

Intense Burden
Matthew 26:31-56
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The disciples followed Jesus from the Passover _____ to the Garden of Gethsemane. Although they shared His _____, they did not share His thoughts, nor _____ His burden. They had _____ His teaching, _____ His actions, and _____ to his warning. But much was seen by Jesus and _____ from them.

A. Two Warnings Were Given

1. The warning to _____
 - a. All of the disciples will be offended because of _____.
 - b. The offense will happen that _____.
 - c. The _____ by Peter
2. The specific warning to _____ alone
 - a. He would deny Jesus three times _____ dawn.
 - b. A _____ denial followed, joined by the other disciples.
 - c. We must not trust _____!

B. The _____ in Gethsemane

1. A place of great _____ (v. 37)
 - a. The sense of sin was _____.
 - b. The _____ of the world was about to come on Him.
2. A place of intense _____ (v. 38)
 - a. Sin and suffering go _____.
 - b. _____ unto death

3. A place of _____ loneliness (v. 38)
 - a. He desired the prayer _____ of the disciples.
 - b. Psalm 69:20
4. A place of _____ prayer (v. 39, 44)
 - a. Prayed three times “if it be _____”
 - b. Hebrews 5:7
 - c. This cup contained _____ and death.
5. A place of _____ yieldedness to the Father’s will (v. 39)
 - a. “Not _____ will, but _____ be done”
 - b. He was as committed as He was in the _____ temptations of Satan.
 - c. We will be strong to resist evil in _____ as we are willing to _____ to the will of God.
6. A place of _____ strengthening
 - a. An _____ appeared, strengthening Him. (Luke 22:43)
 - b. 2 Corinthians 12:9
7. A place of _____ betrayal (vv. 46ff)
 - a. Judas had been a _____ friend.
 - b. Hypocritical – professing _____, but a _____ at heart