



John 13:18-30

18 'I am not referring to all of you; I know those I have chosen. But this is to fulfil this passage of Scripture: "He who shared my bread has turned against me."

19 'I am telling you now before it happens, so that when it does happen you will believe that I am who I am. (or I am He.)

20 Very truly I tell you, whoever accepts anyone I send accepts me; and whoever accepts me accepts the one who sent me.'

21 After he had said this, Jesus was troubled in spirit and testified, 'Very truly I tell you, one of you is going to betray me.'

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22 His disciples stared at one another, <u>at a</u> loss to know which of them he meant.

23 One of them, the disciple whom Jesus loved, was reclining next to him.

24 Simon Peter motioned to this disciple and said, 'Ask him which one he means.'

25 Leaning back against Jesus, he asked him, 'Lord, who is it?'

26 Jesus answered, 'It is the one to whom I will give this piece of bread when I have dipped it in the dish.' Then, dipping the piece of bread, he gave it to Judas, the son of Simon Iscariot.

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27 As soon as Judas took the bread, Satan entered into him. So Jesus told him, 'What you are about to do, do quickly.'

28 But <u>no one</u> at the meal <u>understood</u> why Jesus said this to him.

29 Since Judas had charge of the money, <u>some thought</u> Jesus was telling him to buy what was needed for the festival, or to give something to the poor.
30 As soon as Judas had taken the bread, he went out. <u>And it was night</u>.



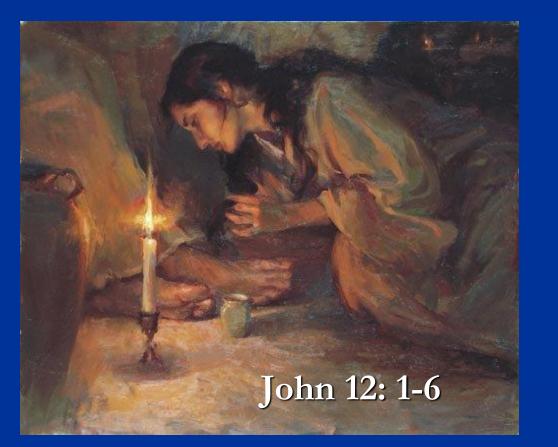
Intention for the Mission

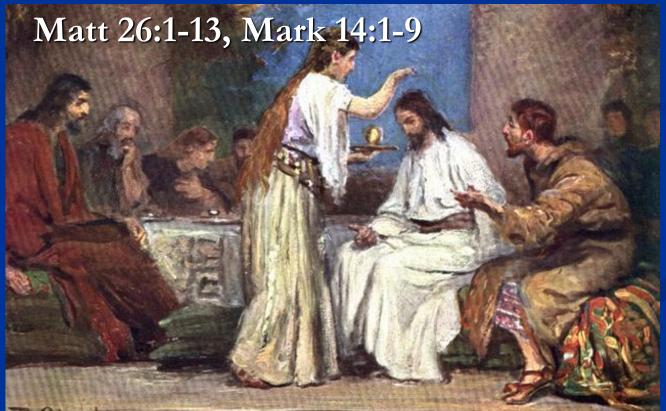
- v18, Jesus predicted his betrayal
- Quoting Ps 41:9,
 - "Even my close friend, someone I trusted, one who shared my bread, has turned against me."
- v19 The intention was so that the disciples would believe He is the "Messiah"
 v20, And they will be sent out to testify
 Apostles = "the sent ones"



Why Judas ?

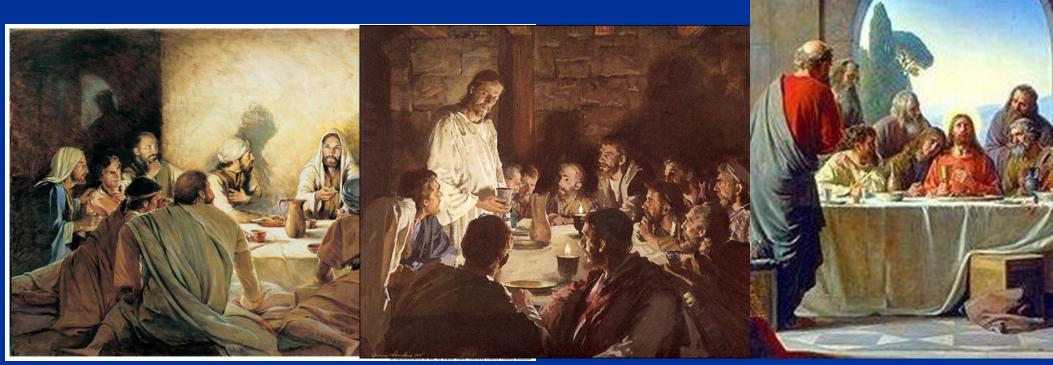
 Greed – "thief" John 12:6
 Indignant – Jesus was anointed twice Bitterness

