# JESUS' 7 CRIES FROM THE CROSS A CRY OF ASSURANCE Dr. Lutzer calls this "one of the most hopeful, incredible conversion stories that anyone could find." He is describing Jesus' promise to the thief on the cross: "Today you will be with

# A CRY OF ANGUISH

When Jesus died on the cross, He was dying for your sin and my sin. Our sin caused His Father to turn His back on Him. Why would we think that any of our "good works" would be greater than Jesus' sacrifice?

me in paradise." Upon what did Jesus base that promise?

# A CRY OF VICTORY

When Jesus declared, "It is finished," the plan of God from eternity past was completed. Jesus has paid the debt of your sin.

The question now is, how will you respond?

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**PARDON** 

### A CRY FOR PARDON

Jesus prayed, "Father, forgive them." Have you ever wondered if your sins were included in that prayer? Or do you think you are too big a sinner for God to ever forgive?

### A CRY OF COMPASSION

Even in the midst of the intense agony of the cross, Jesus had compassion on His mother. What does His example mean for us? What does Jesus Himself tell us about how we can show compassion to others?

### A CRY OF SUFFERING

Why would Jesus, who is the Water of Life, be thirsty? Dr. Lutzer explains that Jesus was thirsty so that we would never need to be!

## A CRY OF SUBMISSION

Jesus died a good death. He accomplished all that His Father had planned. And in His final word, He puts Himself into His Father's hands in victorious fellowship.

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