



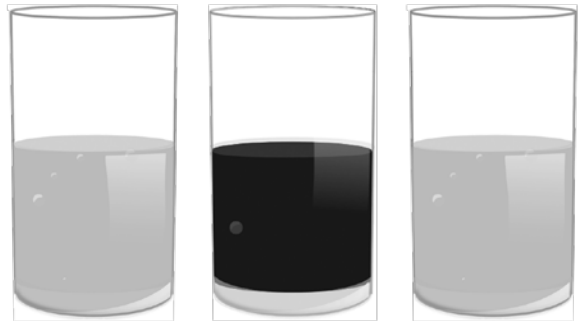
After being convicted despite his innocence, Jesus carries his cross up the hill. Soldiers nail Jesus to the cross. Darkness falls on the land for three hours as Jesus hangs on the cross. When he dies, it causes an earthquake. Jesus did all of this to take our punishment. Jesus loves us so much that he died for us.

*“For this is how God loved the world: He gave his one and only Son, so that everyone who believes in him will not perish but have eternal life” (John 3:16).*

### Family Together Time

Try this fun experiment as a family. Make sure an adult handles all the chemicals.

- Fill three glasses halfway: one with water, one with iodine, and one with bleach.
- Imagine that the water is us. Pour some iodine into the water to represent how sin makes us dirty.
- Add some more water. Talk about ways people try to get rid of their own sin.
- Add bleach. Talk about how Jesus died on the cross to forgive our sins.
- Pour the iodine into the bleach to show how Jesus took on everyone’s sins but remained perfect.
- Thank Jesus for forgiving our sins.



### Talk About This...

- What’s something people can do that’s a good way to show *you* love?