

#### **CRUCIFIXION OF CHRIST**

The crucifixion of Jesus Christ is discussed in all four Gospels of the New Testament. Carrying his cross up the rugged and desolate hillside of Golgotha to the site of His execution, Jesus is bound and nailed to a tree by His hands and feet. Left to hang on the cross for three hours before succumbing to death, many artistic representations of the crucifixion include the presence of His mother, His mother's sister, Mary Magdalene, and John (the disciple) as they stand by His side to the end.

On the evening following the crucifixion, Joseph of Arimathea goes to Pilate to ask him for the body of Jesus. Pilate consents to this request. Joseph takes the body of Jesus to prepare it for *burial and lay it in a tomb*. The Gospel account of Luke 23:55 suggests that the same

group of women that stood beside Jesus at Golgotha (e.g., His mother, His mother's sister, and Mary Magdalene) followed Joseph to where he lay *His body in the tomb.* Our collection features an example of Mary with Jesus in the tomb.

# THE STORY OF THE DEATH AND BURIAL OF JESUS

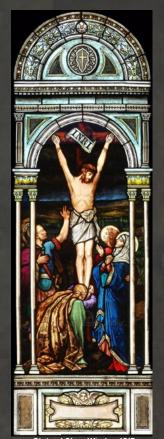
Jesus is sentenced *to death by crucifixion* on the basis of His personal revelation *as the Messiah*. The inscription of the charge held against Him appears on the cross and reads, "*King of the Jews.*" Jesus indeed threatened many cherished beliefs, customs, and practices of Judaism of the time, but His life and ministry never wavered from acts of kindness, peace, and unconditional love.

Joseph of Arimathea is mentioned in all four Gospels, but as a historical figure in the life (and death) of Christ he is otherwise strangely absent from any other reference point in the Bible. The fact that Joseph begged Pilate for the body of Jesus unquestionably displays a tremendous act of courage and a profound testimony of his love for Jesus. Joseph acted quickly to provide *Jesus with a proper burial and tomb* in Arimathea, located about twenty-five miles from Jerusalem. Matthew 27:61 suggests that the mother of Jesus and Mary Magdalene witnessed Joseph prepare the body and that they remained close by the tomb.

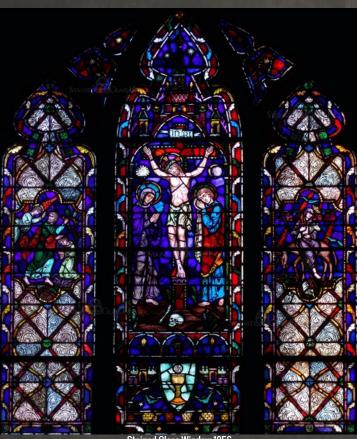


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Stained Glass Window 1056 Colorful Crucifixion



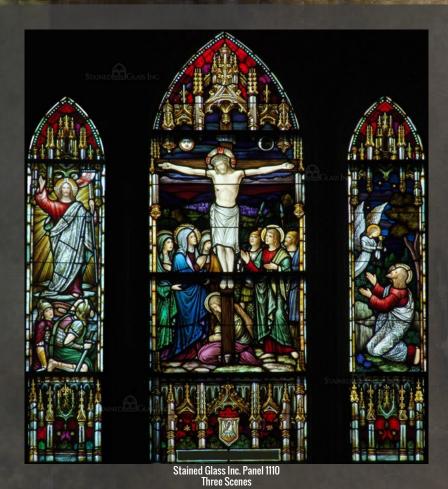
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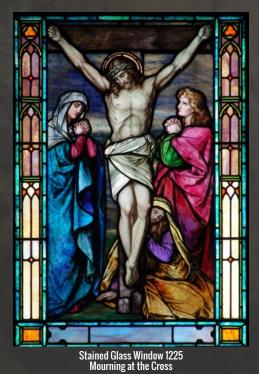
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Stained Glass Window 1077 Glorious Pieta









Stained Glass Window 1412 The Mourning at the Cross

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Stained Glass Window 1287
The Sorrowful Mother





