

# The Cross

## 1. Passion Account

Read **Matthew 26:31 - 28:10**.

Suggested Reading Intervals:

<u>26:31-35</u>	<u>27:27-31</u>
<u>26:36-46</u>	<u>27:32-44</u>
<u>26:47-56</u>	<u>27:45-56</u>
<u>26:57-68</u>	<u>27:57-61</u>
<u>26:69-75</u>	<u>27:62-66</u>
<u>27:1-10</u>	<u>28:1-10</u>
<u>27:11-26</u>	

## 2. Physical Death

Read the medical account of Jesus' physical death.

## 3. Personal Responsibility

- A. Remember there were many others who died by crucifixion in the first century. It was not that Jesus was painfully crucified that makes him unique-it was that he was crucified for you, in your place. He died on the cross for you.
- B. Romans 3:23
- C. Isaiah 59:1-2
- D. Matthew 27:46
- E. Share the sins that you have had forgiven. Ask the person with whom you are studying to go over their sins.
- F. Isaiah 53:4-6 (substitute your name).

Suggest watching Mel Gibson's "The Passion."