

THE GOSPEL OF LUKE

Sermon Notes "Father, Forgive Them" Luke 23:32-38 May 25, 2014

Luke 23:32-38 Two others, who were criminals, were led away to be put to death with Him. And when they came to the place that is called "The Skull," there they crucified Him, and the criminals, one on His right and one on His left. And Jesus said, "Father, forgive them, for they know not what they do." And they cast lots to divide His garments. And the people stood by, watching, but the rulers scoffed at Him, saying, "He saved others; let Him save Himself, if He is the Christ of God, His Chosen One!" The soldiers also mocked Him, coming up and offering Him sour wine and saying, "If You are the King of the Jews, save Yourself!" There was also an inscription over Him, "This is the King of the Jews."

I. Introduction

II. Exposition, Verses 32-38

III. <u>Take-Aways</u>

- A. Practically the whole world scoffs at Jesus.
- B. Yet, He forgives (v.34).

- C. What about the unforgiven?
- D. So what?

[&]quot;The wicked watches for the righteous and seeks to put him to death." Psalm 37:32