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# TRANSFORMING TRUTH

# At the cross

**What do you see?**

Luke 23:35

The people stood watching, and the rulers even sneered at him. They said, "He saved others; let him save himself if he is the Christ of God, the Chosen One."

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# At the cross

**1. Do you see the horror?**

Isaiah 52:14

Just as there were many who were appalled at him – his appearance was so disfigured beyond that of any man and his form marred beyond human likeness—

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**2. Do you see OUR  
mess?**

Romans 3:23

For all have sinned and  
fall short of the glory of  
God

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## 3. Do you see the 'so much more'?

Luke 22:42

“Father, if you are willing, take this cup from me; yet not my will, but yours be done.”

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2 Corinthians 5:21  
God made him who had  
no sin to be sin for us

**3. Do you see the 'so  
much more'?**

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## 3. Do you see the 'so much more'?

Matthew 27:45-46

About three in the afternoon Jesus cried out in a loud voice, "Eli, Eli, lema sabachthani? (which means "My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?")"

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## 4. Do you see the choice?

Acts 2:23

This man was handed over to you by God's set purpose and foreknowledge; and you, with the help of wicked men, put him to death by nailing him to the cross.



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**4. Do you see the choice?**

John 10:11

I am the good shepherd.  
The good shepherd lays  
down his life for the  
sheep.

John 10:17-18

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**4. Do you see the choice?**

The reason my Father loves me is that I lay down my life--only to take it up again. No one takes it from me, but I lay it down of my own accord. I have authority to lay it down and authority to take it up again.

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**4. Do you see the choice?**

1 John 1:8

If we claim to be without sin, we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us.

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**4. Do you see the choice?**

Proverbs 16:25

There is a way that seems right to a man, but in the end it leads to death.

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## 5. Do you see **YOUR** response?

**PILATE - nothing to do with me**

Matthew 27:24

When Pilate saw that he was getting nowhere, .. he took water and washed his hands .. "I am innocent of this man's blood," he said. "It is your responsibility!"

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Matthew 27:5

So Judas threw the money into the temple and left. Then he went away and hanged himself.

5. Do you see **YOUR** response?

JUDAS - I'm too messed up!

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Isaiah 53:4

Surely he took up our  
infirmities and carried  
our sorrows,

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**THE WOMEN - devotion rewarded!**

John 19:25-27

When Jesus saw his mother there, and the disciple whom he loved //, he said to his mother, "Dear woman, here is your son," and to the disciple, "Here is your mother." From that time on, this disciple took her into his home.

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John 19:25-27

Later, Joseph of Arimathea asked Pilate for the body of Jesus.

Now Joseph was a disciple of Jesus, but secretly because he feared ... With Pilate's permission, he came and took the body away.

**5. Do you see YOUR response?**

JO & NIC - it's time to break cover!

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## 5. Do you see **YOUR** response?

**CENTURION** -declared faith

Marj 15:39

And when the centurion, who stood there in front of Jesus, heard his cry and saw how he died, he said, "Surely this man was the Son of God!"

