

Steven Ray: Jesus – The Word Became Flesh Video Footprints of God Series

Chapter Three and Four:

70 A.D. – The Destruction of the Temple

Jesus rode in Jerusalem on a donkey and the people waved palm branches

Passover items: Bitter Herbs (tears of slavery), Bread, Egg, Honey, Lamb, and 4 glasses of wine

The Passover commemorates the sacrifice of the Old Covenant, but Jesus changed the Passover to commemorate and represent the sacrifice of the new covenant.

Jesus said, “This is my body”, not symbolizes or represents. John 6:22 ff

Augustine, “At that moment the Son of God held his own flesh in His own hands.

At Mass, when the priest consecrates the host, it truly becomes Jesus’ body and blood.

Satan comes into a garden again to tempt Jesus.

Gethsemane – oil press

Agony in the Garden – “Father if possible take this cup from me, but not my will but yours be done.” Mark 14:36

Judas betrayed Jesus with a kiss, but all disciples fled as well.

Jesus was lowered into a pit for the night after being spit on and accused.

Pilate ordered Him whipped and crucified.

Just as the lamb in Jewish time could not have a blemish, Pilate said, “I find **no** fault in Him.”

Crown of thorns was more like a cap.

Whips had bones laced into them.

“He was wounded for our transgressions and by His stripes we are healed.” Isaiah 53:5

Jesus ascended into heaven so **Why do Catholics keep Jesus on the cross?**

- a visible reminder of the suffering He paid for our sins

and

- just as we use Nativities at Christmas to remind us of His birth

We adore you, Oh Christ, and bless you because by your Holy Blood you have redeemed the world.

“Take up your cross and follow me” - Matthew 16:24, Mark 8:34, Luke 9:23, many other places in the bible.

They did not break His bones – again in the Passover, none of His bones were broken

Adam – side cut open to bring about Eve / Jesus – side cut open to bring about life for all
symbolize sacraments (Baptism and Eucharist)

Mary wrapped His body at birth and now at His death also wrapped His body.

The earth used a borrowed cave for His birth and also a borrowed cave at His burial.

Born in a virgin womb, buried in a virgin tomb.

Both people named Joseph who provided these two caves.

Prophet Isaiah said that he would be with a rich man in His death.

Joseph of Arimathea – rich man

Jesus – Upper Room – instituted the sacrament of reconciliation, confession – “those you forgive will be forgiven and those you retain, they will be retained.”

Jesus breathed on the Disciples and they received the Holy Spirit

Ascension

Acts 1:10 – While they were looking intently at the sky as he was going,
suddenly two men dressed in white garments stood beside them.

Pentecost – Holy Spirit as in tongues of fire