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Matthew 27:57-60

When it was evening, there came a rich man from Arimathea, named Joseph, who also was a disciple of Jesus.

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He went to Pilate and asked for the body of Jesus. Then Pilate ordered it to be given to him.

Matthew 27:57-60

And Joseph took the body and wrapped it in a clean linen shroud and laid it in his own new tomb, which he had cut in the rock.

Matthew 27:57-60

**And he rolled a great stone to the entrance of the tomb
and went away.**

Isaiah 53:9

And they made his grave with the wicked
and with a rich man in his death,

Matthew 27:61

Mary Magdalene and the other Mary were there, sitting opposite the tomb.

Matthew 27:62-66

The next day, that is, after the day of Preparation, the chief priests and the Pharisees gathered before Pilate

Matthew 27:62-66

and said, "Sir, we remember how that impostor said, while he was still alive, 'After three days I will rise.'

Matthew 27:62-66

Therefore order the tomb to be made secure until the third day, lest his disciples go and steal him away and tell the people, 'He has risen from the dead,' and the last fraud will be worse than the first."

Matthew 27:62-66

Pilate said to them, "You have a guard of soldiers. Go, make it as secure as you can."

Matthew 27:62-66

So they went and made the tomb secure by sealing the stone and setting a guard.

Matthew 28:1

Now after the Sabbath, toward the dawn of the first day of the week, Mary Magdalene and the other Mary went to see the tomb.

Matthew 28:2-6

And behold, there was a great earthquake, for an angel of the Lord descended from heaven and came and rolled back the stone and sat on it.

Matthew 28:2-6

His appearance was like lightning, and his clothing white as snow.

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And for fear of him the guards trembled and became like dead men.

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But the angel said to the women, “Do not be afraid, for I know that you seek Jesus who was crucified.

Matthew 28:2-6

**He is not here, for he has risen, as he said.
Come, see the place where he lay.**

The angel rolled away the stone from Jesus' tomb,
not to let the living Lord out,
but to let unconvinced outsiders in

Donald Grey Barnhouse

Matthew 28:7

Then go quickly and tell his disciples that he has risen from the dead, and behold, he is going before you to Galilee; there you will see him. See, I have told you."

Matthew 28:8

**So they departed quickly from the tomb
with fear and great joy, and ran to tell his disciples.**

Matthew 28:9

**And behold, Jesus met them and said, "Greetings!"
And they came up and took hold of his feet and
worshiped him.**

Matthew 28:10

**Then Jesus said to them, “Do not be afraid;
go and tell my brothers to go to Galilee,
and there they will see me.”**

Matthew 28:11-15

While they were going, behold, some of the guard went into the city and told the chief priests all that had taken place.

Matthew 28:11-15

And when they had assembled with the elders and taken counsel, they gave a sufficient sum of money to the soldiers

Matthew 28:11-15

and said, "Tell people, 'His disciples came by night and stole him away while we were asleep.'

Matthew 28:11-15

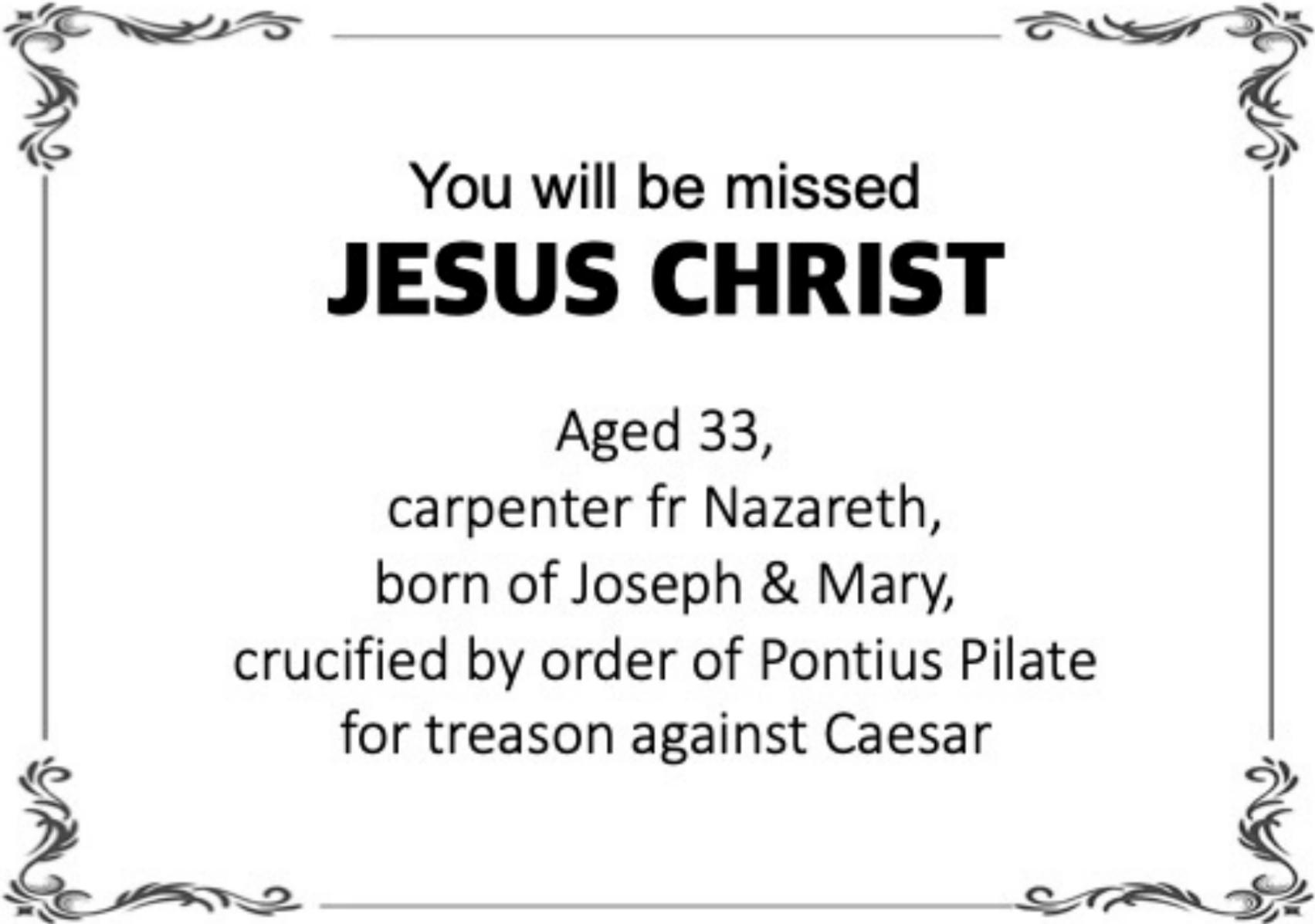
And if this comes to the governor's ears, we will satisfy him and keep you out of trouble."

