



“GORDON’S CALVARY”—Identified by Charles Gordon in 1885 as the probable site of Christ’s crucifixion, this area north of Jerusalem is known as the Skull Hill. Gordon reasoned that Jesus would have been slain north of the altar, as were sacrificial lambs in the Old Testament (Lev. 1:11). He was unaware that the traditional site (where the Church of the Holy Sepulchre stands) was outside the walls that existed in Jesus’ day (John McRay, *Archaeology and the New Testament* [Grand Rapids, Mich.: Baker Book House, 1991], 211–12).