

### **The Chosen S4 E3: “Moon to Blood”**

- The disciples grumble and bicker about Simon’s elevation to Peter
- Quintus (Dominus) orders Gaius to shrink Tent City by 10 cubits a day
- Thomas and Ramah plan their future
- Jesus heals a blind man on the Sabbath (John 9), making the Pharisees upset
- Jesus teaches a growing crowd and confronts the Pharisees (Luke 11:27-53)
- As a potential riot looms, Quintus orders Gaius to arrest Jesus, but Gaius refuses
- As Romans move in, Peter tells Jesus to leave; the disciples begin to do the same
- Quintus barrels into the crowd in pursuit, draws his sword, and kills Ramah by accident
- Thomas begs Jesus to revive Ramah; Jesus declines



### **3: Moon to Blood**

#### **Questions**

- What are the major themes of the episode?
- Why does it start with a flashback of David and Bathsheba?
- Why is Jesus “direct” with the Pharisees? What does he hope to accomplish?
- Why does Gaius defy Quintus?
- Were you surprised by the end of the episode? Why or why not?

*clips: Ramah’s final scenes*

#### **The Cost of Following Jesus**

<b>Big James</b> killed by Herod Agrippa	<b>Peter</b> crucified upside down in Rome	<b>Paul</b> beheaded in Rome	<b>Andrew</b> crucified (at old age) in Greece
<b>Philip</b> crucified in Hierapolis	<b>Matthew</b> martyred in Iraq or Ethiopia	<b>Thomas</b> martyred in India	<b>Little James</b> crucified in Persia or Egypt
<b>Thaddeus</b> martyred (in Armenia?)	<b>Nathaniel</b> martyred (in Armenia?)	<b>Simon (“Z”)</b> martyred (in Persia or Britain?)	<b>John</b> only disciple not martyred?

Some were tortured, refusing to accept release, so that they might rise again to a better life. Others suffered mocking and flogging, and even chains and imprisonment. They were stoned, they were sawn in two, they were killed with the sword. They went about in skins of sheep and goats, destitute, afflicted, mistreated — of whom the world was not worthy — wandering about in deserts and mountains, and in dens and caves of the earth. – *Hebrews 11:35b-38*

Watch the episode: <https://watch.thechosen.tv/video/184683596185>