

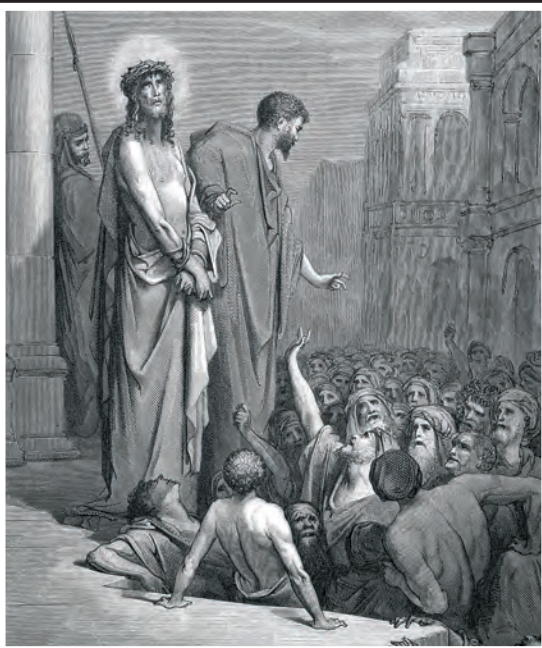
GOOD FRIDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION



4:00 to 6:00 a.m.

Jesus' trial before Annas and Caiaphas.

(Matthew 26:57-68; Mark 14:53-65; Luke 22:66-71; John 18:12-28)



6:00 to 8:00 a.m.

Jesus is put to trial before Pontius Pilate and Herod. The crowd demands the prisoner Barab- bas be released instead and for Jesus to be crucified. Pontius Pilate sentences Jesus to be crucified.

(Matthew 27:1-26; Mark 15:1-15; Luke 23:1-25; John 18:28-19:16)



9:00 to 9:30 a.m.

The Roman soldiers gamble for Jesus' clothing. He prays for them.

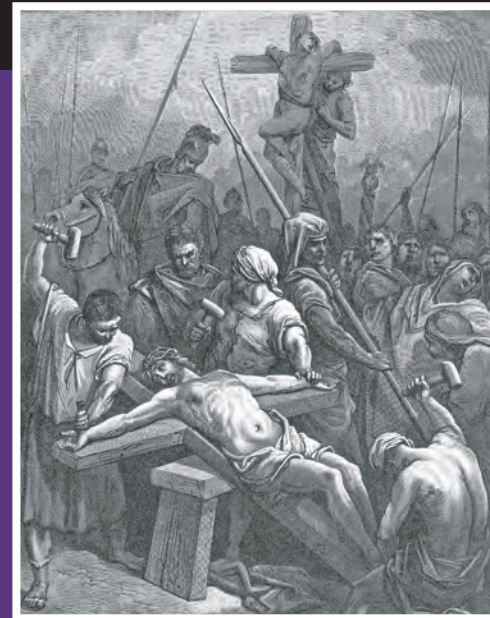
(Matthew 27:35; Mark 15:24; Luke 23:34; John 19:23-24)



9:30 to 11:00 a.m.

The soldiers watch over the crucifixion, mocking Jesus. "He can't save himself," they say. "Come down from there, Son of God."

(Matthew 27:36-43; Mark 15:29-32; Luke 23:35-38)



9:00 a.m. Crucifixion

Jesus is crucified at the third hour. Two thieves are crucified with him on the hill – one to his left, and one to his right.

(Matthew 27:35; Mark 15:24; Luke 23:33; John 19:18-22)

11:00 a.m. to Noon

Jesus speaks from the cross to the thieves crucified to his left and to his right. One of them repents, asking Jesus to remember him in heaven.

"Today you will be with me in paradise," Jesus tells him.

Then Jesus speaks to his mother, Mary, and to John: "Woman, here is your son. ... John, here is your mother," he tells them.

(Matthew 27:38-44; Luke 23:39-43; John 19:25-27)



Noon

A three-hour darkness descends upon the land. The darkness lasts until Jesus' final hour.

(Matthew 27:45; Mark 15:33; Luke 23:44)



8:00 to 8:30 a.m.

Jesus carries his cross to Golgotha in Jerusalem. Simon of Cyrene helps him to carry the cross.

