

The Hour of Glory Begins

John Chapter 12

And Jesus answered them, "The hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified." John 12:23

INTRODUCTION:

Jesus/God Glorified Thru...

Sovereignty of the Father

His disciples did not understand these things at first, but when Jesus was glorified, then they remembered that these things had been written about him and had been done to him. Vs. 16

Submission of the Son

"Now is my soul troubled. And what shall I say? 'Father, save me from this hour'? But for this purpose I have come to this hour. Father, glorify your name." Then a voice came from heaven: "I have glorified it, and I will glorify it again." Vs. 27-28

Service of Mary

Mary therefore took a pound of expensive ointment made from pure nard, and anointed the feet of Jesus and wiped his feet with her hair. The house was filled with the fragrance of the perfume. Vs. 3

Sin of Judas

But Judas Iscariot, one of his disciples (he who was about to betray him), said, "Why was this ointment not sold for three hundred denarii and given to the poor?" He said this, not because he cared about the poor; but because he was a thief, and having charge of the moneybag he used to help himself to what was put into it. Vs. 4-6

Shallow & Secret Belief; Stubborn Unbelief

The large crowd that had come to the feast heard that Jesus was coming to Jerusalem. So they took branches of palm trees and went out to meet him, crying out, "Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord, even the King of Israel!" Vs. 12-13

Many even of the authorities believed in him, but for fear of the Pharisees they did not confess it, so that they would not be put out of the synagogue; for they loved the glory that comes from man more than the glory that comes from God. Vs. 42-43

Though he had done so many signs before them, they still did not believe in him, Vs. 37

Savior-Seeking Non-Jews

Now among those who went up to worship at the feast were some Greeks. So these came to Philip, who was from Bethsaida in Galilee, and asked him, "Sir, we wish to see Jesus." Vs. 20-21

Satan Cast Out

Now is the judgment of this world; now will the ruler of this world be cast out. Vs. 31