

Jesus Displays Selfless Humility on the Night He Was Betrayed

(John 13:1-7, 12-17)

1 Cor 11:23 For I received from the Lord that which I also delivered to you: that the Lord Jesus **on the same night in which He was betrayed** took bread

1. Observe Jesus' _____

a. Jesus was down to His _____ (1)

¹ Now before the feast of the Passover, when Jesus knew that His hour had come that He should depart from this world to the Father, having loved His own who were in the world, He loved them to the end.

b. Jesus' _____ was imminent (2)

² And supper being ended, the devil having already put it into the heart of Judas Iscariot, Simon's son, to betray Him,

c. Jesus _____ Who He was (3, 13)

³ Jesus, knowing that the Father had given all things into His hands, and that He had come from God and was going to God,

¹³ "You call me Teacher and Lord, and you say well, for so I am.

2. Observe Jesus' _____

a. In spite of _____ (4)

No one started, helped, or reciprocated

⁴ rose from supper...

⁶ Then He came to Simon Peter. And *Peter* said to Him, "Lord, are You washing my feet?"

b. In spite of _____ (4) – of all, He deserved it!

⁴ rose from supper...

c. In spite of _____ (7, 36)

⁷ Jesus answered and said to him, "What I am doing you do not understand now, but you will know after this."

³⁶ Simon Peter said to Him, "Lord, where are You going?" Jesus answered him, "Where I am going you cannot follow Me now, but you shall follow Me afterward."

- Ignorance about His full *identity*
- Ignorance about His full *activity*
- Ignorance about His repeated *instruction*

d. In spite of _____ (2, 11, 21, 27) His known ENEMY!

¹¹ For He knew who would betray Him; therefore He said, "You are not all clean." (2,11,21,27)

e. In spite of _____ (37-38) His supposed FRIEND!

³⁷ Peter said to Him, "Lord, why can I not follow You now? I will lay down my life for Your sake." ³⁸ Jesus answered him, "Will you lay down your life for My sake? Most assuredly, I say to you, the rooster shall not crow till you have denied Me three times.

3. Observe Jesus' _____

a. Though _____ (4) Position/dress/norm (Phil 2:1-8)

⁴ rose from supper and laid aside His garments, took a towel and girded Himself.

b. Though _____ (5) – pour, wash, dry

⁵ After that, He poured water into a basin and began to wash the disciples' feet, and to wipe *them* with the towel with which He was girded.

c. Though _____ (5) – feet; dirty, ugly feet!

4. Learn from Jesus' _____

a. Love _____ & _____ (1, 34-35)

– in and despite any circumstances

¹...having loved His own who were in the world, He loved them to the end.

³⁴ "A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another; as I have loved you, that you also love one another. ³⁵ "By this all will know that you are My disciples, if you have love for one another."

b. Serve _____ & _____ (12-17) example, debt

¹² So when He had washed their feet, taken His garments, and sat down again, He said to them, "Do you know what I have done to you?"

¹³ "You call me Teacher and Lord, and you say well, for so I am. ¹⁴ "If I then, *your* Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also ought to wash one another's feet. ¹⁵ "For I have given you an example, that you should do as I have done to you. ¹⁶ "Most assuredly, I say to you, a servant is not greater than his master; nor is he who is sent greater than he who sent him. ¹⁷ "If you know these things, blessed are you if you do them.

- *Time* ("I will do this instead of...")
- *Effort* ("I will do that")
- *Abilities* ("I can do that") –
- *Resources* (Used back, knees, hands)