God?" So He said to them, "You rightly say that I am." [71] And they said, "What further testimony do we need? For we have heard it ourselves from His own mouth.""

(Matthew 27) {19} While he was sitting on the judgment seat, his wife sent to him, saying, "Have nothing to do with that just Man, for I have suffered many things today in a dream because of Him." {20} But the chief priests and elders persuaded the multitudes that they should ask for Barabbas and destroy Jesus. {21} The governor answered and said to them, "Which of the two do you want me to release to you?" They said, "Barabbas!" (John 18:40 "Not this Man, but Barabbas!") (Luke 23:18 "Away with this Man, and release to us Barabbas") {22} Pilate said to them, "What then shall I do with Jesus who is called Christ (Mark 15:12 whom you call the King of the Jews)?" They all said to him, "Let Him be crucified!" (Luke 23:21 "Crucify Him, crucify Him!")

(John 19) {14} Now it was the Preparation Day of the Passover, and <u>about</u> the sixth hour. And he said to the Jews, "Behold your King!" {15} But they cried out, "Away with Him, away with Him! Crucify Him!" Pilate said to them, "Shall I crucify your King?" The chief priests answered, "We have no king but Caesar!" {16} Then he delivered Him to them to be crucified. So they took Jesus and led Him away.

(Matthew 27) {33} And when they had come to a place called Golgotha, that is to say, Place of a Skull, (Luke 23:33 called Calvary) {34} they gave Him sour wine mingled with gall to drink. But