

## The Death of Jesus

Luke 23:44-56

- Believe that Jesus \_\_\_\_\_ under \_\_\_\_\_  
so we could be \_\_\_\_\_ to God. (vs. 44-45)
  
- Acknowledge the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_. (vs. 47-48)
  
- Respond in \_\_\_\_\_ to God's \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_. (50-56)

## QUESTIONS FOR FURTHER DISCUSSION:

1. Spend some time as a group catching up from the week, having each person share the best and worst part of their week.
2. **Luke 23:44-56** shows us that often when things seem darkest God is doing incredible things. Can you think of a time in your life when God used a dark period to do something great?
3. Next, we saw a number of people responding to the death of Jesus, acknowledging the weight of their sin. Have a few people share with about the time in their life when they acknowledged their sin and accepted Jesus' death as their atonement. Who do you know that hasn't responded in faith to Jesus? How can you engage that person with the truth of the gospel?
4. Lastly, we see in **Luke 23:50-56** a great example that the right response to confusing circumstances is to obey what Jesus has already made clear to us. What are some steps of simple obedience you need to take as we walk out our faith in the face of so many unknowns?
5. Spend time praying as a group for the specific things shared in the first question and for the people around us who do not know Jesus.