



## **Jesus Never Said That “You Get What You Deserve”**

**Text: Luke 23:32-43 (p.884)**

In Scripture, numbers often have meaning. And God in His sovereignty orchestrates things around those numbers to \_\_\_\_\_ what He is saying.

It is no accident there were three being crucified that day. It shouts about the \_\_\_\_\_ of what Jesus did. (**Jn. 19:30**)

**Following Jesus is about \_\_\_\_\_, not \_\_\_\_\_.**

The second criminal asks Jesus for \_\_\_\_\_. Now, he doesn't use that word, but his words are the definition of it.

If we're not careful, we can \_\_\_\_\_ from this situation is that all I need to do is to say the nine magic words, the magical incantation that makes me right with God through Jesus.

This criminal, unlike everyone else around him, \_\_\_\_\_ to Jesus instead of demanding Jesus do things on his terms.

Even our obedience is about receiving. The good things we do – the way we are to live as we follow Him – are \_\_\_\_\_. (**Eph. 2:8-10**)

Our obedience shows that we really do love Him – that we \_\_\_\_\_ enough to do what He says, to avoid what He prohibits, to go where He leads, to think as He thinks. (**Jn. 14:21**)

Obedience unlocks more of Jesus. Obedience is the way I continue to receive more and more \_\_\_\_\_. (**Jn. 14:21**)

Jesus took what we \_\_\_\_\_ so we can have what He \_\_\_\_\_.