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While praying in the Mount of Olives, our Lord Jesus Christ was taken into custody by Roman soldiers after being accused by Jewish officials. That's when it all began. When it was time to follow God's loving will to save humankind. Jesus understood that and from the time when he was born to the time before he ascended into Heaven Jesus righteously obeyed God's plan.

After being taken into custody, Jesus was sent to see Pilate to judge him in front of the multitudes for the things he was being accused of. Although Pilate correctly found nothing wrong, the Jewish officials were determined to kill Jesus and manipulated the people to do according to their desires so they all chanted that Jesus be punished. Pilate, not wanting to be involved sends Jesus to be judged by Herod who in turn sends Jesus back to Pilate. Throughout the time spent with Pilate, Jesus confirms that He is the Lord.

Pilate being the Roman governor of Judaea did not want any more trouble in the city in fear that Julius Caesar may remove him from his job so he is forced to obey the Jewish petition to kill Jesus. However, Pontius at first decides that Jesus not be killed but beaten in order to satisfy the Jewish requests, but it wasn't enough for the Jewish officials and after being severely beaten Jesus is placed in front of the people of Judaea. There, Pontius Pilate not wanting to go any further punishing Christ is asked by the people to crucify Jesus so he had to do as the people desired. Either way, Jesus comforted Pilate when he said that it wasn't Pilate who was crucifying him.

So Jesus determined to continue God's plan began to carry the heavy cross ascending through Golgotha and finally reaching the top of the mountain. There, He was nailed unto the cross and placed in between two men who unlike Jesus had committed great crimes. One of them mocked Jesus but the other humbly accepts Christ who promises to see him in Heaven after everything was taken care of. Even on the cross while suffering a lot of pain, Jesus loved and He comforts Mary's pain telling her to take John as his son and then tells John to see Mary as his mother. At last it was time and Jesus knowing all says that He is thirsty and proclaims His victory saying that everything that He was sent to do had been done and then dies for three days until He resurrects and culminates God's will.

The purpose that Jesus had on Earth was to save us and liberate us, to show us God's love, and to give us an example to follow in living our everyday lives. He taught us and loved us so much that he died for our sins and became our Savior. He was beaten carried the heavy cross which in reality were the weight of our wrong doing and removed that from our shoulders.

It is inevitable to recognize the greatness of Jesus without mentioning the immense love that God has for us. At the same time, Jesus is amazing as he followed everything that knew through the Lord that he had to do. Fulfilling all the prophecies written on the scriptures, Jesus demonstrates the righteousness of God's word.

I'm a member of a family of five. My mom's name is Griselda, my dad's name is Hector, my older brother Yamil with my younger sister Denep and I all live together in Countryside where the Lord has placed us after leaving Mexico City. Although we all grew up in a Catholic background, we were able to learn about God from an early age.

Prior to the past year, I would not read God's word nor prayed frequently. I did not have a close relationship with God and I questioned His existence. Unfortunately, I would not attend service with the excuse that it wasn't the right time for me. That of course was wrong.

After leaving Catholic school and coming to America, I continued to distance myself from God's presence so much that I would walk in darkness instead of embracing the light. In my teenage years I would attend parties that were in no way suitable to my Spirit and to God's acceptance. I would partake in the wrong activities that would occur at those events. For that reason, I also separated myself from my family and even though we lived together, we did not spend quality time with one another. Taking part in the life of sin, I despised and became a part of those who denied and deny Jesus and for that I am sorry.

Fortunately, following a turn of events, I started to attend church with the rest of my family. This church was different than the ones I grew up going to because it was a Christian Community rather than a Catholic Church. The second Sunday after attending the previous one for the first time in a while, I was saved and with tears in my eyes I accepted Jesus as my Lord and savior. I understood that Jesus was giving me another opportunity to walk along with him and for that I am forever grateful.

In present time even while under His wing, I need to repent for being lazy and not studying the things that I need to study in order to serve God better. I also must repent for not giving priority to the things that God has instructed us to give priority. I must be a more organized and more responsible person in order to serve better. In addition I repent myself sincerely for my wrong thoughts of lust, selfishness and avarice.

My decision of faith to follow righteously is to be determined to do the things I need to do without procrastinating. I must make a schedule that can allow me to be more organized with the life that God has given me and therefore give priority to the things in a well-balanced manner. I need to continue to nurture my spirit while reading God's Word and practicing Jesus teachings. I must have the will to learn as much as I can because God loves wisdom and that way I can be of better use to him. I need to humble myself more by living the way Jesus did and by pursuing the things that He wants us to pursue.