



PETER

THE NIGHT THAT
HE WAS TESTED

PETER — SOMETIMES SPOKE TO FAST, TOO SOON.

Luke 9:33 Moses and Elijah were about to leave, when Peter said to Jesus, "Master, it is good for us to be here! Let us make three shelters, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah." But Peter did not know what he was talking about.

Matthew 17:25 And when they were come to Capernaum, they that received tribute money came to Peter, and said, Doth not your master pay tribute? He saith, Yes. And when he was come into the house, Jesus prevented him, saying, What thinkest thou, Simon? of whom do the kings of the earth take custom or tribute? of their own children, or of strangers? Peter saith unto him, Of strangers. Jesus saith unto him, Then are the children free.

Notwithstanding, lest we should offend them, go thou to the sea, and cast an hook, and take up the fish that first cometh up; and when thou hast opened his mouth, thou shalt find a piece of money: that take, and give unto them for me and thee.

PETERS PERSPECTIVE — HOPES VS REALITY!



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WE HAVE LEFT ALL + FOLLOWED

Then **Peter said**, Lo, we have left all, and followed thee. And he said unto them, Verily I say unto you, There is no man that hath left house, or parents, or brethren, or wife, or children, for the kingdom of God's sake, Who shall not receive manifold more in this present time, and in the world to come life everlasting.

Then he took *unto him* **the twelve**, and said unto them, Behold, we go up to Jerusalem, and all things that are written by the prophets concerning the Son of man shall be accomplished.

For he shall be delivered unto the Gentiles, and shall be mocked, and spitefully entreated, and spitted on:

And they shall scourge *him*, and put him to death: and the third day he shall rise again.

And they understood none of these things: and this saying was hid from them, neither knew they the things which were spoken.

Luke 18:28,29-30,31-34

2 AM I SPEAKING CLEAR ENOUGH?

Luke 9:43-46

Let these sayings sink down into your ears: for the Son of man shall be delivered into the hands of men.

But they understood not this saying, and it was hid from them, that they perceived it not: and they feared to ask him of that saying.

Then there arose a reasoning among them, which of them should be greatest.

3 ARE YOU LISTENING? . . . 2 DAYS TIME!

Matthew 26:1-2

And it came to pass, when Jesus had finished all these sayings, he said unto his disciples,

Ye know that after **two days** is the feast of the passover, **and the Son of man is betrayed to be crucified.**

PREPARATIONS FOR THE NIGHT

And he sent Peter and John, saying, Go and prepare us the passover, that we may eat.

And they said unto him, **Where wilt thou that we prepare?**

And he said unto them, Behold, when ye are entered into the city, there shall a man meet you, bearing a pitcher of water; follow him into the house where he entereth in.

And ye shall say unto the goodman of the house, The Master saith unto thee, Where is the guestchamber, where I shall eat the passover with my disciples? And he shall shew you a large upper room furnished: there make ready.

And they went, and found as he had said unto them: and they made ready the passover.

Luke 22:8-13

CHRIST DOES PETER'S JOB

He riseth from supper, and laid aside his garments; and took a towel, and girded himself. After that he poureth water into a bason, and began to wash the disciples' feet, and to wipe them with the towel wherewith he was girded.

Then cometh he to **Simon Peter**: and Peter saith unto him, Lord, doest thou wash my feet?

Jesus answered and said unto him, What I do thou knowest not now; but thou shalt know hereafter.

Peter saith unto him, Thou shalt never wash my feet. Jesus answered him, If I wash thee not, thou hast no part with me.

Simon Peter saith unto him, Lord, not my feet only, but also my hands and my head.

Jesus saith to him, He that is washed needeth not save to wash his feet, but is clean every whit: and ye are clean, but not all.

John 13:4-10

PETER — EMBARRASSED

If I then, your Lord and Master, have washed your feet; **ye also ought to** wash one another's feet.

For I have given you an example, that ye **should do as I have** done to you.

John 13:14



PETER — SPEAKING TOO MUCH, TOO FAST



Little children, yet a little while I am with you. Ye shall seek me: and as I said unto the Jews, Whither I go, ye cannot come; so now I say to you.

Simon Peter said unto him, Lord, whither goest thou? Jesus answered him, **Whither I go, thou canst not follow me now; but thou shalt follow me afterwards.**

Peter said unto him, Lord, why cannot I follow thee now? I will lay down my life for thy sake.