Stained Glass Window 4406 Death Upon the Cross



Stained Glass Window 1315 Arched Crucifixion



Stained Glass Window 1346 The Crucifixion



Stained Glass Window 1373 Gothic Two Panel Crucifixion



Stained Glass Window 4360 The Savior Crucified



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Stained Glass Window 1575 Intricate Crucifixion



Stained Glass Window 1599 Lord on the Cross



Stained Glass Window 1610 Mourning the Crucifixion



Stained Glass Window 1623 Cross at Golgotha



Stained Glass Window 1661 His Crucifixion





Stained Glass Window 1723 Grief at the Cross



Stained Glass Window 1700 The Lord Crucified



Stained Glass Window 1796 John and Mary



Stained Glass Window 1878 Jesus's Death upon the Cross



Stained Glass Window 2632 The Crucifixion Rose Window



Stained Glass Window 1952 Crucifixion of the Lord





Stained Glass Window 1953 Beautiful Pieta



Stained Glass Window 1954 The Entombment of Christ



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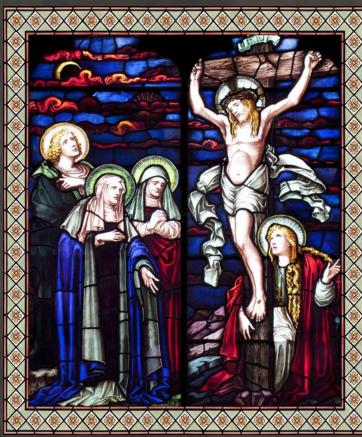


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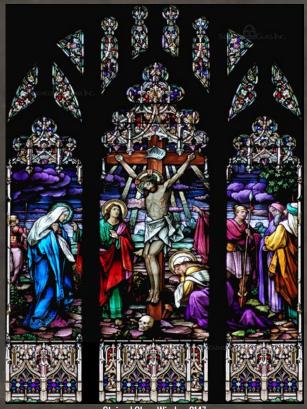


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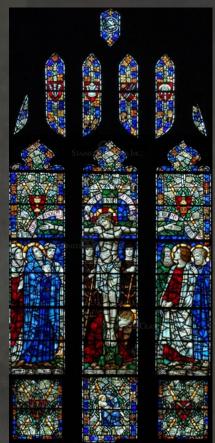


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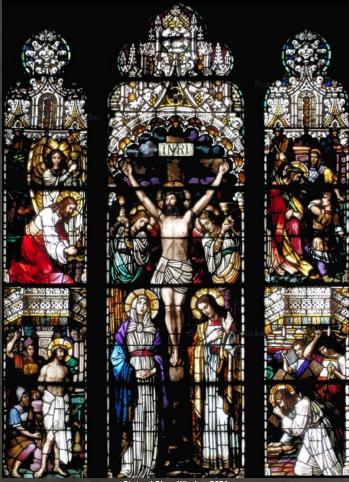
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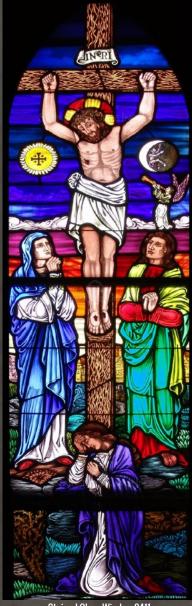
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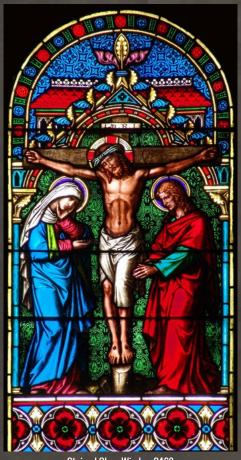


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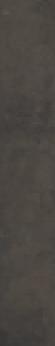
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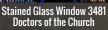
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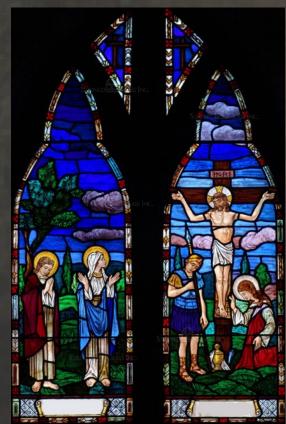




