MIRACLES IN YOUR HOME

WEEK TWO DEVOTIONAL

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KEY SCRIPTURE:

Psalm 22

SUMMARY:

Every time we read about Calvary the story is told from the ground up. But in Psalm 22 David looks at the crucifixion from the cross looking down---1,500 years before it happened! They knew nothing about someone dying on the cross in David's time and yet, right there in Psalm 22 are the exact words Jesus spoke and the pain he felt on the cross 1,500 years later!

That's why the prophecy and the truth of the Old Testament is so powerful still today. In fact, verses 1-15 describe the crucifixion from the eyes and mind of Jesus in great detail. Verses 16-18 are the most conclusive and descriptive---as they pierced Him and gambled for His clothing---the exact thing that is described in Matthew.

Then, just as quickly as Jesus died, everything shifts in verses 21-27 as He has conquered death and the words change to victory. Easter is all about the victory that was won with the shed blood at Calvary and death was conquered when Jesus rose from the dead!

KEY POINTS TO CONSIDER:

1. JESUS DIED FOR US.

Teach this to your family and friends. It's His blood that paid the price for your sins.

2. WE WILL WORSHIP BEFORE HIM SOME DAY.

Victory is here now! Worship now knowing there will come a day when we will worship Him in person.

3. CHRISTIANITY IS NOT DO, DO, DO---IT WAS ALL DONE AT CALVARY.

It is FINISHED! Your salvation cannot be earned. It was paid for at Calvary. When we measure our salvation by how good we are or how much we "do" we never measure up and doubt sets in. Salvation is not a reward you earn, it's a gift you have to receive.

4. WHEN YOU PARTAKE OF COMMUNION, JESUS SHOWS UP.

As you partake of communion, remember that as you commemorate what Jesus did, He remembers you. He is there with you as you honor His teaching to do it often.

5. THE LAST SUPPER WAS IN A HOME JUST LIKE YOURS.

This holy time of reflection called "communion" was not introduced in a cathedral or a temple---but in a humble home. Take time in your home and partake in communion together or alone.

FINAL THOUGHTS:

At the first Passover meal in Egypt, and every year up until that famous scene in the upper room, you had the lamb on the table as part of the meal, but in the New Testament, Jesus changed all that. The communion meal in the upper room was only bread and no lamb on the table. That's because the Lamb of God was AT the table. That Lamb was Jesus. Invite Jesus to YOUR table this Easter. He will surely show up.

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS:

- 1. Take a moment and read Psalm 22. Talk about the detailed description of Calvary given by David in this passage.
- 2. How does this add to your faith in the Bible?
- 3. Take a moment and talk about #3 above in the Key Points section. Do you ever find yourself doubting your salvation?
 - a. What are some reasons for your doubt?
- 4. What did Jesus mean when He said, "It is finished?"
- 5. Talk about what taking communion means to you.

6. H	How comfortable	would you	feel leading	your family i	n communion?
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7.	What has this period of quarantine meant to you as you have worked through staying
	home for over three weeks now?