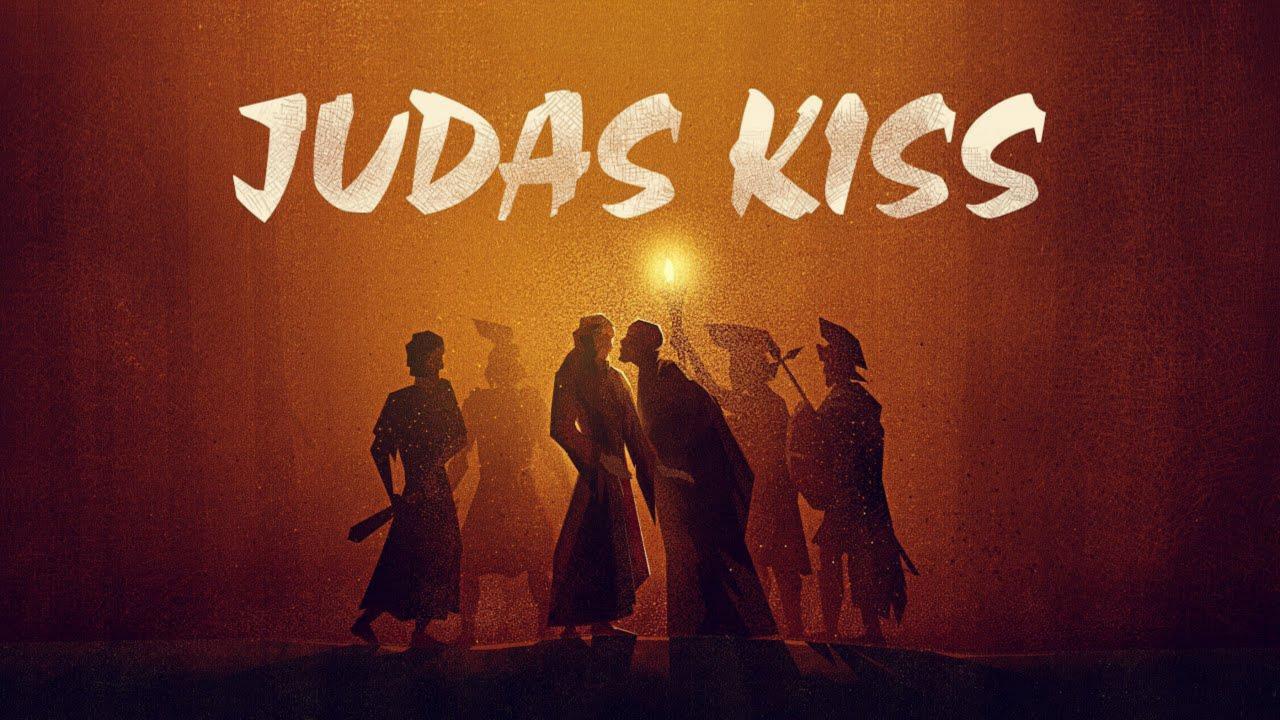




Invitation to repentance

- v18; v21, "..one of you.."
- v26, ".. It is the one to whom I will give this piece of bread.."
- v27, "What you are about to do."
- "he went out, and it was *night*."



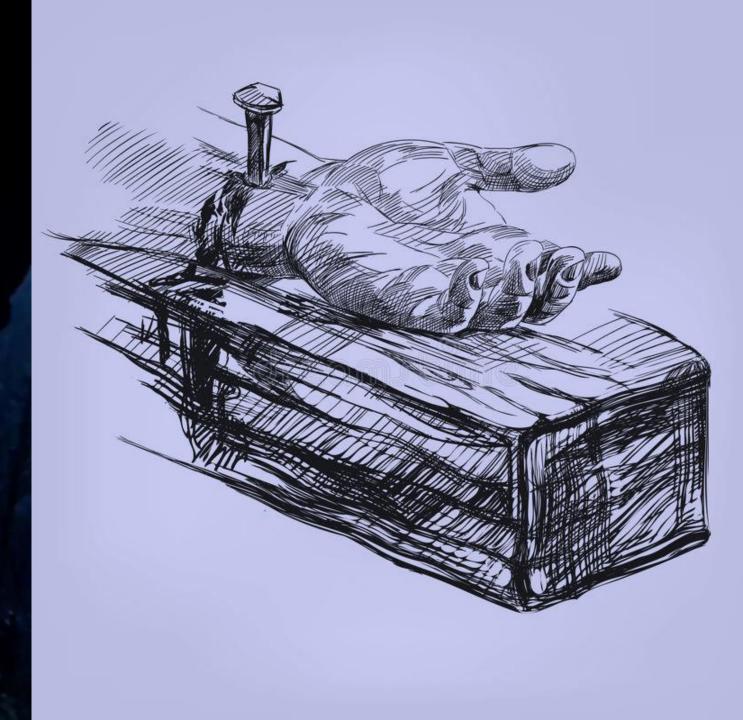


Ignorance of the Eleven

- "...stared at one another.." "...at a loss.." "...no one.. understood.." "...some thought..."
- Matt 26 & Mark 14 : "Surely not I ?"
- Luke 22 : "They began to question among themselves..."
 - "...dispute....which of them.... greatest."

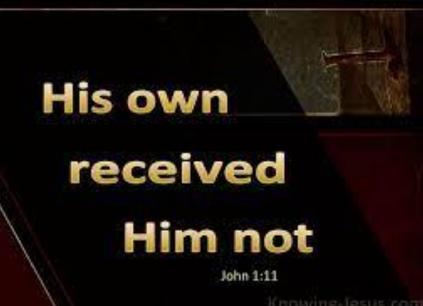


Also A Dispute Arose Among Them As To Which Of Them Was Considered To Be Greatest. Luke 22-24





Ignorant disciples



Enlightened & Transformed



Inviting the sinners

JESUS said... I have not come to call the righteous but sinners to repentance

Luke 5:32

HE DOES NOT WANT ANYONE TO BE DESTROYED, BUT WANTS EVERYONE TO REDUCTION

2 PETER 3:9



Intended for mission



The Unconditional Love of Christ

die for the ignorant sinners
invite the repeat offenders
intend to send them out for His mission