



# WOODROW KROLL MINISTRIES

shares the plans for  
Dr. Woodrow Kroll's new book series:

## CRUCIFIXION : A MULTIDISCIPLINARY INVESTIGATION OF THE DEATH OF JESUS OF NAZARETH

### Book 1 – Roman Crucifixion and the Death of Jesus

Available NOW

Focus: How Roman crucifixion informs us of Jesus' death

Synopsis: Traces the source of crucifixion as a means of execution and examines how the Romans both adopted and adapted the cross with archaeological, historical, and literary evidence for the use of crucifixion being examined

Chapters: The Origins and History of Crucifixion; The Worst of All Deaths; Crucifixion and the Romans; Wooden Stake or Roman Cross?; The Components of a Roman Cross; Types of Roman Crosses; How Victims were Fastened to a Cross; Hands or Wrists?; The Horror of Scourging; Crucifixion and Archaeology; How Roman Crucifixion Informs Us of Jesus' Death; Jesus has the Last Word

### Book 2 – Watching Jesus Die

Anticipated Summer 2023

Focus: Investigating the Lives of Calvary's Cast of Characters

Synopsis: Piecing together the biblical and historical information to gain a full-orbed portrait of each hero and villain in Calvary's cast and drawing new insights into how each of the cast contributes to "the greatest story ever told"

Chapters: *Principal Cast* – Jesus of Nazareth, the Disciples, Peter, Judas Iscariot, Annas, Caiaphas, Pontius Pilate; the Gethsemane Group; *Executors* – Sanhedrin, Roman Killing Squad; *Criminals and Scorners*; *People of Faith* – Claudia Procula, Simon of Cyrene, Roman Centurion, Mary the mother of Jesus, Mary Magdalene, Other women, Joseph of Arimathea, Nicodemus; *Team Rome* – Tiberius Caesar, Herod Antipas, Roman Soldiers; *Team Jerusalem* – Barabbas, Jerusalem Mob, Daughters of Jerusalem; *Backstage* – Satan

### Book 3 – Probing the Trials, Crucifixion, and Burial of Jesus of Nazareth

Anticipated Fall 2023

Focus: Grasping the Impact of Every Event the Day Jesus Died

Synopsis: A deep-dive into all the factors and events that contributed to the death of "the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world" helping readers come away with the feeling they were actually present at the trials, crucifixion, and burial of Jesus of Nazareth

Chapters: Jesus' Trial Before Annas and Caiaphas; The Constantly Changing Charges against Jesus; Jesus' Trial before Pilate; Was the Trial of Jesus Legal?; The Location of Jesus' Crucifixion; Did Jesus Really Die on the Cross?; The Burial of Jesus; The Location of Jesus' Tomb; An Inventory of Jesus' Suffering

## **Book 4 – Dating Jesus’ Death**

**Anticipated Spring 2024**

Focus: Exploring the Year, Date, Day, and Time of Jesus’ Crucifixion

Synopsis: A careful examination of how the Jewish people understood their days of the week and an honest wrestling to answer the riddle of the day of Jesus’ crucifixion

Chapters: Calculating Time in Antiquity; Calculating Time by Seasons and Sabbaths; Was the Last Supper a Passover Seder?; The Case for a Wednesday Crucifixion; The Case for a Thursday Crucifixion; The Case for a Friday Crucifixion; Passion Week Timeline; The Impact of Jesus’ Birth Date on His Death Date; Calculating the Year of Jesus’; Candidates for the Year of Jesus’ Crucifixion

## **Book 5 – Walking with Jesus from the Upper Room to Joseph’s Tomb**

**Anticipated Summer 2024**

Focus: Tracing Jesus’ Footprints during His Final Hours

Synopsis: Seeing the eternal plan of God for our salvation unfold in less than 24 hours in the meaning of each step and the location of each stop Jesus took from the Upper Room to Joseph’s Tomb

Chapters: The Upper Room; Gethsemane; High Priest’s Compound; Pilate’s Judgment Hall; Herod’s Passover Bed and Breakfast; Pilate’s Judgment Hall; The Via Dolorosa; The Killing Field of Jerusalem; The Tomb of Joseph

## **Book 6 – What Jesus’ Crucifixion Accomplished**

**Anticipated Fall 2025**

Focus: A theological examination of the purpose and meaning of Jesus’ death

Synopsis: Presenting twelve unique and often overlooked results of what happened that dark Friday in Jerusalem “when for our sake he made him to be sin who knew no sin, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God”

Chapters: Jesus made Atonement for Us; Jesus became a Curse to Remove the Curse from Us; Jesus bore the Weight of the World’s Sin; Jesus Endured Divine Wrath against Human Sin; Jesus Exchanged His Righteousness for Our Sin; Jesus Fulfilled the Divine Necessity for Justice; Jesus Redeemed Enslaved Sinners; Jesus Provided the Basis for Our Forgiveness; Jesus Restored Our Severed Relationship with God; Jesus Exchanged Our Human Shame for Divine Glory; Jesus Provided the Good News of the Gospel Story; Jesus Defeated Satan in His Long War with God

## **Book 7 – What It Means To ‘Take Up Your Cross’**

**Anticipated Spring 2025**

Focus: How to cultivate and keep a hungry heart for God

Synopsis: What does the crucifixion mean for us? How does Jesus’ death impact our life? What does it mean to “deny ourselves, take up our cross, and follow him”? What does Satan do to thwart our following close behind the Savior? How can the cross-command change our world, and then the world? These are the kinds of questions answered in this book.

Chapters: What Is Hunger for God?; What Impacts Your Heart?; Hungry Hearts of the Bible And History; Spiritual Starvation or a Hungry Heart; How to Cultivate a Hungry Heart; Fasting and Prayer for a Hungry Heart; How to Keep a Hungry Heart; The Blessing of Being Hungry for God; Rewards for the Hungry Heart; Please RVSP for a Hungry Heart