

THREE DAYS THAT CHANGED EVERYTHING

Lesson Two: "He Died Deliberately"

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1. Christ's death was _____.

Isaiah 53; Psalms 22; Matthew 20:28; John 10:17

2. Christ's death was _____.

3. Christ's death has an _____.

Romans 5:6-11 and 6:3-6

The Gospel:

- ***It is impossible for people who are lost in sin to _____ themselves.***
- ***The penalty for being lost is _____.***
- ***Jesus is the only person who ever lived who did not _____ to die for he was without _____.***
- ***Jesus chose to die a _____ death.***
- ***His death paid what we owed for our sinfulness and thru his _____ we can be one with God.***
- ***We receive salvation when we give ourselves to Jesus by personally _____ the death, burial and resurrection of Jesus***



Big Egg Hunt

April 7

Dalton Gardens

City Park

10am to Noon

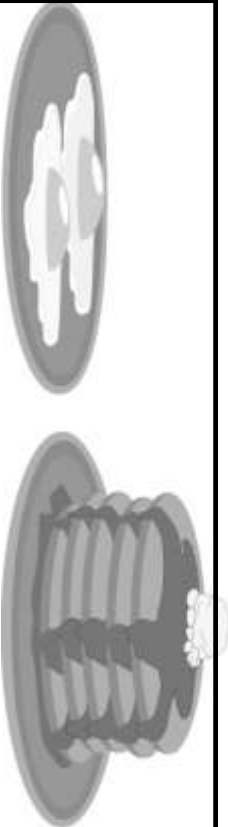
Invite Your Neighbor's Children



SUNRISE
SERVICE

7AM

Prayer Garden
Bring your Neighbors



April 8—Sunday Morning
Breakfast Buffet—8am
\$2.00 per plate

LIFE Group Discussion Guide ***"He Died Deliberately"***

Read: 1 Cor. 1:17-23; Col. 2:18-20; Mark 8:34-38

1. When someone says that "the cross" is the center of Christianity...What does that mean?
2. Why was "the cross" a symbol of shame in Biblical times?
3. Why would God choose to use the "foolishness" of the cross to reach people?
4. When Jesus called his followers to deny themselves and take up their cross, what did he mean? How has self-denial been present in your life? What is your cross to bear?
5. The Bible teaches if we lift up the cross of Christ, people will be drawn to him...What does that mean?
6. How can we exalt the cross of Jesus in our lives?
7. When you reflect of the crucifixion of Jesus what means the most to you?
8. Is the message of the cross still relevant today? Explain.
9. What does the cross remind us about in our daily lives with one another?