Delivered to be Crucified

Matthew 27:26-35 (series #159)

Intro: the irony of the Jewish people murdering their Messiah - Acts 3:12-15; 2:22-23, 36; 4:10; 5:27-30; 10:38-39

I. The Scourging of Jesus v. 26

- A. It was a severe beating
- B. It was before Jesus was sentenced to the cross
- C. Jesus had to be crucified
 - 1. Psalm 22
 - 2. John 3:14-15; 12:22-23

II. The Mocking of Jesus vv. 27-31

- A. They stripped Jesus & put a robe on Him
- B. They placed a crown of thorns on Him
- C. They gave Him a mock scepter
- D. They spat on Him and struck Him

III. The Carrying of the Cross of Jesus v. 32

- A. It was done by Simon of Cyrene
- B. His wife & son (at least) became believersRomans 16:13

IV. The Crucifixion of Jesus vv. 33-35a

- A. It was on Golgotha (Calvary)
- B. Jesus refused the pain-deadening drink

Conclusion: Why did this happen? - 2nd Cor. 5:21