Matthew 28:11-15

**So they took the money and did as they were directed.
And this story has been spread among the Jews to this
day.**

He Has Risen From The Dead!

Mat 27:57-28:15



You will be missed
JESUS CHRIST

Aged 33,
carpenter fr Nazareth,
born of Joseph & Mary,
crucified by order of Pontius Pilate
for treason against Caesar

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Memorial Service for
JESUS CHRIST

CANCELLED!

Jesus is risen from the dead!

Please do not send any flowers.
Celebration service in 40 days
on the Mount of Olives!











1 Corinthians 15:14

And if Christ has not been raised,
then our **preaching is in vain** and your **faith is in vain**.

1 Corinthians 15:17

And if Christ has not been raised,
your faith is futile and **you are still in your sins.**

1 Corinthians 15:19

If in Christ we have hope in this life only,
we are of all people **most to be pitied.**

1 Corinthians 15:20

But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead,
the firstfruits of those who have fallen asleep.

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1 Corinthians 15:5-6

and that he appeared to **Cephas**, then to the **twelve**.
Then he appeared to **more than five hundred brothers** at
one time, most of whom are still alive...

THE WATERGATE SCANDAL

The conspiracy that brought down Nixon





I know the resurrection is a fact,
and Watergate proved it to me.

Charles Colson

How? Because 12 men testified
they had seen Jesus raised from the dead,
then they proclaimed that truth for 40 years,
never once denying it.

Charles Colson

Every one was beaten, tortured,
stoned and put in prison.
They would not have endured that
if it weren't true.

Charles Colson

Watergate embroiled 12 of the most powerful men in the world-and they couldn't keep a lie for three weeks.

Charles Colson

You're telling me 12 apostles
could keep a lie for 40 years?
Absolutely impossible.

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Acts 2:32

This Jesus God raised up,
and of that we all are witnesses.

Acts 4:10

let it be known to all of you and to all the people of Israel that by the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, whom you crucified, **whom God raised from the dead**—by him this man is standing before you well.

Acts 10:39-40

They put him to death by hanging him on a tree,
but **God raised him on the third day ...**



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Luke 24:46-47

Thus it is written, that the Christ should suffer and on the third day rise from the dead, and that repentance and **forgiveness of sins** should be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem.

Acts 4:10-12

... by the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, whom you crucified, **whom God raised from the dead... there is salvation in no one else**, for there is no other name under heaven given among men by which we must be saved.”

Romans 10:9

because, if you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and **believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved.**

1 Corinthians 15:52-53

...the **dead will be raised** imperishable, and we shall be changed. For this perishable body must put on the **imperishable**, and this mortal body must put on **immortality**.

Romans 6:4

We were buried therefore with him by baptism into death, in order that, just as **Christ was raised** from the dead by the glory of the Father, **we too might walk in newness of life.**

1 Corinthians 15:32

If the dead are not raised,
“Let us eat and drink, for tomorrow we die.”

1Corinthians 15:58

Therefore, my beloved brothers, be steadfast, immovable,
always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that
in the Lord your labor is not in vain.

**"Easter is the Truth that turns a church
from a museum into a ministry."**

Warren Wiersbe