

BECAUSE HE SUFFERED DEATH

Even though you (with the help of wicked men) put him to death, Christ was handed over to you by God's set purpose and foreknowledge.

(Acts 2:23)

It was the Lord's will to crush him and
cause him to suffer (*Isaiah 53:10*)

It was fitting that God...should make
him perfect through suffering.

(Hebrews 2:10)

The suffering of Christ was **predicted**
because it was **planned**.

God not only wanted to **deliver** us
from death, but, in the process, to
disable death itself.

SUFFERING OF CHRIST?

- pain (physical)
- trauma (emotional)
- darkness (spiritual)

It was the Lord's will to crush him and cause him to suffer. And though the Lord makes his life a guilt offering, he will see his offspring and prolong his days, and the will of the Lord will prosper in his hands.

After the suffering of his soul, he will see the light of life and be **SATISFIED!** By his knowledge my righteous servant will justify many and bear their iniquities.

(Isaiah 53:10-11)

SATISFACTION OF CHRIST?

- He will see his offspring (10)
- The plan will prosper (10)
- He will see life following death (11)
- Many [people] will be justified (11)