

# CHAPEL

## Seven A Word of Victory

"A jar of sour wine was sitting there, so they soaked a sponge in it, put it on a hyssop branch, and held it up to His lips. When Jesus tasted it, He said, "It is finished!" Then He bowed His head and gave up His spirit."  
John 19:29-30

Tetelestai - lit. To complete, to finish... to discharge a debt

### 1. The seeming defeats in your life are not the final word.

"The soldiers wove a crown of thorns and put it on His head,  
and they put a purple robe on Him."  
John 19:2

### 2. The seeming work of evil is turned around and used by God.

"But my life is worth nothing to me unless I use it for finishing the work assigned me by the Lord Jesus— the work of telling others the Good News about the wonderful grace of God." Acts 20:24

### 3. God responds to finished faith.

- Don't delay, make a decision.
- Let the decision cross the line of commitment.

"And He said, "It is finished! I am the Alpha and the Omega—the Beginning and the End." Revelation 21:6

### 4. Live out His victory.

Jesus never said, "I am finished", He said: "It is finished".