It is finished! – John 19:30

**Focal Truth: All things were finished through Christ death on the cross**

Did you know that Jesus Christ death on the cross, finished the wrath of God toward sin?

Have you ever considered all that was finished when Jesus Christ died on the cross?

When did you last humbly worship & glorify the Lord Jesus Christ for His complete suffering for your sins?

**19:28 – Jesus, knowing that all things had already been accomplished…**

**10:30 – He said, it is finished!**

**Observations**

**1. All things were finished He agonized in thirst to the end – 19:28**

 a. He thirsted from the exhaustion from the agony of beatings, carrying the

 cross & the crucifixion

 b. He refused the wine to dull the pain of crucifixion

 c. He thirsted who gave thirsty souls satisfaction when they believed in Him

 d. His thirst was real thirst fulfilling what was prophesied of a thirsty, dying

 Messiah!

 e. He thirsted the wrath of God so that in place of sinners

**2. All things were finished He knew when the work was complete – 19:28**

 a. He was fully aware of His sufferings

 b. He knew what things He would suffer before He suffered them!

 c. He knew that His sufferings &work were completed in the cross

 d. He knew all the prophesies regarding Messiah’s suffering &death were

 completed

 e. He knew that His work of preaching, healing and glorifying the Father was

 completed

 f. He knew the satisfaction of God’s wrath for sin was paid

**3. All things were finished He drank bitter vinegar as his last drink – 19:29**

a. His last drink was bitter vinegar as He was dying

 b. The last act of mockery from sinners was the bitter vinegar for drink

 c. His last taste was the taste of bitterness

 d. He thirsted so that we might not feel the bitterness of sin &wrath of God

**4. All things were finished He declared the work of redemption finished –**

 **19:30**

a. He finished the work obediently – Phil 2:8 - He humbled himself to the

 point of death, even death on a cross

 b. He finished the work freely – John 10:17 -18 – I lay down my life, that I

 may take it up again, no man takes it from me, but I lay it down of myself, I

 have the power to lay it down and I have the power to take it up again…

 c. He finished the work completely – Heb. 7:25 – he is able to save those

 forever who draw near to God

 d. He finished the work lovingly – out of love for sinners – Father forgive

 them they know not what they do

 e. He finished the work triumphantly – over sin, & the devil &the grave –

 John 17:4 - I have glorified you on earth! I have finished the work you gave

 me to do

 d. He finished the work finally! The work of redemption is fully done!

 It is finished!

1 Cor. 15:3 – Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures

**Things to Remember**

1. The Lord Jesus felt every pain of suffering in His beating &on the cross

2. The Lord’s death on the cross left nothing else to do for redemption for sin!

3. The Lord’s death on the cross paid our debt for sin

4. The Lord Jesus Christ completely suffered to save those completely who believe

 in Him!

**Daily Use**

1. Praise the Lord Jesus for His finished work on the cross! He has done all, suffered

 all!

2. Meditate on His complete suffering for sin

3. Learn from His suffering how to suffer as a Christian

4. Believe in the Lord Jesus Christ – He has died on the cross for your sins

**When Jesus had received the sour wine, He said, It is finished! And He bowed His head and gave up His spirit**