

NOW IS THE TIME, Sermon 11  
*“The Holy Spirit at the Cross”*

Matthew 27:46; Mark 14:34

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“And about the ninth hour Jesus cried with a loud voice, saying, Eli, Eli, lama sabachthani? that is to say, My God, my God, why hast thou forsaken me?”

(Matthew 27:46)

“And saith unto them, My soul is exceeding sorrowful unto death: tarry ye here, and watch.”

(Mark 14:34)

## Gospel of Luke:

“Father forgive them...”

“Today, thou shalt be with me in  
paradise...”

“Father, into thy hands...”

## Gospel of John:

“Woman, behold...; behold thy mother...”

“I thirst...”

“It is finished.”

“Behold Him contemplating the price to be paid for the human soul. In His agony He clings to the cold ground, as if to prevent Himself from being drawn farther from God.”

(Desire of Ages p. 687)

“But now with the terrible weight of guilt He bears, He cannot see the Father’s reconciling face. The withdrawal of the divine countenance from the Saviour in this hour of supreme anguish pierced His heart with a sorrow than can never be fully understood by man. So great was this agony that His physical pain was hardly felt.”

(Ibid., p. 753)

“In that thick darkness God’s presence was hidden...And in that dreadful hour Christ was not to be comforted with the Father’s presence... He tread the winepress alone...”

(Ibid., pp. 753, 754)

“For there are three that bear record in heaven, the Father, the Word, and the Holy Ghost: and these three are one.”

(1 John 5:7)

“I and my Father are one.”

(John 10:30)

“Believest thou not that I am in the  
Father, and the Father in me?”

(John 14:10, first part)

“... Verily, verily, I say unto you, The Son can do nothing of himself, but what he seeth the Father do: for what things soever he doeth, these also doeth the Son likewise.”

(John 5:19)

“And I will pray the Father, and he shall give you another Comforter, that he may abide with you for ever; Even the Spirit of truth...”

(John 14:16,17 first part)

“In the year that king Uzziah died I saw also the Lord sitting upon a throne, high and lifted up, and his train filled the temple.”

“Above it stood the seraphims...”

“And one cried unto another, and said,  
Holy, holy, holy, is the Lord of hosts...”

(Isaiah 6: 1-3)

“And the four beasts had each of them six wings about him; and they were full of eyes within: and they rest not day and night, saying, Holy, holy, holy, Lord God Almighty...”

(Revelation 4:8)

“If we have in any sense a more trying conflict than had Christ, then he would not be able to succor us.”

(Desire of Ages, p. 117)

“He feared that sin was so offensive to God that their separation would be eternal. Christ felt the anguish which the sinner will when mercy shall no longer plead for the guilty race.”

(Desire of Ages, p. 753)

**“It is Finished.”**