

Friday notes

Friday: Good Friday

- **Undercover boss**

- Regular worker
- Often, the lowest worker, starting
- This boss often did this to relate to the regular workers.
 - Brian Roberts from Comcast did this.
 - It was hard to believe at first.
- Jesus 1st coming was very much the **Undercover Boss!**
- He built the world and the world did not recognize Him
 - **[Read]** – [John 1:1-11](#) – In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. ² He was in the beginning with God. ³ All things were made through him, and without him was not any thing made that was made. ⁴ In him was life, and the life was the light of men. ⁵ The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it. ⁶ There was a man sent from God, whose name was John. ⁷ He came as a witness, to bear witness about the light, that all might believe through him. ⁸ He was not the light, but came to bear witness about the light. ⁹ The true light, which gives light to everyone, was coming into the world. ¹⁰ He was in the world, and the world was made through him, yet the world did not know him. ¹¹ He came to his own, and his own people did not receive him.

- **Light of the World**

- [Genesis 1:3](#) – ³ And God said, “Let there be light,” and there was light.

- **Love – Why did He die?**

- [Genesis 2:16-17](#) – ¹⁵ The Lord God took the man and put him in the garden of Eden to work it and keep it. ¹⁶ And the Lord God commanded the man, saying, “You may surely eat of every tree of the garden, ¹⁷ but of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil you shall not eat, for **in the day that you eat of it you shall surely die.**”
- [Ezekiel 18:4](#) – ⁴ Behold, all souls are mine; the soul of the father as well as the soul of the son is mine: the soul who sins shall die.

- **Romans 6:23^a** –²³ For the wages of sin is death, ...
- [Matthew 5:48](#) / [Romans 3:23](#)
- **Agāpé** John 3:16
- **The sacrifices of the OT**
- Christ is the High Priest and the Sacrifice!
- Atonement/ covering/ at-one-ment
 - [Leviticus 16:20-22](#) – ²⁰ “When Aaron has finished making atonement for the Most Holy Place, the tent of meeting and the altar, he shall bring forward the live goat. ²¹ He is to lay both hands on the head of the live goat and confess over it all the wickedness and rebellion of the Israelites—all their sins—and put them on the goat’s head. He shall send the goat away into the wilderness in the care of someone appointed for the task. ²² The goat will carry on itself all their sins to a remote place; and the man shall release it in the wilderness.
 - [Isaiah 53:1-10^a](#) – Who has believed our message and to whom has the arm of the Lord been revealed? ² He grew up before him like a tender shoot, and like a root out of dry ground. He had no beauty or majesty to attract us to him, nothing in his appearance that we should desire him. ³ He was despised and rejected by mankind, a man of suffering, and familiar with pain. Like one from whom people hide their faces he was despised, and we held him in low esteem. ⁴ Surely **he took up our pain and bore our suffering** yet we considered him punished by God, stricken by him, and afflicted. ⁵ But he was pierced for our transgressions, he was crushed for our iniquities; the punishment that brought us peace was on him, and by his wounds we are healed. ⁶ We all, like sheep, have gone astray, each of us has turned to our own way; and the **Lord has laid on him the iniquity of us all**. ⁷ He was oppressed and afflicted, yet he did not open his mouth; he was led like a lamb to the slaughter, and as a sheep before its shearers is silent, **so he did not open his mouth**. ⁸ By oppression and judgment he was taken away. Yet who of his generation protested? For **he was cut off from the land of the living**; for the transgression of my people he was punished. ⁹ He was assigned a grave with the wicked, and with the rich in his death, though he had done no violence, nor was

any deceit in his mouth. ¹⁰ Yet it was the Lord's will to crush him and cause him to suffer, and though the Lord makes his life an offering for sin,...

- Worm– **Pics (5 in all)**
- “When the female of the scarlet worm species was ready to give birth to her young, she would attach her body to the trunk of a tree, fixing herself so firmly and permanently that she would never leave again. The eggs deposited beneath her body were thus protected until the larvae were hatched and able to enter their own life cycle. As the mother died, the crimson fluid stained her body and the surrounding wood. From the dead bodies of such female scarlet worms, the commercial scarlet dyes of antiquity were extracted. What a picture this gives of Christ, dying on the tree, shedding his precious blood that he might ‘bring many sons unto glory’ (Hbr 2:10)! He died for us, that we might live through him! Psa 22:6 describes such a worm and gives us this picture of Christ. (cf. Isa 1:18)”
– Henry Morris. *Biblical Basis for Modern Science*, Baker Book House, 1985, p. 73
- [Psalm 22:6-7; Isaiah 1:18](#)
- [Philippians 2:6-8](#) – ⁶ who, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, ⁷ but emptied himself, by taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men. ⁸ And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of **death, even death on a cross.**
- “It is finished.”
- Curtain torn from top [Matthew 27:51](#) – And behold, the **curtain** of the temple was **torn** in two, **from top** to bottom. And the earth shook, and the rocks were split.
- [Colossians 2:15](#) – And having disarmed the powers and authorities, he made a public **spectacle** of them, triumphing over them by the cross.
- **Undercover boss – they didn’t know the boss! Zechariah 12:10**
- He loved us enough to take our guilt on Himself!
- **SUNDAY is coming!**

The Lord bless you and keep you;
the Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you;
the Lord lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace.