

RESURRECTION

Symbols



Coin

Then Judas Iscariot, one of the twelve apostles, went to the chief priests, and asked, "How much will you pay me to give Jesus into your hands?" And they gave him thirty silver coins. From that time on, Judas watched for an opportunity to betray Jesus to them.

MATTHEW 26:14-16



Praying Hands

Then Jesus brought them (the twelve) to a garden grove, Gethsemane, and told them to sit down and wait while he went on ahead to pray. He went forward a little, and fell face downward on the ground, and prayed, "My Father! If it is possible, let this cup be taken away from me. But I want your will, not mine."

MATTHEW 26:36, 39



Chains

When it was morning, the chief priests and Jewish leaders met again to discuss how to induce the Roman government to sentence Jesus to death. Then they sent him in chains to Pilate, the Roman governor.

MATTHEW 27:1-2



Soap

When Pilate saw that he wasn't getting anywhere, and that a riot was developing, he sent for a bowl of water and washed his hands before the crowd, saying, "I am innocent of the blood of this good man. The responsibility is yours!" After Pilate had whipped Jesus, he gave him to the Roman soldiers to take away and crucify.

MATTHEW 27:24, 26



Nails

God let you use the Roman government to nail him to the cross and murder him.

ACTS 2:23



Cross

So, they had him at last, and he was taken out of the city, carrying his cross to the place known as "The Skull," in Hebrew, "Golgotha." There they crucified him and two others with him one on either side, with Jesus between them.

JOHN 19:17-18



Crown

"You are a king, then!" said Pilate. Jesus answered, "You are right in saying I am a king."

JOHN 18:37

Pilate posted a sign over him reading, "Jesus of Nazareth, the King of the Jews." The place where Jesus was crucified was near the city; and the signboard was written in Hebrew, Latin, and Greek, so that many people read it.

JOHN 19:19-20



Receipt... Paid in full

God paid a ransom to save you from the impossible road to heaven which your fathers tried to take, and the ransom he paid was not mere gold or silver, as you very well know. But he paid for you with the precious lifeblood of Christ, the sinless, spotless Lamb of God.

I PETER 1:18-19

Christ died once for the sins of all us guilty sinners, although he himself was innocent of any sin at any time, that he might bring us safely home to God.

I PETER 3:18



White Cloth

When evening came, a rich man from Arimathea named Joseph, one of Jesus' followers, went to Pilate and asked for Jesus' body. And Pilate issued an order to release it to him. Joseph took the body and wrapped it in a clean linen cloth, and placed it in his own new rock-hewn tomb.

MATTHEW 27:57-60



Stone

Joseph rolled a great stone across the entrance (to the tomb) as he left.

MATTHEW 27:60



Spices

The next evening, when the Sabbath ended, Mary Magdalene and Salome and Mary the mother of James went out and purchased embalming spices. Early the following morning, just at sunrise, they carried them out to the tomb. On the way they were discussing how they could ever roll aside the huge stone from the entrance. But when they arrived they looked up and saw that the stone — a very heavy one — was already moved away and the entrance was open!

MARK 16:1-4



Empty Egg

So they entered the tomb — and there on the right sat a young man clothed in white. The women were startled, but the angel said, "Don't be so surprised. Aren't you looking for Jesus, the Nazarene who was crucified? He isn't here! He has come back to life! Look, that's where his body was lying."

MARK 16:5-6