



Winston Churchill

Abiding
IN OUR
RISEN LORD

A detailed illustration of a vineyard with rows of grapevines, a small wooden barn, and rolling hills in the background. The scene is rendered in a light, sketchy style with fine lines and shading. Several bunches of grapes are shown hanging from the vines at the top of the frame.

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JESUS

John 18:38b-19:16a "Delivered to Die."

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Three Groups of People

1. The Jewish Leaders/Chief Priests
2. The Roman Governor Pilate
3. The Prisoner Barabbas

What does this text reveal about:

- them?
- Jesus?
- us?

John 18:38b-19:16a

After he had said this, he went back outside to the Jews and told them, “I find no guilt in him. 39 But you have a custom that I should release one man for you at the Passover. So do you want me to release to you the King of the Jews?” 40 They cried out again, “Not this man, but Barabbas!” Now Barabbas was a robber.

John 18:38b-19:16a

19 Then Pilate took Jesus and flogged him. **2** And the soldiers twisted together a crown of thorns and put it on his head and arrayed him in a purple robe. **3** They came up to him, saying, “Hail, King of the Jews!” and struck him with their hands. **4** Pilate went out again and said to them, “See, I am bringing him out to you that you may know that I find no guilt in him.” **5** So Jesus came out, wearing the crown of thorns and the purple robe. Pilate said to them, “Behold the man!”

John 18:38b-19:16a

6 When the chief priests and the officers saw him, they cried out, “Crucify him, crucify him!” Pilate said to them, “Take him yourselves and crucify him, for I find no guilt in him.” 7 The Jews answered him, “We have a law, and according to that law he ought to die because he has made himself the Son of God.” 8 When Pilate heard this statement, he was even more afraid. 9 He entered his headquarters again and said to Jesus, “Where are you from?” But Jesus gave him no answer.

John 18:38b-19:16a

10 So Pilate said to him, “You will not speak to me? Do you not know that I have authority to release you and authority to crucify you?” 11 Jesus answered him, “You would have no authority over me at all unless it had been given you from above. Therefore he who delivered me over to you has the greater sin.”

12 From then on Pilate sought to release him, but the Jews cried out, “If you release this man, you are not Caesar's friend. Everyone who makes himself a king opposes Caesar.”

John 18:38b-19:16a

13 So when Pilate heard these words, he brought Jesus out and sat down on the judgment seat at a place called The Stone Pavement, and in Aramaic Gabbatha. 14 Now it was the day of Preparation of the Passover. It was about the sixth hour. He said to the Jews, "Behold your King!" 15 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 So he delivered him over to them to be crucified.

Chief Priests



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Pilate



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Barabbas



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Acts 2:23

this Jesus, delivered up according to the definite plan and foreknowledge of God, you crucified and killed by the hands of lawless men.

Acts 3:19

Repent therefore, and turn back, that your sins may be blotted out,