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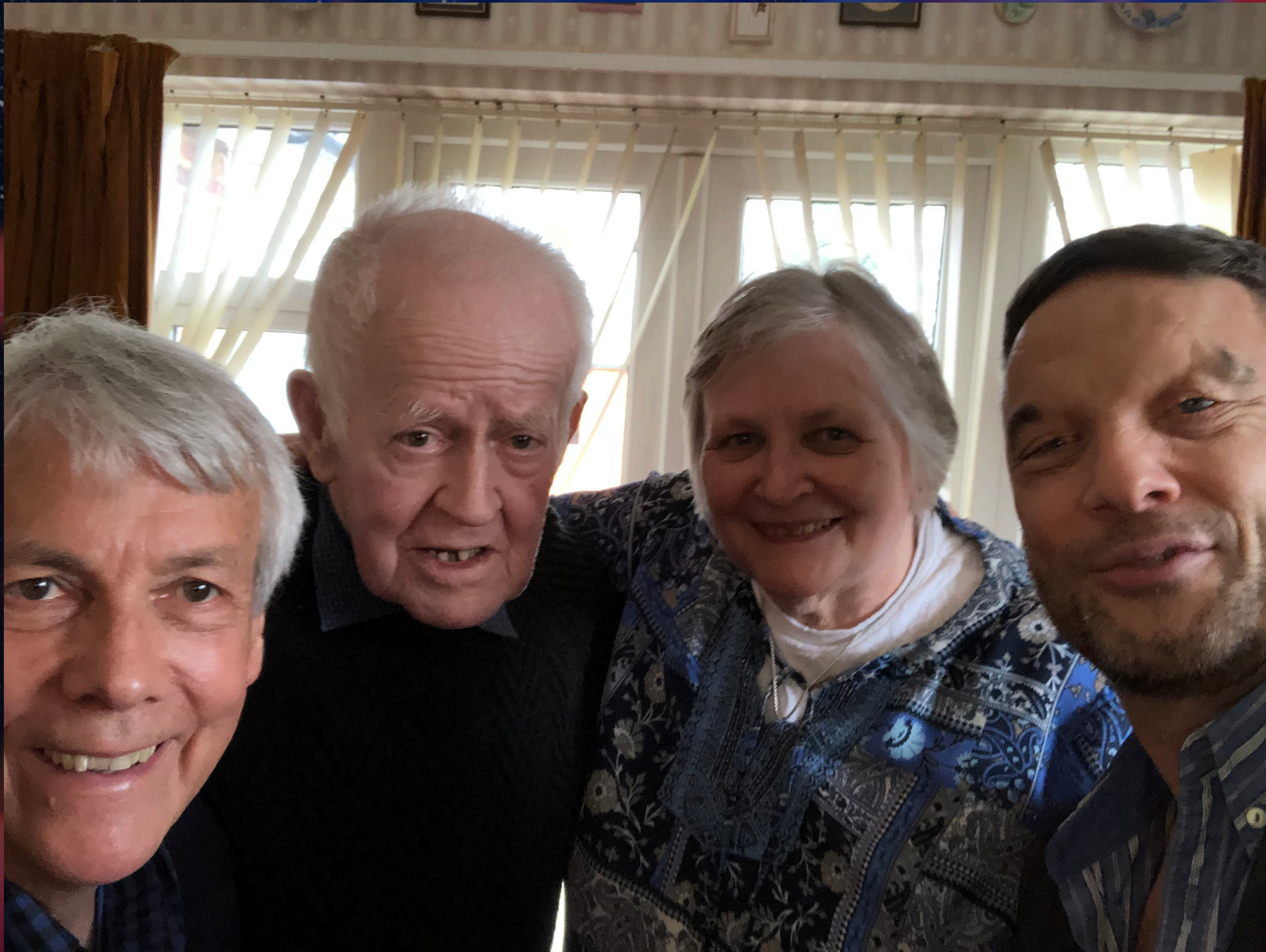
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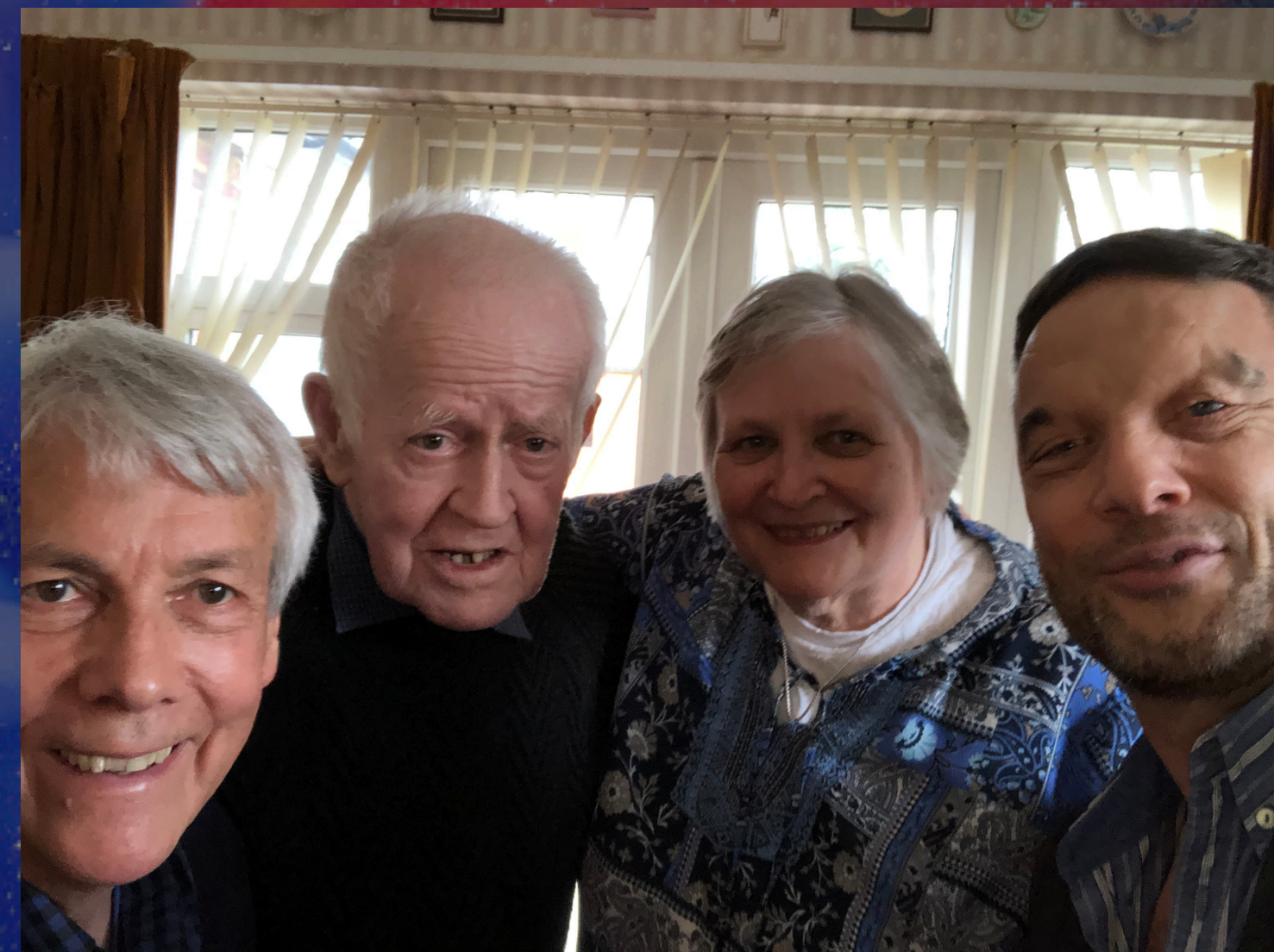
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