



...after twisting some thorns into a crown,
they put it on Jesus' head.

Matthew 27:29 NRSV

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Visio Divina – Crown of Thorns

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Pointing the camera up an evergreen tree reveals these spikes calling to mind the crown of thorns Jesus wore.

Ruth Boehm, pastor and photographer, invites us to “see with our own heart” using the practice of visio divina, a personal reflective exercise with image and scripture. You may use her photos and biblical selections as your devotional guide, as an encouragement note for a friend, or as an example of a practice you might engage with your own camera and Bible.

With the image, or with a camera, come with your eyes and heart open. Rest. Explore. Perceive. Let creation and scripture encourage, inform, surprise, and inspire you.

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