Three Days and Three Nights

A timeline of the death, burial, and resurrection of Jesus Christ

The timeline below illustrates the biblical sequence of events that is revealed when all the inspired biblical accounts are put together, as explained in this article. Remember, in the Bible, days begin and end at sundown, unlike modern weekdays, which begin and end at midnight.

DAYS BEGIN AT SUNSET

Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Nisan 14	Nisan 15	Nisan 16	Nisan 17	Nisan 18
Passover	**Annual Sabbath**		**Weekly Sabbath**	
	DAY 1	DAY 2	DAY 3	
JESUS CHRIST IN THE TOMB FOR 3 FULL DAYS				
CHRIST IS CRUCIFIED				**CHRIST ALREADY RISEN**
The Crucifixion and Burial *Jesus is crucified and buried right before the annual Sabbath begins.* Luke 23:53–54	**High Day Sabbath** *The first day of the Feast of Unleavened Bread, an annual Sabbath.* John 19:31; Leviticus 23:6–7	**Women Buy and Prepare Spices** *After the high day, the women buy and prepare spices to anoint Jesus' body.* Mark 16:1	**Women Rest** *After preparing the burial spices, the women rest on the weekly Sabbath.* Luke 23:56	**Women Visit the Tomb** *Women bring spices early in the morning while it is still dark.* John 20:1