

You Can't Escape The Truth

John 18:28-40

Sooner or Later...The **TRUTH** always Catches Up with us.

During the "passion week," many were willing to Compromise when it came to **TRUTH**.

We must decide what **IS** truth then decide what **TO DO** with the truth.

Today, witnesses in our Courtroom share 4 **TRUTHS** about Mankind, about our World & about our God.

First, the **JEWISH LEADERS** show us **IT'S TRUE THAT...**

1. **MANY ARE RELIGIOUS BUT DON'T KNOW JESUS** (vv.28-31)
 - Many people are Caught Up in Religion but want Nothing to do with Jesus.
 - Hypocrites turn people Off to Jesus & they turn people Off to Church too.
 - The person who KNOWS Jesus has had a Radical Change & they Live Differently than the world around them.

Through the life of **CHRIST**, we also find **IT'S TRUE THAT...**

2. **EVERYTHING JESUS SAID WOULD HAPPEN...DID.** (v.32)
 - HOW do you KNOW the Bible & the Words of Jesus are TRUE? (Matthew 20:17-19)
 - If it DIDN'T come true, we could safely Throw Out everything else that He had to say.
 - We better Pay Attention.
 - We better Be Prepared.

Now all the **PEOPLE** present show us **IT'S TRUE THAT...**

3. **PEOPLE EMBRACE SIN RATHER THAN A SAVIOR** (vv.38b-40)
 - The people were given a Choice...Jesus or Barabbas...
 - The Giver of life or the Taker of life.
 - The Holy One or the Sinful One.
 - We all have a Similar Choice when we consider Holding onto our SIN or Clinging to JESUS.

Finally, **IT'S TRUE THAT...**

4. **JESUS IS THE KING OF A DISTANT KINGDOM.** (vv.33-37)
 - Jesus was claiming to be a KING.
 - Jesus said the servants of HIS kingdom Respond Differently. (v.36)
 - "His Kingdom come" should have SOME IMPACT on the way we View our future.
 - **TODAY, YOU & I** are the Judges.
 - **Make JESUS** the KING of your life.