

# THREE CROSSES – THREE DEATHS

Luke 23:32-46

## **The Cross of Rebellion** *of the man who died in his sins*

- **An Insulting Heart** – “He blasphemed Him.”
- **A Doubting Heart**— Saying, “If You are the Christ, save yourself and us.”
- **A Rejecting Heart**—A sinner who wants a Savior without a cross.

## **The Cross of Repentance** *of the man who died to sin*

- **A Fearing Heart** – He rebuked him, saying , “Do you not even fear God, seeing you are under the same condemnation?”
- **An Accepting Heart** – “We indeed justly , for we receive the due reward of our deeds ; but this Man has done nothing wrong .”
- **A Believing Heart** – Then he said to Jesus, “Lord , remember me when You come into your kingdom.”

## **The Cross of Redemption** *of the man who died for sin*

- **An Asserting Heart** – And Jesus said to him, “ Assuredly , I say to you,”
- **A Forgiving Heart** – “ today you will be with Me in Paradise .”
- **A Yielding Heart**— And when Jesus had cried out with a loud voice , He said, , “Father , into thy hands I commit My spirit.” Having said that He breathed His last .