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1 ¶ And the whole multitude of them arose, and led him unto Pilate.

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2 And they began to accuse him, saying, We found this *fellow* perverting the nation, and forbidding to give tribute to Caesar, saying that he himself is Christ a King.

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3 And Pilate asked him, saying, Art thou the King of the Jews? And he answered him and said, *_Thou _sayest it.*

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4 Then said Pilate to the chief priests and to the people, I find no fault in this man.

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5 And they were the more fierce, saying, He stirreth up the people, teaching throughout all Jewry, beginning from Galilee to this place.

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6 When Pilate heard of Galilee, he asked whether the man were a Galilaean.

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7 And as soon as he knew that he belonged unto Herod's jurisdiction, he sent him to Herod, who himself also was at Jerusalem at that time.

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8 And when Herod saw Jesus, he was exceeding glad: for he was desirous to see him of a long *season*, because he had heard many things of him; and he hoped to have seen some miracle done by him.

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9 Then he questioned with him in many words; but he answered him nothing.

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10 And the chief priests and scribes stood and vehemently accused him.

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11 And Herod with his men of war set him at nought, and mocked *him*, and arrayed him in a gorgeous robe, and sent him again to Pilate.

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12 And the same day Pilate and Herod were made friends together: for before they were at enmity between themselves.

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13 ¶ And Pilate, when he had called together the chief priests and the rulers and the people,

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14 Said unto them, Ye have brought this man unto me, as one that perverteth the people: and, behold, I, having examined *him* before you, have found no fault in this man touching those things whereof ye accuse him:

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15 No, nor yet Herod: for I sent you to him; and, lo, nothing worthy of death is done unto him.

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16 I will therefore chastise him, and release *him*.

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17 (For of necessity he must release one unto them at the feast.)

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18 And they cried out all at once, saying, Away with this *man*, and release unto us Barabbas:

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19 (Who for a certain sedition made in the city, and for murder, was cast into prison.)

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20 Pilate therefore, willing to release Jesus, spake again to them.

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21 But they cried, saying, Crucify *him*, crucify him.

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22 And he said unto them the third time, Why, what evil hath he done? I have found no cause of death in him: I will therefore chastise him, and let *him* go.

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23 And they were instant with loud voices, requiring that he might be crucified. And the voices of them and of the chief priests prevailed.

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24 And Pilate gave sentence that it should be as they required.

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25 And he released unto them him that for sedition and murder was cast into prison, whom they had desired; but he delivered Jesus to their will.

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26 ¶ And as they led him away, they laid hold upon one Simon, a Cyrenian, coming out of the country, and on him they laid the cross, that he might bear *it* after Jesus.

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27 And there followed him a great company of people, and of women, which also bewailed and lamented him.

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28 But Jesus turning unto them said, *_Daughters of _Jerusalem, _weep not for me, but _weep for _yourselves, and for _your _children.*

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29 *For, _behold, the _days are _coming, in the _which they shall _say, _Blessed are the _barren, and the _wombs that _never _bare, and the _paps _which _never gave _suck.*

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30 *_Then shall they _begin to _say to the _mountains, _Fall _on us; and to the _hills, _Cover us.*

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31 *For _if they _do _these things in a _green _tree, _what shall be _done in the _dry?*

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32 ¶ And there were also two other, malefactors, led with him to be put to death.

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33 And when they were come to the place, which is called Calvary, there they crucified him, and the malefactors, one on the right hand, and the other on the left.

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34 Then said Jesus, *_Father, _forgive them; for they _know not _what they _do.* And they parted his raiment, and cast lots.

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35 And the people stood beholding. And the rulers also with them derided *him*, saying, He saved others; let him save himself, if he be Christ, the chosen of God.

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36 And the soldiers also mocked him, coming to him, and offering him vinegar,

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37 And saying, If thou be the king of the Jews, save thyself.

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38 And a superscription also was written over him in letters of Greek, and Latin, and Hebrew, THIS IS THE KING OF THE JEWS.

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39 And one of the malefactors which were hanged railed on him, saying, If thou be Christ, save thyself and us.

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40 But the other answering rebuked him, saying, Dost not thou fear God, seeing thou art in the same condemnation?

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41 And we indeed justly; for we receive the due reward of our deeds: but this man hath done nothing amiss.

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42 And he said unto Jesus, Lord, remember me when thou comest into thy kingdom.

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43 And Jesus said unto him, *_Verily I _say unto thee, To _day shalt thou be with me in _paradise.*

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44 ¶ And it was about the sixth hour, and there was a darkness over all the earth until the ninth hour.

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45 And the sun was darkened, and the veil of the temple was rent in the midst.

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46 And when Jesus had cried with a loud voice, he said, *_Father, _into thy _hands I*

_commend my _spirit: and having said thus, he gave up the ghost.

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47 Now when the centurion saw what was done, he glorified God, saying, Certainly this was a righteous man.

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48 And all the people that came together to that sight, beholding the things which were done, smote their breasts, and returned.

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49 And all his acquaintance, and the women that followed him from Galilee, stood afar off, beholding these things.

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50 ¶ And, behold, *there was* a man named Joseph, a counsellor; *and he was* a good man, and a just:

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51 (The same had not consented to the counsel and deed of them;) *he was* of Arimathaea, a city of the Jews: who also himself waited for the kingdom of God.

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52 This *man* went unto Pilate, and begged the body of Jesus.

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53 And he took it down, and wrapped it in linen, and laid it in a sepulchre that was hewn in stone, wherein never man before was laid.

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54 And that day was the preparation, and the sabbath drew on.

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55 And the women also, which came with him from Galilee, followed after, and beheld the sepulchre, and how his body was laid.

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56 And they returned, and prepared spices and ointments; and rested the sabbath day according to the commandment.