

Story 102: Jesus is Arrested and Killed

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Read this story in the Bible in Mark 14:32-42, 43-46, 55, 63, and 15:16-19.

Words to Know

arrest – to take by force a person suspected of breaking the law

trial – an official meeting in which a judge tries to find out the truth about something that has happened

Questions

1. What time of day was it?
2. Where was Jesus? What had he been doing?
3. What did Jesus know?
4. What could Jesus see in the distance?
5. How did the soldiers know which man was Jesus?
6. What did the soldiers do with Jesus?
7. What happened to Jesus in Jerusalem?
8. What did the court decide about Jesus?
9. What happened to Jesus next?
10. What happened to Jesus on a small hill outside of Jerusalem?

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