



**Station of Commendation
King Creator
You did it right!**

**The tent of agreement
I confess the shadows in
My life since last we talked**

**Take me to the Cross
Relive what happened there
See my need for forgiveness**

**Gratitude and Joy
My debt is paid in full, I am
Cleansed, washed clean**

**The Pruning Place –John 15
Your word instructs me
Corrects and disciplines**

**Light of the World
Help me be a light
In my world**

**Into the darkness
A soldier ready to
Do battle for God**

TAKE ME TO THE CROSS



John 19:16-30

THE CROSS

The Crucifixion

So they took Jesus away. ¹⁷ Carrying the cross by himself, he went to the place called Place of the Skull (in Hebrew, *Golgotha*). ¹⁸ There they nailed him to the cross. Two others were crucified with him, one on either side, with Jesus between them. ¹⁹ And Pilate posted a sign on the cross that read, “Jesus of Nazareth, the King of the Jews.”

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- ²⁰ The place where Jesus was crucified was near the city, and the sign was written in Hebrew, Latin, and Greek, so that many people could read it.
- ²¹ Then the leading priests objected and said to Pilate, “Change it from ‘The King of the Jews’ to ‘He said, I am King of the Jews.’”
- ²² Pilate replied, “No, what I have written, I have written.”
- ²³ When the soldiers had crucified Jesus, they divided his clothes among the four of them.

They also took his robe, but it was seamless, woven in one piece from top to bottom. ²⁴ So they said, “Rather than tearing it apart, let’s throw dice for it.” This fulfilled the Scripture that says, “They divided my garments among themselves and threw dice for my clothing.” So that is what they did.

²⁵ Standing near the cross were Jesus’ mother, and his mother’s sister, Mary (the wife of Clopas), and Mary Magdalene.

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²⁶ When Jesus saw his mother standing there beside the disciple he loved, he said to her, “Dear woman, here is your son.” ²⁷ And he said to this disciple, “Here is your mother.” And from then on this disciple took her into his home.

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The Death of Jesus

²⁸ Jesus knew that his mission was now finished, and to fulfill Scripture he said, “I am thirsty.” ²⁹ A jar of sour wine was sitting there, so they soaked a sponge in it, put it on a hyssop branch, and held it up to his lips. ³⁰ When Jesus had tasted it, he said, “It is finished!” Then he bowed his head and released his spirit.

**TAKE
HOME**

CONFESSION

1. Take Me To The Cross...*every day!*

2. Wounded For Me...Wounded for *Me!*

3. It should have been *Me!*

YOU, GOD, ARE HOLY.

I AM A SINNER.

**WHAT POSSIBLE
HOPE IS THERE FOR
ME?**

- ❖ **A lost sheep...a violator...dead in the water.**
- ❖ **My best effort leaves me far short of holy.**
- ❖ **What can take away my sin?**

**AH! THE FINAL LAMB,
THE UPRIGHT ALTAR,
HEAVEN'S
VOLUNTEER**

- ❖ **Wounded for me?
Love, you say?**
- ❖ **Despite my failings?
Grace greater than my
sin?**
- ❖ **There is only one
response possible...to
my knees! Romans 2:4**

PRECIOUS JESUS.

YOU ARE WORTHY

Revelation 5:9-10

❖ **Of praise!**

❖ **Honor!**

❖ **Worthy of my best!**

❖ **Hallelujah for the cross!**

MY RESCUER,

REDEEMER,

SAVIOR,

BROTHER,

AND FRIEND,

Ephesians 1:7

❖ **I owe you my life.**

Romans 5:6- 8

❖ **It is not about any right living or climbing Heaven's Ladder**

❖ **Such amazing, extravagant love!
God so loved...**

**SO TAKE ME TO THE
CROSS,**

**LEAD ME TO
CALVARY**

- ❖ **I need to see him there.**
- ❖ **Hear the sounds.**
- ❖ **And remember**

CONFESSIO

I believe that Jesus
is the Christ, the
Son of the living
God.

I trust Him as my
Lord and Savior.

SAVIOR

LORD



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GO

and SHARE

THE GOOD NEWS