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The Romans? Yes, in a sense

And so Pilate (the Roman governor), willing to content the people . . . delivered Jesus, when he had scourged him, to be crucified.

—Mark 15:15

The Jews? Yes, in a sense

Now the chief priests, and elders, and all the council, sought false witness against Jesus, to put him to death.

—Matthew 26:59

Then answered all the people, and said, His blood be on us, and on our children.

—Matthew 27:25

Judas Iscariot? Yes, in a sense

And Judas Iscariot, one of the twelve, went unto the chief priests, to betray him unto them.

—Mark 14:10

The Son of man goeth as it is written of him: but woe unto that man by whom the Son of man is betrayed! it had been good for that man if he had not been born. —Matthew 26:24

God? Yes, in a sense

Surely he hath borne our griefs, and carried our sorrows: yet we did esteem him stricken, SMITTEN OF GOD, and afflicted. —Isaiah 53:4

He that spared not his own Son, but delivered him up for us all, how shall he not with him also freely give us all things?

—Romans 8:32

YOU? Yes . . . this is the ultimate answer!

. . . the Lord hath laid on him the iniquity of US ALL.

—Isaiah 53:6

But God commendeth his love toward US, in that, while WE were yet sinners, Christ died FOR US.

—Romans 5:8

But he was wounded for OUR transgressions, he was bruised for OUR iniquities: the chastisement of OUR peace was upon him; and with his stripes WE are healed. —Isaiah 53:5

This is a faithful saying, and worthy of all acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners, of whom I am chief.

–1 Timothy 1:15

O! The Love of God!

For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.

–John 3:16

For Christ also hath once suffered for sins, the just for the unjust, that he might bring us to God...

–1 Peter 3:18

Dare You Refuse This Love?

He that believeth on the Son hath everlasting life: and he that believeth not the Son shall not see life; but the wrath of God abideth on him.

–John 3:36

How shall we escape, if we neglect so great salvation...

–Hebrews 2:3

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