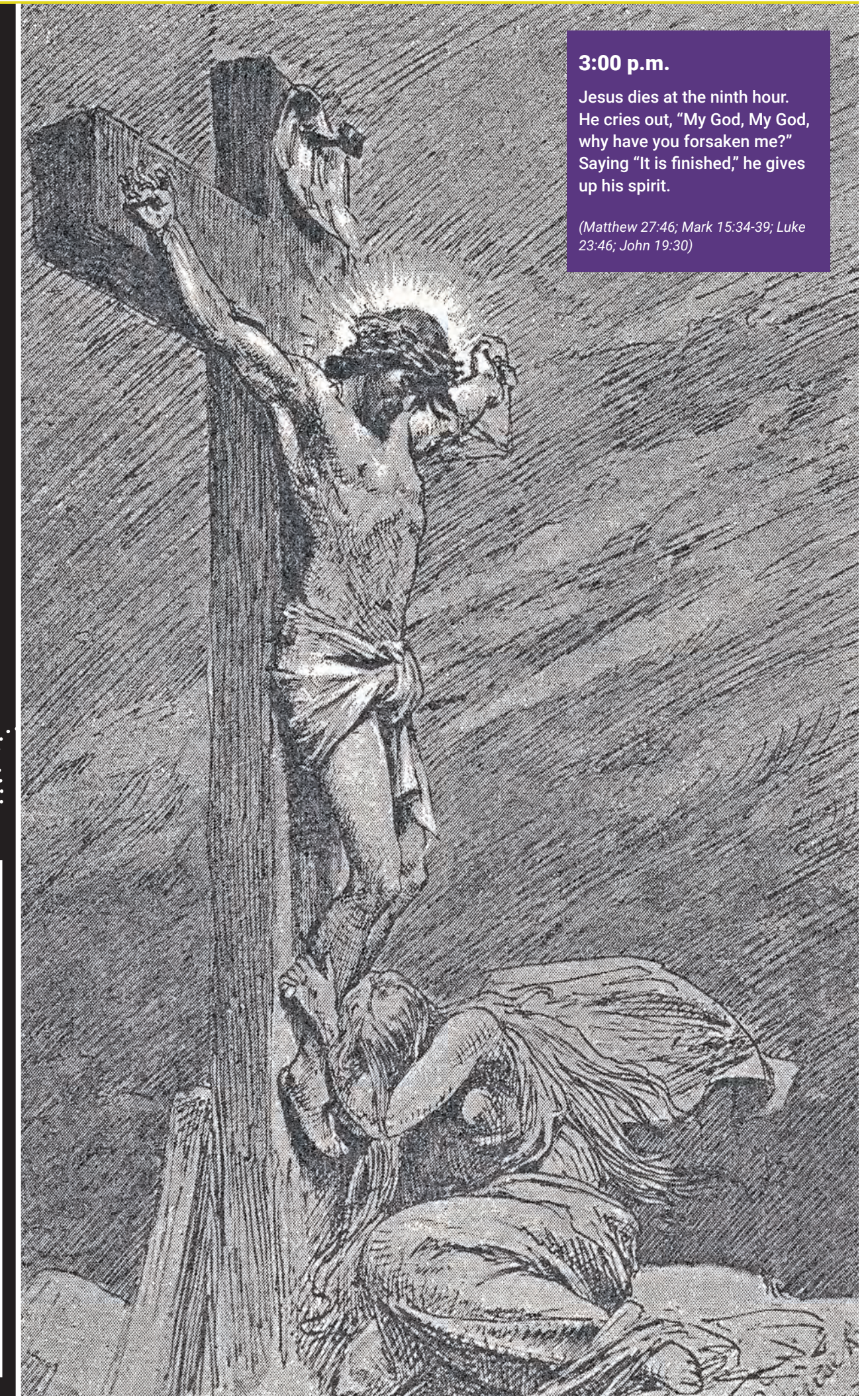
(Matthew 27:27-32; Mark 15:16-21; Luke 23:26-32; John 19:16-17)



Noon to 3:00 p.m.

There are earthquakes, the curtain of the temple tears, and Jesus thirsts.

(Matthew 27:51-54; Mark 15:38; Luke 23:45; John 19:29)



3:00 p.m.

Jesus dies at the ninth hour. He cries out, "My God, My God, why have you forsaken me?" Saying "It is finished," he gives up his spirit.

(Matthew 27:46; Mark 15:34-39; Luke 23:46; John 19:30)