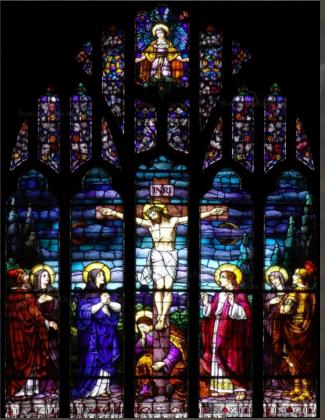




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Stained Glass Window 3782 Representation of the Passion



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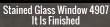








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Stained Glass Window 4157 Christ on the Cross



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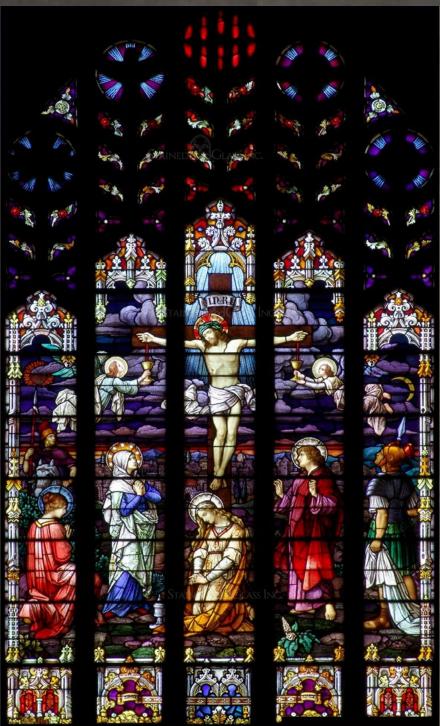
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Jesus Upon the Cross

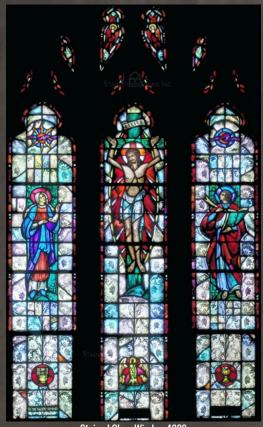


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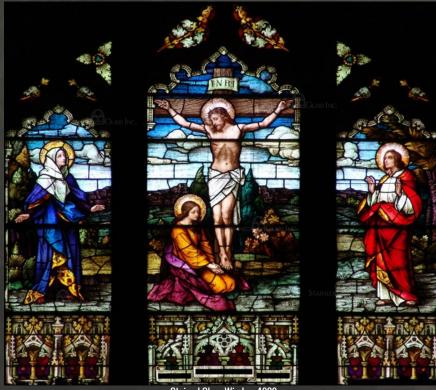




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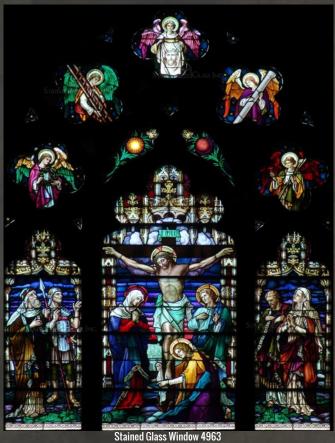
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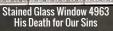


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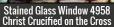






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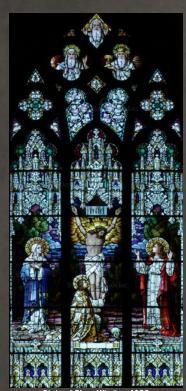


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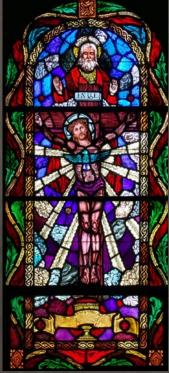




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Stained Glass Window 4920 Christ on the Cross Gothic



Stained Glass Window 5186 The Father and the Son



Stained Glass Window 5174 The Crucifixion of Jesus Christ



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Stained Glass Window 5188 Jesus and the Crucified



Stained Glass Window 5276 The Death of Christ on the Cross



Stained Glass Window 5230 Roses on the Cross Symbols



Stained Glass Window 5190 The Crucifixion of our Savior



Stained Glass Window 2438 The Crucifixion of the Son of God

