FOR INTERMEDIATE GRADES: Easter Clues

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1. 5 points: I brought 75 pounds of spices to wrap Jesus' body for burial. (John 19:39)

4 points: I helped Joseph lay Jesus in the tomb. (John 19:40-42)

3 points: I was a Pharisee. (John 3:1)

2 points: I was a member of the ruling council. (John 3:1)

1 point: I came to Jesus at night to ask how I could be born again. (John 3:2) Who am I?

2. 5 points: My other name was Cephas. (John 1:42)

4 points: I cut off a man's ear with a sword. (John 18:10)

3 points: I tried to walk on water and almost drowned. (Matthew 14:29)

2 points: My brother was Andrew. (Matthew 4:18)

1 point: I denied Jesus three times. (Matthew 26:75) Who am I?

3. 5 points: I was angry when a woman poured expensive perfume on Jesus. (John 12:3-4)

4 points: I was the treasurer of the disciples. (John 12:6)

3 points: My last name means I was from Kerioth.

2 points: I committed suicide in Jerusalem. (Matthew 27:5)

1 point: I betrayed Jesus with a kiss. (Mark 14:45) Who am I?

4. 5 points: Jesus stayed at my house just before his triumphal entry

into Jerusalem. (John 12:1)

4 points: I anointed Jesus with expensive perfume. (John 12:3)

3 points: Jesus raised my brother Lazarus from the dead. (John 11:43-45)

2 points: My sister was Martha. (John 11:19)

1 point: My name is the same as Jesus' mother. Who am I?

5. 5 points: I was a Roman governor. (John 18:28-29)

4 points: I had soldiers flog Jesus. (John 19:1)

3 points: I handed Jesus over to be crucified. (John 19:16)

2 points: I washed my hands of responsibility for Jesus' death. (Matthew 27:24)

1 point: I released Barabbas from prison. (Matthew 27:26) Who am I?

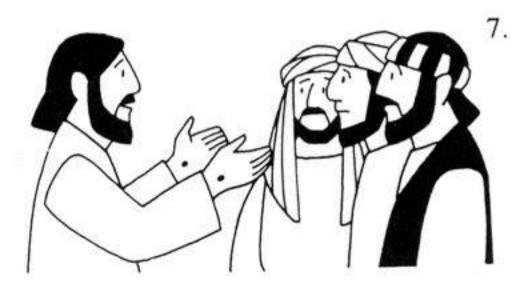
6. 5 points: I was a disciple of Jesus. (Matthew 27:57)

4 points: I was a member of the council. (Luke 23:50)

3 points: I came from a Jewish town called Arimathea. (Matthew 27:57)

2 points: I took Jesus' body down from the cross. (Luke 23:53)

1 point: I laid Jesus' body in my own tomb. (Matthew 27:59-60) Who am I?



7. 5 points: I went fishing with Peter after Jesus' resurrection.

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