

# WHO IS JESUS?

**Luke 23:39-43**

# QUOTES ABOUT JESUS

I am an historian, I am not a believer, but I must confess as a historian that this penniless preacher from Nazareth is irrevocably the very center of history. Jesus Christ is easily the most dominant figure in all history.--[H.G. Wells](#), author

Even those who have renounced Christianity and attack it, in their inmost being still follow the Christian ideal, for hitherto neither their subtlety nor the ardour of their hearts has been able to create a higher ideal of man and of virtue than the ideal given by Christ of old. -  
-[Fyodor Dostoyevsky](#)

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A man who was completely innocent, offered himself as a sacrifice for the good of others, including his enemies, and became the ransom of the world. It was a perfect act. --**Mahatma Gandhi**

I have read in Plato and Cicero sayings that are very wise and very beautiful; but I never read in either of them: "Come unto me all ye that labour and are heavy laden." --**Augustine**

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I accept the resurrection of Easter Sunday not as an invention of the community of disciples, but as a historical event. If the resurrection of Jesus from the dead on that Easter Sunday were a public event which had been made known...not only to the 530 Jewish witnesses but to the entire population, all Jews would have become followers of Jesus. --[Pinchas Lapid](#), Orthodox Jewish scholar, Germany (born 1922)

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I know men and I tell you that Jesus Christ is no mere man. Between Him and every other person in the world there is no possible term of comparison. Alexander, Caesar, Charlemagne, and I have founded empires. But on what did we rest the creation of our genius? Upon force. Jesus Christ founded His empire upon love; and at this hour millions of men would die for Him. -[Napoleon](#)

# TEACHINGS FROM JESUS

Mat.5:43-44 <sup>43</sup> “You have heard that it was said, ‘You shall love your neighbor and hate your enemy.’ <sup>44</sup> But I say to you, **love** your enemies, **bless** those who curse you, **do good** to those who hate you, and **pray for** those who spitefully use you and persecute you,

John 3:<sup>16</sup> For God so loved the world that **He gave His only begotten Son**, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life. <sup>17</sup> For God did not send His Son into the world to condemn the world, but that the world through Him might be saved.

# TEACHINGS FROM JESUS.b

John 14:<sup>6</sup> Jesus said to him, “I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father **except** through Me.

Mark 8:<sup>34</sup> When He had called the people to *Himself*, with His disciples also, He said to them, “**Whoever desires to come after Me**, let him deny himself, and take up his cross, and follow Me. <sup>35</sup> For whoever desires to save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for My sake and the gospel’s will save it. <sup>36</sup> For what will it profit a man if he gains the whole world, and loses his own soul?

# TEACHINGS FROM JESUS

Jn. 10:<sup>10</sup> The thief does not come except to steal, and to kill, and to destroy. I have come that they may have life, and that **they may have *it* more abundantly.**

<sup>11</sup> **“I am the good shepherd.** The good shepherd gives His life for the sheep....

Jn. 10:<sup>27</sup> My sheep hear My voice, and I know them, and they follow Me. <sup>28</sup> And **I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish;** neither shall anyone snatch them out of My hand. <sup>29</sup> My Father, who has given *them* to Me, is greater than all; and no one is able to snatch *them* out of My Father’s hand. <sup>30</sup> **I and My Father are one.”**

# **A TESTIMONY to consider**

**“Jesus died for my sins.”**

**1Cor.15:<sup>3</sup> For I delivered unto you first of all that which I also received, how that Christ died for our sins according to the scriptures;**

# LUKE 23

**33** When they came to the place called The Skull, there they crucified Him **and the criminals**, one on the right and the other on the left.

# LUKE 23

39 One of the criminals who were hanged *there* was **hurling abuse** at Him, saying, “Are You not the Christ? Save Yourself and us!” 40 But the other answered, and rebuking him said, “**Do you not even fear God**, since you are under the same sentence of condemnation?”

# LUKE 23

<sup>41</sup> And we indeed *are suffering* justly, for we are **receiving what we deserve for our deeds**; but this man has done nothing wrong.” <sup>42</sup> And he was saying, “Jesus, **remember me** when You come in Your kingdom!” <sup>43</sup> And He said to him, “**Truly I say to you**, today you shall be with Me in Paradise.”

# **“Jesus died for me.”**

- **God brought into this world His Son**
- **It was God’s purpose for Him to take away our sins.**
- **The fact that you do not know God, is proof that you are a sinner.**
- **Does your heart seek to have a relationship with the Living God?**
- **Turn and call on the name of Jesus to be saved**

# YOUR ENTIRE FUTURE CAN BE CHANGED

Rom. 10:12 For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek; for the same *Lord* is Lord of all, abounding in riches for all who call on Him; <sup>13</sup> for “**WHOEVER WILL CALL ON THE NAME OF THE LORD **WILL BE SAVED.**”**



