

Remember His Fame, Claim, Shame and Name

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*Psalms 77:11-12 (niv) I will remember the deeds of the Lord; yes, I will remember your miracles of long ago.
12: I will meditate on all your works and consider all your mighty deeds.*

REMEMBER HIS FAME

Matthew 4:24 (kjb) And his fame went throughout all Syria: and they brought unto him all sick people that were taken with divers diseases and torments, and those which were possessed with devils, and those which were lunatic, and those that had the palsy; and he healed them.

Luke 5:15 (kjb) But so much the more went there a fame abroad of him: and great multitudes came together to hear, and to be healed by him of their infirmities.

REMEMBER HIS CLAIM

It was prophesied who He was.

Luke 1:35 (kjb) And the angel answered and said unto her, The Holy Ghost shall come upon thee, and the power of the Highest shall overshadow thee: therefore, also that holy thing which shall be born of thee shall be called the Son of God.

He also claimed to be the Son of God.

John 10:36 (nlt) why do you call it blasphemy when I say, 'I am the Son of God'? After all, the Father set me apart and sent me into the world.

The devil and demons knew who He was.

Luke 4:41 (nlt) Many were possessed by demons; and the demons came out at his command, shouting, "You are the Son of God!" But because they knew he was the Messiah, he rebuked them and refused to let them speak.

Martha (Lazarus' sister) knew who he was

John 11:27 (nlt) "Yes, Lord," she told him. "I have always believed you are the Messiah, the Son of God, the one who has come into the world from God."

The Roman soldiers realized who He was.

Matthew 27:54 (nlt) The Roman officer and the other soldiers at the crucifixion were terrified by the earthquake and all that had happened. They said, "This man truly was the Son of God!"

At His crucifixion people referred to His claim

Matthew 27:43 (nlt) He trusted God, so let God rescue him now if he wants him! For he said, 'I am the Son of God.'"

REMEMBER HIS SHAME

His shame was prophesied 700 years before His birth.

*Isaiah 50:6-7 (tlb) I give my back to the whip, and my cheeks to those who pull out the beard. **I do not hide from shame**-they spit in my face. 7: Because the Lord God helps me, I will not be dismayed; therefore, I have set my face like flint to do his will, and I know that I will triumph.*

Hebrews 12:2 (nlt) Jesus endured the cross, disregarding its shame. Now he is seated in the place of honor beside God's throne.

This was HIS SHAME

Matthew 27:27-54 - His Trial and His Crucifixion.

- He was taken by an occupying foreign power (Rome)
- He was spat upon.
- He was mocked by the soldiers and the senior religious leaders.
- He was shamed by the Soldiers.
- He was tempted - Blindfolded – smitten - prophecy “who smote thee”
- He was whipped – bleeding wounds.
- A crown of thornes – forced into his skin, bloodied and mocked

- He was forced to carry His own cross.
- He was publicly displayed and shamed through the streets of Jerusalem like that of a common criminal.
- He was crucified alive – nails driven through his hands and feet.
- A soldier's spear was thrust through His side.
- And water and blood - gushed out
- He died!

Remember His shame because it was for you and me that he bore that shame.

Remember that Jesus was hurt for the hurt of the people, *similar to that which Jeremiah speaks of.*

***Jeremiah 8:21-22 (nkjv)** For the hurt of the daughter of my people I am hurt. I am mourning; Astonishment has taken hold of me. 22: Is there no balm in Gilead, Is there no physician there? Why then is there no recovery for the health of the daughter of my people?*

What is our response to His hurt – as passers by the cross

***Lamentations 1:12 (niv)** "Is it nothing to you, all you who pass by? Look around and see. Is any suffering like my suffering that was inflicted on me, that the Lord brought on me in the day of his fierce anger?"*

Mark 15:29-30 (nlt) *The people passing by shouted abuse, shaking their heads in mockery. "Ha! Look at you now!" they yelled at him. "You said you were going to destroy the Temple and rebuild it in three days. 30: Well then, save yourself and come down from the cross!"*

REMEMBER HIS NAME

Salvation only through Jesus Name.

Acts 4:12 (niv) *Salvation is found in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given to men by which we must be saved.*

Forgiveness of sins through Jesus Name

Acts 2:38 (niv) *Peter replied, "Repent and be baptized, every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins. And you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit.*

The miraculous performed through Jesus Name

Acts 4:30 (niv) *Stretch out your hand to heal and perform miraculous signs and wonders through the name of your holy servant Jesus.*

Prayer requests in Jesus Name

John 14:13 (niv) *And I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Son may bring glory to the Father.*