

"TRIAL BEFORE HEROD"

LUKE 23:6-12

I. THE IDENTITY OF THIS PARTICULAR HEROD (23:6-7)

- A. He Is The Son Of Herod The Great
- B. He Is Also Known As Herod Antipas
 - 1. He Had Been Given Galilee & Perea
 - 2. He Was A Man Of Some Talent
 - 3. He Had A Great Interest In Religion
 - 4. He Had Taken Up With Herodius, The Incestuous Wife Of His Brother, Philip
 - 5. He Was Never Able To Come To Resolute Decisions Regarding Right & Wrong

II. THE MEETING BETWEEN HEROD AND CHRIST (23:8-12)

- A. Herod Is Initially Glad For The Opportunity
- B. Herod's Great Desire Was To See The Lord Work A Miracle
 - 1. His Encyclopedic Mind Had Recorded The Things He Had Heard
 - 2. As In The Temptation In the Wilderness, Jesus Granted No Such Request
- C. Herod Resorted To Plan B: A Series Of Questions (23:9)
- D. Herod Listened to The Rantings Of The Jewish Leaders (23:10)
- E. Herod, In Total Frustration, Initiated a Mocking Campaign (23:11)
- F. Herod & Pilate Begin An Unexpected And Thoroughly Ungodly Alliance (23:12)