



# WHAT JESUS SAID IN **RED**



## A DYING THIEF TEACHES US ABOUT JESUS' SALVATION Luke 23:32-45

*Luke 23:32-44 (NLT2)*

<sup>32</sup> Two others, both criminals, were led out to be executed with JESUS. <sup>33</sup> When they came to a place called The Skull, they nailed Him to the cross. And the criminals were also crucified—one on His right and one on His left. <sup>34</sup> Jesus said, **“Father, forgive them, for they don’t know what they are doing.”** And the soldiers gambled for His clothes by throwing dice. <sup>35</sup> The crowd watched and the leaders scoffed. “He saved others,” they said, “let Him save Himself if He is really God’s Messiah, the Chosen One.” <sup>36</sup> The soldiers mocked Him, too, by offering Him a drink of sour wine. <sup>37</sup> They called out to Him, “If you are the King of the Jews, save Yourself!” <sup>38</sup> A sign was fastened to the cross above Him with these words: “This is the King of the Jews.” <sup>39</sup> One of the criminals hanging beside Him scoffed, “So You’re the Messiah, are You? Prove it by saving Yourself—and us, too, while You’re at it!” <sup>40</sup> But the other criminal protested, “Don’t you fear God even when you have been sentenced to die? <sup>41</sup> We deserve to die for our crimes, but this man hasn’t done anything wrong.” <sup>42</sup> Then he said, “Jesus, remember me when You come into Your Kingdom.” <sup>43</sup> And Jesus replied, **“I assure you, today you will be with Me in paradise.”** <sup>44</sup> By this time it was noon, and darkness fell across the whole land until three o’clock.

*{Mark 15:25, Matthew 27:41-44, Mark 15:32, Luke 23:43, 1 John 5:13}*

### ON THE WAY TO A SURE SALVATION...

...Must Come Clarity Of \_\_\_\_\_ !

*{Luke 23:40, Hebrews 9:27}*

ON THE WAY TO A SURE SALVATION... (Cont.)

...Must Come Certainty Of \_\_\_\_\_!  
{Luke 23:41, Romans 6:23}

...Must Come Comprehension That \_\_\_\_\_!  
{Luke 23:41, Ecclesiastes 7:20, 2 Corinthians 5:21}

...Must Come Conviction That Only GOD's \_\_\_\_\_!  
{Luke 23:42, Ephesians 2:8-9}

...Must Come Confident That If I Ask, \_\_\_\_\_!  
{Luke 23:42, Acts 16:31}

We Base Our "SURE SALVATION" On The \_\_\_\_\_!  
Luke 23:43 (NLT2)

*"Jesus replied, **I assure you**, today you will be with me in paradise."*

With Jesus ETERNAL SALVATION is \_\_\_\_\_! "Today"

With Jesus ETERNAL SALVATION is \_\_\_\_\_! "you will"

With Jesus ETERNAL SALVATION is \_\_\_\_\_! "be with me"

With Jesus ETERNAL SALVATION is \_\_\_\_\_! "in paradise"

WHEN CAN I RECEIVE THIS \_\_\_\_\_?

2 Corinthians 6:2 (CEV)

*"In the Scriptures God says... This is the day for you to be saved."*

Romans 10:13 (TLB)

*"Anyone who calls upon the name of the Lord will be saved."*

