

WERE YOU THERE?

Were You There: Simon of Cyrene

Matthew 27:27-32

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“But when the **FULLNESS** of **TIME** had come, God sent forth his Son, born of woman, born under the law, to **REDEEM** those who were under the law, so that we might receive adoption as sons.

-Galatians 4:4-5

God has made you **WHO** you are, placed you **WHERE** you are, **WHEN** you are...for His **PURPOSES** and **PLANS**.

“Are you the reason we are here?”

Sometimes I am in such a **HURRY** that I **MISS** what God has in mind for me.

“God, what do you have for me today?”

You come for _____, but you’re really here for _____.

RECEPTIVITY to God’s action:

1. There is no such thing as **LUCK**, but there is such a thing as **OPPORTUNITY** meeting **READINESS**.
2. You’re likely to spend much more time **DISARMING** than **FIGHTING**.
3. The times you will see the **FRUITS** of faithfulness are **RARE** but **PRECIOUS**.

Who or what are you **SEEKING**? (John 1:38, John 20:15)