

PRAYER UPDATE

HOSPITALIZED & SURGERIES this past week

Ethan Pope (age 6) leukemia treatment, LPCH Stanford Day Hospital, Mondays and Wednesdays through the end of March. Pray for lessening side effects during his treatments.

Liz Bishop please pray for continued healing and strength from recent surgery and an upcoming procedure.

Pauline Roby will be having hip surgery on 3/27.

Barbara Piper had a bad fall and is in the hospital.

Rhonda Harmon, Karen Speelman's daughter, had a severe heart attack on 3/18 and was taken to Salinas Hospital for surgery.

HOSPICE CARE

Elizabeth Harrell

A complete prayer list is available at the information desk.



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CROSS WORDS

SAYING 4: THE WORD OF AGONY

MARCH 22 & 23 // RENÉ SCHLAEPFER

From noon until three in the afternoon darkness came over all the land. About three in the afternoon Jesus cried out in a loud voice, "Eli, Eli, lema sabachthani?" (which means "My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?"). *Matthew 27:45,46*

At noon, darkness came over the whole land until three in the afternoon. And at three in the afternoon Jesus cried out in a loud voice, "Eloi, Eloi, lema sabachthani?" (which means "My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?"). *Mark 15:33,34*

This happened that the scripture might be fulfilled that said, "They divided my clothes among them and cast lots for my garment."
John 19:24

So that Scripture would be fulfilled, Jesus said, "I am thirsty."
John 19:28

PSALM 22

1000 B.C.

My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?

Psalm 22:1a NIV

Dogs have surrounded me; a band of evil men has encircled me; They pierce my hands and my feet. *Psalm 22:16b*

All who see me mock me; they hurl insults, shaking their heads. "He trusts in the Lord," they say, "let the Lord rescue him. Let him deliver him, since he delights in him." *Psalm 22:7-8*

My mouth is dried up like a potsherd, and my tongue sticks to the roof of my mouth... *Psalm 22:15a*

People stare and gloat over me. They divide my clothes among them and cast lots for my garment. *Psalm 22:17-18*

I am poured out like water, and all my bones are out of joint. My heart has turned to wax; it has melted within me. *Psalm 22:14*

He has done it [...it is finished]! *Psalm 22:31 Amplified*

CRUCIFIXION OF CHRIST

33 A.D.

About three in the afternoon Jesus cried out in a loud voice, "Eli, Eli, lema sabachthani?" which means "My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?" *Matthew 27:46*

There they crucified him... *John 19:18*

Those who passed by hurled insults at him, shaking their heads... "He trusts in God. Let God rescue him now if he wants him..." *Matthew 27:39,43*

Jesus said, "I am thirsty." *John 19:28*

When they had crucified him, they divided up his clothes by casting lots. *Matthew 27:35*

One of the soldiers pierced Jesus' side with a spear, bringing a sudden flow of blood and water. *John 19:34*

Jesus said, "It is finished." *John 19:30a*

IN QUOTING PSALM 22 ON THE CROSS, JESUS IS SAYING TO YOU AND ME:

1. " _____ "
2. " _____ !"
3. " _____ !"

"Oppressed people will eat until they are full. Those who look to the Lord will praise him. May you live forever. All the ends of the earth will remember and return to the Lord. All the families from all the nations will worship you! *Psalm 22:26-27 GW*

Posterity will serve him; future generations will be told about the Lord. They will proclaim his righteousness, declaring to people yet unborn: He has done it! *Psalm 22:31*

BOTTOM LINE:

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