EDiBS Participants Guide -- John 19:16-42

John 19:16-22
1. Why does John provide so little specific information about the crucifixion of Jesus? (v.16)

2. Why did Pilate put the sign on the cross of Jesus? (v.19)

John 19:23-27
1. How do Christians today show indifference to the cross, similar in a way to the soldiers? (v.23)

2. Jesus shows His love for His mother by putting her care into the hands of John, and not the brothers of Jesus. Why? (v.26,27)

John 19:28-30
1. What did Jesus mean when He said, “It is finished”? (v.30)

2. What is significant about John’s words that Jesus, “...gave up His spirit.”? (v.30)

John 19:31-37
1. Why did the religious go to Pilate and ask that the legs of all 3 men be broken? (v.31,32)

2. What purpose does John give for his testimony to the truth of Jesus’ death? (v.35)

John 19:38-42
1. Why was it a huge step for Joseph and Nicodemus to prepare the body of Jesus? (v.38,39)

2. What further proof do we have here that Jesus actually died? (v.39-42)