Jesus answered him, **Wilt thou lay down thy life for my sake? Verily, verily, I say unto thee, The cock shall not crow, till thou hast denied me thrice.**

John 13:33-38

PETER — SPEAKING TOO MUCH, TOO FAST



And the Lord said, **Simon, Simon, behold, Satan hath desired to have you, that he may sift you as wheat:**

But I have prayed for thee, that thy faith fail not: and when thou art converted, strengthen thy brethren.

And he said unto him, Lord, I am ready to go with thee, both into prison, and to death.

And he said, I tell thee, Peter, the cock shall not crow this day, before that thou shalt thrice deny that thou knowest me.

Luke 22:31-34

PETER — SPEAKING TOO MUCH, TOO FAST



And Jesus saith unto them, All ye shall be offended because of me this night: for it is written, I will smite the shepherd, and the sheep shall be scattered. But after that I am risen, I will go before you into Galilee.

But Peter said unto him, Although all shall be offended, yet will not I.

And Jesus saith unto him, Verily I say unto thee, That this day, *even* in this night, before the cock crow twice, thou shalt deny me thrice.

But **he spake the more vehemently**, If I should die with thee, I will not deny thee in any wise. Likewise also said they all.

Mark 14:27 -31

PETER — EXHAUSTED, BUT WITH FRIENDS



Luke 22:40 And when he was at the place, he said unto them, Pray that ye enter not into temptation.

Matthew 26:37 And he took with him Peter and the two sons of Zebedee, and began to be sorrowful and very heavy.

And **he cometh unto the disciples, and findeth them asleep, and saith unto Peter**, What, could ye not watch with me one hour?

Mark 14:37-38 And he cometh, and findeth them sleeping, and saith unto Peter, Simon, sleepest thou? couldst not thou watch one hour? **Watch ye and pray, lest ye enter into temptation. The spirit truly is ready, but the flesh is weak.**

PETER — ALERT TO DANGER



Mark 14:42 Rise up, let us go; lo, he that betrayeth me is at hand. And **immediately**, while he yet spake, cometh Judas,

Jesus answered, I have told you that **I am he: if therefore ye seek me, let these go their way:**

That the saying might be fulfilled, which he spake, Of them which thou gavest me have I lost none.

Then Simon Peter having a sword drew it, and smote the high priest's servant, and cut off his right ear. The servant's name was Malchus.

John 18:8-11

PETER — REBUKED FOR HIS EXPRESSION OF LOVE



Then said Jesus unto him, **Put up again thy sword into his place: for all they that take the sword shall perish with the sword.**

Thinkest thou that I cannot now pray to my Father, and he shall presently give me more than twelve legions of angels? But how then shall the scriptures be fulfilled, that thus it must be?

In that same hour said Jesus to the multitudes, **Are ye come out as against a thief with swords and staves for to take me? I sat daily with you teaching in the temple, and ye laid no hold on me.**

But all this was done, that the scriptures of the prophets might be fulfilled. Then all the disciples forsook him, and fled.

...But Peter followed him afar off unto the high priest's palace, and went in, and sat with the servants, **TO SEE THE END.**

PETER — ANXIETY OF SEPARATION

And *Simon Peter followed Jesus*, and so did another disciple: that disciple was known unto the high priest, and went in with Jesus into the palace of the high priest.

But Peter stood at the door without. Then went out that other disciple, which was known unto the high priest, and spake unto her that kept the door, and brought in Peter.

John 18:15-16

PETER — ANXIETY OF SEPARATION

Then saith *the damsel that kept the door* unto Peter, Art not thou also one of this man's disciples? He saith, I am not.

And the servants and officers stood there, who had made a fire of coals; for it was cold: and they warmed themselves: and Peter stood with them, and warmed himself.

John 18:17-18

PETER : THE END

While Peter was sitting out in the courtyard, a servant girl came up to him and said, "You were with Jesus from Galilee."

But in front of everyone Peter said, "**That isn't so! I don't know what you are talking about!**"

When Peter had gone out to the gate, another servant girl saw him and said to some people there, "This man was with Jesus from Nazareth."

Again Peter denied it, and this time he swore, "**I don't even know that man!**"

A little while later some people standing there walked over to Peter and said, "We know that you are one of them. We can tell it because you talk like someone from Galilee."

Peter began to curse and swear, "**I don't know that man!**" Right then a rooster crowed, and Peter remembered that Jesus had said, "Before a rooster crows, you will say three times that you don't know me." Then Peter went out and cried hard.

THAT LOOK

And the Lord turned, and looked upon Peter. And Peter remembered the word of the Lord...

And Peter went out, and wept bitterly.

