

The Gospel According to John: The Passion of the Christ

Lesson 22: Jesus Tells About the Father & the Holy Spirit

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Background

Jesus taught his disciples a lesson in humility when he washed their dusty feet, then he talked about Judas' betrayal and predicted Peter's denial. How does the betrayal by Judas compare with the denial by Peter?

Jesus Tells About the Father & the Holy Spirit (John 14:1-31)

► Explore It

1. How did Jesus want His disciples to respond to His departure? (14:1)
- * 2. What did Jesus tell His disciples that He would do for them? (14:3)
- * 3. What did Jesus tell Thomas that He was? (14:6)
4. Whom did Jesus say that His disciples would know if they really knew Him? (14:7)
5. How did Jesus characterize His relationship with the Father? (14:10-11)
6. What did Jesus say that He would do for His apostles? (14:14)
7. What did Jesus say His disciples would do if they loved Him? (14:15)
- * 8. What did Jesus say He would ask God to give His disciples? (14:16)
9. How is Jesus related to the Father and to His disciples? (14:20)
10. What is the result of obeying Jesus' commands and loving Him? (14:21-23)
- * 11. What did Jesus say the Counselor would do? (14:25-26)
12. What did Jesus leave with His disciples? (14:27)
13. Why did Jesus tell His disciples about the future? (14:29)
14. What did Jesus intend to show the world? (14:31)

► Get It

- * 15. How does it make you feel to know that Jesus is preparing a place for you?
16. In what way is faith in Jesus Christ exclusive or narrow?
- * 17. How are we taught by the Holy Spirit?
- * 18. What is the peace that Jesus has given us?

► Apply It

- * 19. What can you do today to prepare yourself for an eternity with Jesus?
20. What can you do this week to deepen your relationship with Christ?
- * 21. What can you do today to experience and enjoy the peace Jesus has given you?

Related Questions

- * Why do you think Jesus felt it important to try to calm the troubled hearts of the apostles?
- * Some think Jesus' claim to be "the Way" is narrow-minded & exclusive. How do you respond?
- * Describe the role of H.S. for Jesus, apostles, Christians with miraculous gifts, other Christians?
- * What connection is there between love and commandment keeping?

Note: Study guides for this series of lessons are available on the Internet at www.howellfamily.us/john.htm