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Jesus and Pilate

Matthew 27:15-30

Mark 15:16-20

John 19:11-16



06 Crucifixion - Jesus and Pilate

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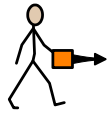
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Reading the stories.

1. Reading the text with symbols gives you the basic story.
2. Reading all the text gives you the simple truth.
3. Reading with a partner is fun!

Will you read the text with symbols or the text without symbols?

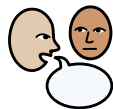


The guards take Jesus to Pilate.

Pilate is the Roman governor.

Pilate is very important and lives in a palace.

He comes out of his palace to speak to the Jewish people.



The Jewish people say Jesus is a bad man.

Pilate asks what Jesus has done wrong.

Pilate tells the Jewish people to judge Jesus by their own law.

The Jewish people complain that they are not allowed to kill him.








Pilate asks Jesus, "Are you the King of the Jews?"


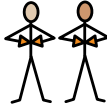
Pilate takes Jesus inside his palace and talks to him.

Jesus tells Pilate He is born to tell people the truth.





Pilate doesn't think Jesus has done anything wrong.

    
Pilate wants to let Jesus go.

It is the custom to let one prisoner go at Passover.
Pilate goes outside to speak to the Jewish people again.
He says, "Do you want me to free this 'King of the Jews'?"

    
The people yell, "We want Barabbus."

Barabbus is a rebel.
The people want Jesus killed.
They want Pilate to let Barabbus go instead of Jesus.

   
The soldiers make a crown of thorns.

Pilate orders Jesus to be taken away and whipped.
The soldiers use some thorny branches to make a crown.
They put the crown on Jesus' head.



The soldiers give Jesus a purple robe.

The soldiers put the robe round Jesus' shoulders.

They mock and say, "Hello 'King of the Jews'"

They hit Jesus in the face.

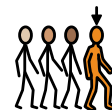


The Jewish people and soldiers shout, "Kill Him!"

Again Pilate comes out of his palace to talk to the people.

He says, "I can find nothing to charge Jesus with."

The Jewish people, priest and soldiers shout, "Kill him on a cross!"



Pilate gives Jesus to the Jewish leaders.

Again and again Pilate tries to let Jesus go.

The Jewish people, priests and soldiers shout "Kill Him on a cross!"

Pilate says the Jewish leaders must do their own killing.