



Mark of a Rebel *Rebel With a Cause*

Mathew 29:59-67 (NASB) Now the chief priests and the whole Council kept trying to obtain false testimony against Jesus, so that they might put Him to death. ⁶⁰ They did not find *any*, even though many false witnesses came forward. But later on two came forward,⁶¹ and said, "This man stated, 'I am able to destroy the temple of God and to rebuild it in three days.'"⁶² The high priest stood up and said to Him, "Do You not answer? What is it that these men are testifying against You?" ⁶³ But Jesus kept silent. And the high priest said to Him, "I adjure You by the living God, that You tell us whether You are the Christ, the Son of God." ⁶⁴ Jesus said to him, "You have said it *yourself*; nevertheless I tell you, hereafter you will see the Son of Man sitting at the right hand of power and coming on the clouds of heaven."

⁶⁵Then the high priest tore his robes and said, "He has blasphemed! What further need do we have of witnesses? Behold, you have now heard the blasphemy;⁶⁶ what do you think?" They answered, "He deserves death!"

⁶⁷Then they spat in His face and beat Him with their fists; and others slapped Him,⁶⁸ and said, "Prophecy to us, You Christ; who is the one who hit You?"

A rebel with a cause looks at what _____ and *understands* "This is how the story has _____ been told," but then goes on to imagine, "Here is how the story is going to be told _____.