

1-17-16 Scripture Reading

Luke 22:1-33

¹Now the Feast of Unleavened Bread, which is called the Passover, was approaching. ²And the chief priests and the scribes were seeking how they might put Him to death; for they were afraid of the people.

³And Satan entered into Judas who was called Iscariot, belonging to the number of the twelve. ⁴And he went away and discussed with the chief priests and officers how he might betray Him to them. ⁵And they were glad, and agreed to give him money. ⁶And he consented, and *began* seeking a good opportunity to betray Him to them apart from the multitude.

⁷Then came the *first* day of Unleavened Bread on which the Passover *lamb* had to be sacrificed. ⁸And He sent Peter and John, saying, "Go and prepare the Passover for us, that we may eat it." ⁹And they said to Him, "Where do You want us to prepare it?" ¹⁰And He said to them, "Behold, when you have entered the city, a man will meet you carrying a pitcher of water; follow him into the house that he enters. ¹¹"And you shall say to the owner of the house, 'The Teacher says to you,' Where is the guest room in which I may eat the Passover with My disciples? "" ¹²"And he will show you a large, furnished, upper room; prepare it there." ¹³And they departed and found *everything* just as He had told them; and they prepared the Passover.

¹⁴And when the hour had come He reclined *at the table*, and the apostles with Him. ¹⁵And He said to them, "I have earnestly desired to eat this Passover with you before I suffer; ¹⁶for I say to you, I shall never again eat it until it is fulfilled in the kingdom of God. " ¹⁷And when He had taken a cup *and* given thanks, He said, "Take this and share it among yourselves; ¹⁸for I say to you, I will not drink of the fruit of the vine from now on until the kingdom of God comes. " ¹⁹And when He had taken *some* bread *and* given thanks, He broke *it*, and gave *it* to them, saying, "This is My body which is given for you; do this in remembrance of Me." ²⁰And in the same way *He took* the cup after they had eaten, saying, "This cup which is poured out for you is the new covenant in My blood. ²¹"But behold, the hand of the one betraying Me is with Me on the table. ²²"For indeed, the Son of Man is going as it has been determined; but woe to that man by whom He is betrayed!" ²³And they began to discuss among themselves which one of them it might be who was going to do this thing.

²⁴And there arose also a dispute among them *as to* which one of them was regarded to be greatest. ²⁵And He said to them, "The kings of the Gentiles lord it over them; and those who have authority over them are called 'Benefactors.' ²⁶"But not so with you, but let him who is the greatest among you become as the youngest, and the leader as the servant. ²⁷"For who is greater, the one who reclines *at the table*, or the one who serves? Is it not the one who reclines *at the table*? But I am among you as the one who serves. ²⁸"And you are those who have stood by Me in My trials; ²⁹and just as My Father has granted Me a kingdom, I grant

you ³⁰ that you may eat and drink at My table in My kingdom, and you will sit on thrones judging the twelve tribes of Israel.

³¹ "Simon, Simon, behold, Satan has demanded *permission* to sift you like wheat; ³² but I have prayed for you, that your faith may not fail; and you, when once you have turned again, strengthen your brothers. " ³³ And he said to Him, "Lord, with You I am ready to go both to prison and to death!"

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