

*Early I Seek Thee*  
*Our Sacrificial Lamb (Part 2)*  
**Mark 15:33-47**

*(Parallel Scriptures: Matthew 27:45-61; Luke 23:44-56; John 19:29-30, John 19:38-42)*

**Read Mark 15:33-37**

1. How long was the darkness?
2. What does "forsaken" mean? Why did Jesus feel that His Father had forsaken Him? (2 Corinthians 5:19-21)
3. According to John, what were Jesus' final words? In the Greek language, this statement is only one word (**tetelestai**) which means "paid in full." (John 19:30)

**Read Mark 15:38-41**

4. What caused the centurion to say, "This was truly the Son of God?" What were the visible reasons for his statement?
5. Why was the veil torn in two from top to bottom?
6. Who stood by watching these things?

**Read Mark 15:42-47**

7. What do we know about Joseph of Arimathea? Why did he come forward? (Mark 15:1)
8. Why didn't Pilate believe Joseph?
9. What are the differences in Lazarus' death and burial and Jesus' death and burial? (see John 11:33-44) What were similarities?

Use a separate sheet to list the differences and similarities.