



“The Other Side of the Cross” April 5, 2026

I. **Revelation 1:4-8**

1. There will be a day...
 - When all will see him...
 - When we all stand before the Great I AM (The books will be opened and the Lamb's book of Life will reveal the true followers of God).
2. Notice His Words in **Revelation 1:17-18**
 - *“I am He that lives and was dead; I am alive forevermore.”*
 - *“I have the keys of hell and death.”*

** What Jesus did and how He did it....WOW!

II. **Matthew 27:45-54**

- A. Satan Standing By...Watching Observing
 1. Satan had worked tirelessly for 3 years....
 2. ***“IT IS FINISHED!”*** – Do you have a clue of the real meaning?
- B. When Jesus said “It is finished”, it had just begun
 1. 3 days and 3 places....**Matthew 12:40**
 - Jesus went to the center of the earth, Hell (Gehenna, Hades), the place of judgment and pain. Why did he go there first? To take the keys!
 - Paradise or Abraham's Bosom (**Luke 16:19-26**)
 - Heaven – **John 20:17**
 2. Heaven, the final work of His blood....the seven places it was shed on this earth:
 - The Garden of Gethsemane – *“His sweat was as it were great drops of blood falling to the ground.” (Jesus won back your willpower to live an abundant life on this earth).*
 - The Place called the Hall where they mocked Him and smote Him and struck Him on His Face. (*Jesus won back your deliverance from inner hurts, offences, and shame.*)
 - The Whipping Post where Pilate had Him scourged and beaten with 39 stripes (*Jesus won back your complete health so you can live free from all sickness and all disease.*)
 - The Crown of Thorns that was upon His head (*Jesus won back your peace and prosperity....Your mind will always be in perfect peace.*)
 - The Pierced Hands (*Jesus won back your dominion and authority over every place you touch.*)
 - The Pierced Feet (*Jesus won back your dominion and authority over every place you walk.*)
 - The Pierced Heart (*Jesus won back your right to the very heart of God.*)