

# “The Stumbling Block of Power”

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John 3:14 And just as Moses lifted up  
the serpent in the wilderness, so must  
the Son of Man be lifted up,



Is. 53:10 ¶ But the LORD was pleased

To crush Him, <sup>1b</sup>putting Him to grief;

If He would render Himself as a guilt <sup>c</sup>offering,

He will see His offspring,

He will prolong His days,

And the good pleasure of the LORD will prosper in His hand.



Lev. 24:16 One who blasphemes the name of the LORD shall be put to death; the whole congregation shall stone the blasphemer.

Aliens as well as citizens, when they blaspheme the Name, shall be put to death.



Deut. 21:23 his corpse must not remain all night upon the tree; you shall bury him that same day, for anyone hung on a tree is under God's curse. You must not defile the land that the LORD your God is giving you for possession.



John 3:14 And just as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, so must the Son of Man be lifted up,

John 3:15 that whoever believes in him may have eternal life.



Matt. 27:46 And about three o'clock  
Jesus cried with a loud voice, "Eli, Eli,  
lema sabachthani?" that is, "My God,  
my God, why have you forsaken me?"



John 8:28 So Jesus said, "When you have lifted up the Son of Man, then you will realize that I am he,<sup>a</sup> and that I do nothing on my own, but I speak these things as the Father instructed me.





John 8:30 As he was saying these things,  
many believed in him.



1Cor. 1:23 but we proclaim Christ  
crucified, a stumbling block to Jews and  
foolishness to Gentiles,



Psa. 31:1 In you, O LORD, I seek refuge;  
do not let me ever be put to shame;  
in your righteousness deliver me.

Psa. 31:2 Incline your ear to me;  
rescue me speedily.

Be a rock of refuge for me,  
a strong fortress to save me.



Psa. 31:3 ¶ You are indeed my rock and  
my fortress;

for your name's sake lead me and  
guide me,

Psa. 31:4 take me out of the net that is  
hidden for me,  
for you are my refuge.



Psa. 31:5 Into your hand I commit my

spirit;

you have redeemed me, O LORD,

faithful God.



Luke 23:46 And Jesus, crying out with a loud voice, said, "Father, INTO YOUR HANDS I COMMIT MY SPIRIT." Having said this, He breathed His last.



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