

THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO SAINT

MARK

Chapter 9

The Transfiguration

What is the significance of Peter wanting to build 3 booths? (Note 9:5)

The Coming of Elijah

How does the Transfiguration expand on the belief of a collective resurrection at the time of Jesus? (Note 9:10)

It was believed that Elijah would come to announce the coming of the Messiah. How does Elijah suffering relate to that of John the Baptist? (Note 9:13)

Chapter 10

Teachings about Divorce

What is the difference between the Levitical Covenant made at Mt. Sinai and the Deuteronomic Covenant ratified on the plains of Moab? What were some of the concessions allowed? (Note 10:4)

The Rich Man

Can we earn our salvation? What is the relationship between grace and free will? (Note 10:27)

Bartimaeus Receives His Sight

What do King Solomon and Jesus have in common? (Note 10:47)

Chapter 11

Jesus Entry into Jerusalem

What is the significance of riding into Jerusalem on a colt? (Note 11:7)

How does Jesus' entry into Jerusalem fulfill Psalm 118? (Note 11:8-10)

Chapter 12

The Parable of the Wicked Tenants

What is the meaning of the parable of the wicked tenants? (Note 12:1-9)

The Question about Paying Taxes?

What is the difference between the Herodians and the Pharisees? Why do they work together to entrap Jesus? (Note 12:13)

Who are the Sadducees?

Who are the Sadducees? What are their beliefs and how do they differ from the Pharisees? How do they try to trap Jesus? How does Jesus respond?
(Topical Essay, Note 12:18, 12:19, 12:26)

The First Commandment

What is the relationship between the moral laws of God and the sacrificial laws of the Temple? What was the original intent of the Mosaic covenant? How did the golden calf incident change the Mosaic covenant? (Note 12:33)

A Question about the Christ?

How can David's son and successor also be David's superior? (Note 12:36)

Chapter 13

The Destruction of the Temple Foretold

What does Jesus teach in the Olivet Discourse? How does this relate to the expiration of the Old Covenant? (Note 13:1-37, 13:2)

Chapter 14

The Conspiracy to Kill Jesus

What are some important facts concerning the celebration of the Jewish Passover? (Note 14:1)

The Anointing at Bethany

What is the significance of anointing Jesus before He is crucified? (Note 14:8)

The Institution of the Last Supper

What is the relationship between the Institution of the Eucharist at the Last Supper and the multiplication of the loaves and the feeding of the five thousand? (Note 14:22)

How does the breaking of the bread relate to what happened to Jesus at the crucifixion?

How does the blood of the new covenant relate to the sacrificial blood offered at Mount Sinai in the Old Testament? (Note 14:24)

Jesus before the Council

What is the Sanhedrin? (Note 14:55)

What is the significance of Caiaphas tearing his garments as it contrasts with Jesus seamless garment not being torn? (Note 14:63)

Chapter 15

Jesus before Pilate

Why did the Sanhedrin accuse Jesus of blasphemy and when He was brought before Pilate they accused him of claiming to be a king? (Note 14:64, 15:2)

Pilate Delivers Jesus to Be Crucified

What does the word Barabbas mean? Which “Son of the Father” is released? (Note 15:11)

The Death of Jesus

What is the significance of the veil in the Temple being torn at the death of Jesus? (Note 15:38)

What is the significance of the Roman centurion confession of faith? (Note 15:39)