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THE CRUCIFIXION OF JESUS—PART 2: WHAT JESUS DID FOR OTHERS (John 19:25*b*-30)

I. He ARRANGED His Mother's CARE (John 19:25*b*-27)

- A. There were four WOMEN standing BESIDE the cross
 - 1. Jesus' MOTHER was there
 - Mary's SISTER, probably Salome, was also there (cf. Matt. 27:56; Mk. 15:40)
 - 3. MARY, [wife] of Clopas, was there
 - 4. Mary MAGDALENE was there
- B. Standing NEAR the women was JOHN
- C. Jesus told His mother to consider JOHN her SON
- D. Jesus told John to consider Mary his own MOTHER
- E. John ACCEPTED the responsibility

II. He COMPLETED His Father's COMMISSION (John 19:28-30)

- A. Jesus knew that "all things had already been ACCOMPLISHED"
 - May refer to His having been "made SIN for US" (Mark 15:33-34; cf. 2 Cor. 5:21)
 - 2. May refer to the FULFILLMENT of PROPHECIES

- B. Jesus announced, "I am THIRSTY" (cf. Ps. 69:21)
 - 1. Some "SOUR WINE" had been provided for the CRUCIFIXION
 - 2. The soldiers provided some with a SPONGE
- C. Then Jesus cried, "IT IS FINISHED!" (cf. Matt. 27:50; Mk. 15:37)
 - 1. Every PROPHECY had been FULFILLED
 - 2. SATAN had been DEFEATED
 - 3. God's LAW had been SATISFIED
 - 4. God's WRATH had been APPEASED
 - 5. The penalty for our SIN had been PAID IN FULL
- D. Jesus BOWED His head and DISMISSED His spirit