

Series: The Seven Sayings of the Cross, Part 1

Title: The Most Important Subject in the Christian Religion

Text: Genesis 2:17-3:24

- 1 Corinthians 2:2
- “As long as you live, be aware of a religion in which there is not much of the cross.”
J.C. Ryle
- 2 Corinthians 10:10
- “The most advanced Christian can never hear too much about the cross.” **J.C. Ryle**
- *In Genesis 2:17 and 3:1-24, we see **three important realities** about the cross...*

1. THE REASON FOR THE CROSS (Genesis 2:17; 3:5, 22-24)

Isaiah 14:14

Habakkuk 1:13

Romans 3:10

Romans 6:23

2. THE REDEMPTION OF THE CROSS (Genesis 3:15)

Matthew 1:20-21

Galatians 4:4-5

3. THE RESPONSE OF THE CROSS (Genesis 3:21-22)

Ephesians 2:8

Romans 10:9