

## The Thirsty Savior (John 19:28-30)

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The better we grasp what the cross meant to \_\_\_\_\_, the better we will understand what the cross *should* mean to \_\_\_\_\_.

### How Can this Be?

Imagine the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ saying, "I am thirsty."

The reason Jesus did not \_\_\_\_\_ a stream of water within His parched mouth is that there was still a \_\_\_\_\_ that had to be fulfilled.

"They put gall in my food and gave me vinegar for my thirst." – Psalm 69:21

Every detail, including the \_\_\_\_\_ of drink given, had to come to pass as predicted.

In these 3 verses you see that Jesus \_\_\_\_\_ everything and \_\_\_\_\_ everything. This is His \_\_\_\_\_ in action.

What a proof was this that He was Divinely \_\_\_\_\_ to *all* circumstances!

Jesus' burning \_\_\_\_\_ calls out to us about the depth of His \_\_\_\_\_ to the Word of God.

### The Humanness of Thirst

Jesus' thirst proves that He was indeed a \_\_\_\_\_.

Crucifixion is a long, slow process of \_\_\_\_\_. Notes:

Jesus, being a man, escaped none of the ills which are allotted to men in \_\_\_\_\_.

Jesus was offered two drinks on the cross:

1. The first cup was offered when He \_\_\_\_\_ at the cross.  
gall =

This is called the cup of \_\_\_\_\_, which He refused.

2. The second cup was the cup of \_\_\_\_\_, which was offered in response to His cry of thirst.

hyssop =

The soldiers did not have to respond in \_\_\_\_\_, but they did because they were under \_\_\_\_\_ impetus.

### Thirst Eternally Quenched

*"The torments of hell are represented by a violent thirst, in the complaint of the rich man who begged for a drop of water to cool his tongue. To that everlasting thirst we had all been condemned, if Christ had not suffered on the cross." – Matthew Henry*

Jesus made it clear where you and I should go \_\_\_\_\_ our thirst.

Now on the last day, the great day of the feast, Jesus stood and cried out, saying, "If anyone is thirsty, let him come to Me and drink. He who believes in Me, as the Scripture said, 'From his innermost being will flow rivers of living water.'" – John 7:37-38

Other cross references:

Jesus thirsted on the \_\_\_\_\_, that we might drink the water of \_\_\_\_\_ and thirst no more forever!