



## ***“The Mocking of Jesus”***

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***Introduction*** –After Jesus’ trial and conviction Pilate sends Jesus away to be crucified. There is a prominent theme we see throughout the process.

### ***I. The Mocking of Jesus.***

- A. Jesus is mocked by four different groups of people.
  - 1.
  - 2.
  - 3.
  - 4.
- B. Jesus was not just killed He was shamed.
- C. Why are all these people mocking Jesus?

### ***II. The Heart of a Mocker.***

- A. Mocking Jesus shows us two things about our heart.
- B. First, Mocking Jesus shows the Hostility to the claims of Jesus.

C. What are they mocking Jesus for?

D. Second, Mocking Jesus shows a Blindness to the weakness and ways of Jesus.

1. When life gets hard, we start to mock.

2. We mock because we know how our life should be.

E. Mockery shows us what is really in our hearts.

1. Hostility

2. Pride

3. Blindness

***Conclusion.***