

Holy Week Timeline

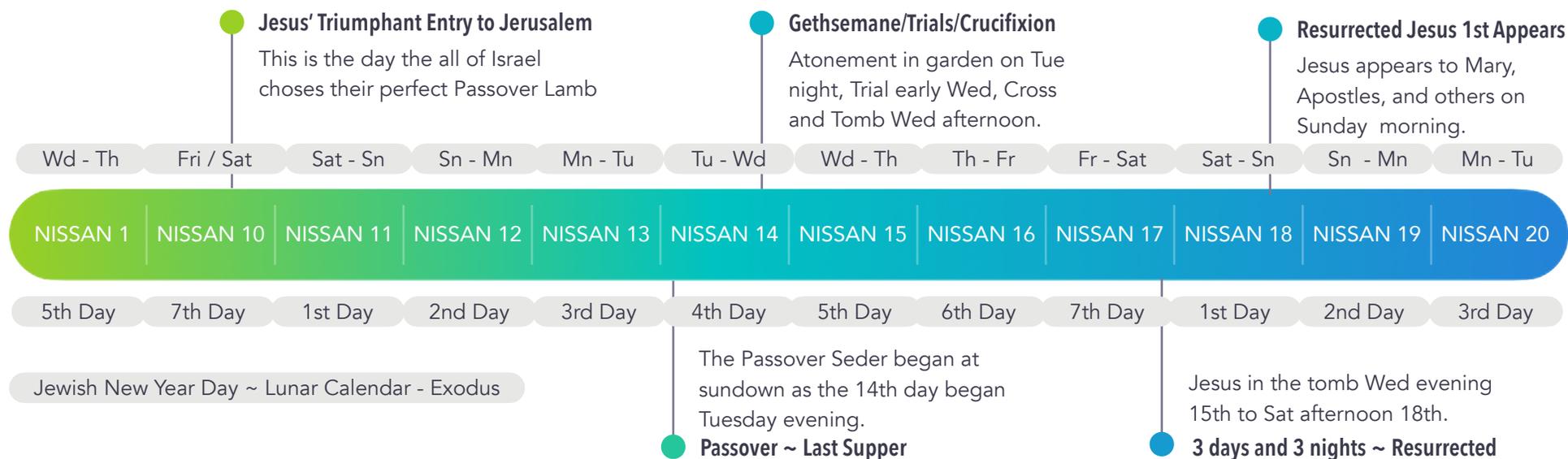
Jesus' final week on earth corresponded perfectly with the revealing of the Passover and the Sacrifice of the Perfect Lamb in Exodus 12.



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Ex. The new Day began at sundown on a Monday

Day ends next day Tuesday at sundown



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The Jewish Lunar Calendar began Nissan 1 according to Exodus 12

We must remember that the Jewish Lunar Calendar in Jesus' day was not the same as our days. The Jews counted their days, they did not name them like we do. Also their days began at sundown as it was written in the Creation Gen 1. We must calculate the days according to their information, not ours. The 14th of Nissan began on a Wednesday sundown (4th day) and went until Thursday sundown (5th day began). That means Jesus was dead and buried before sundown on a Thursday, the 14th of Nissan. The Pesach Lamb had to be sacrificed on the 14th of Nissan because the 15th of Nissan (Thursday) was a special Holy Day or Sabbath commemorating the Exodus from Egypt. So that means Jesus was in the tomb 15th (TH), 16th (FRI), 17th (Sat) of Nissan, and first appears to Mary and the other witnesses of His Resurrection on the 1st Day of the week (Sunday).