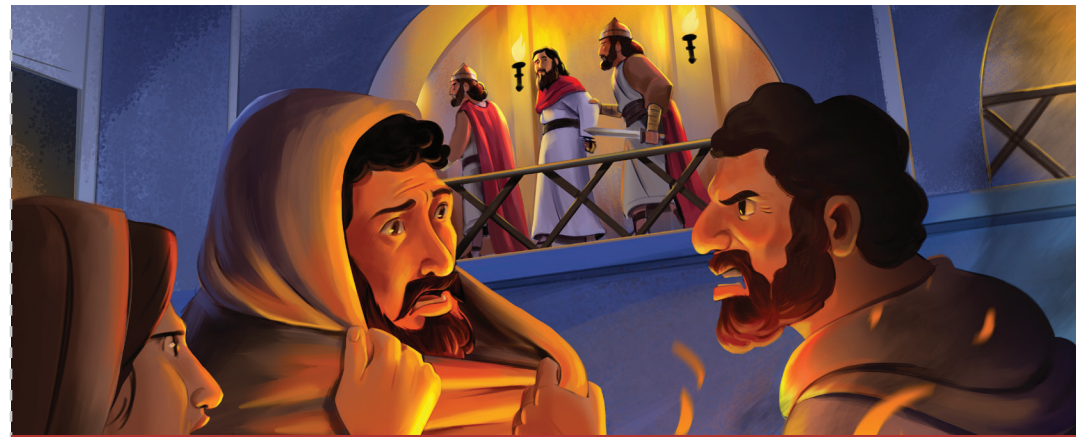




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And I heard every creature in heaven and on earth and under the earth and in the sea, and all that is in them, saying, "To him who sits on the throne and to the Lamb be blessing and honor and glory and might forever and ever!"
Revelation 5:13

1. What does this story teach me about God or the gospel?
2. What does this story teach me about myself?
3. Are there any commands in this story to obey? How are they for God's glory and my good?
4. Are there any promises in this story to remember? How do they help me trust and love God?
5. How does this story help me to live on mission better?



Unit 27 • Session 1

JESUS WAS PUT ON TRIAL

Matthew 26-27; Mark 14-15; Luke 22-23; John 18

HOW IS JESUS THE PERFECT KING? JESUS PERFECTLY RULES OVER THE UNIVERSE AS THE KING OF KINGS.

The men who arrested Jesus led Him to the house of Caiaphas. The religious leaders wanted a reason to kill Jesus, but they couldn't find one. Finally, two men came forward and said, "This man said He can destroy the temple of God and rebuild it in three days."

Caiaphas stood up and asked Jesus, "Is this true? But Jesus said nothing. Caiaphas said, "Are You the Messiah, the Son of God?"

Jesus replied, "Yes, that's right."

Caiaphas said, "This man has spoken against God! Now what should we do?" The crowd said, "He deserves to die!"

The religious leaders took Him to Pilate, the governor. Pilate asked Jesus, "Are You the King of the Jews?"

Jesus answered, "Yes, that's right."

Every year at Passover, the governor would free a prisoner—whichever prisoner the people chose. At that time, there was a prisoner named Barabbas.

Pilate asked the crowd, "Who do you want me to set free? Barabbas or Jesus?"

The crowd answered, "Barabbas!"

Pilate asked, "Then what should I do with Jesus?"

The crowd answered, "Crucify Him!"

Pilate freed Barabbas and handed Jesus over to the crowd to be killed.

Christ Connection: Jesus was unfairly sentenced to die although He did no wrong. Jesus was the perfect substitute for us, dying on the cross for our sins and rising from the dead. Everyone who trusts in Jesus has forgiveness and life with God forever.

My child has completed the Christ Connection on his/her own and has discussed it with me:

Parent Signature: _____