

Passion Week—Mount of Olives: Second Prediction of Peter’s Denial (Thursday, April 2, 33)

Matthew 26:30–35	Mark 14:26–31	Luke 22:39	John 18:1a
<p>30 After singing a hymn, they went out</p> <p>to the Mount of Olives.</p> <p>31 Then Jesus said to them, “You will all fall away because of Me this night, for it is written, ‘I WILL STRIKE DOWN THE SHEPHERD, AND THE SHEEP OF THE FLOCK SHALL BE SCATTERED.’ [Zech 13:7]</p> <p>32 But after I have been raised, I will go ahead of you to Galilee.”</p> <p>33 But Peter said to Him, “Even though all may fall away because of You, I will never fall away.”</p> <p>34 Jesus said to him, “Truly I say to you that this very night, before a rooster crows, you will deny Me three times.”</p> <p>35 Peter said to Him, “Even if I have to die with You, I will not deny You.” All the disciples said the same thing too.</p>	<p>26 After singing a hymn, they went out</p> <p>to the Mount of Olives.</p> <p>27 And Jesus said to them, “You will all fall away, because it is written, ‘I WILL STRIKE DOWN THE SHEPHERD, AND THE SHEEP SHALL BE SCATTERED.’</p> <p>28 But after I have been raised, I will go ahead of you to Galilee.”</p> <p>29 But Peter said to Him, “Even though all may fall away, yet I will not.”</p> <p>30 And Jesus said to him, “Truly I say to you, that this very night, before a rooster crows twice, you yourself will deny Me three times.”</p> <p>31 But <i>Peter</i> kept saying insistently, “Even if I have to die with You, I will not deny You!” And they all were saying the same thing also.</p>	<p>39 And He came out and proceeded as was His custom</p> <p>to the Mount of Olives; and the disciples also followed Him.</p>	<p>1a When Jesus had spoken these words,</p> <p>He went forth with His disciples over the ravine of the Kidron,</p>

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Matthew 26:36–46	Mark 14:32–42	Luke 22:40–46	John 18:1b
<p>36 Then Jesus came with them to a place called Gethsemane,</p> <p>and said to His disciples, “Sit here while I go over there and pray.”</p> <p>37 And He took with Him Peter and the two sons of Zebedee, and began to be grieved and distressed.</p> <p>38 Then He said to them, “My soul is deeply grieved, to the point of death; remain here and keep watch with Me.”</p> <p>39 And He went a little beyond <i>them</i>,</p>	<p>32 They came to a place named Gethsemane;</p> <p>and He said to His disciples, “Sit here until I have prayed.”</p> <p>33 And He took with Him Peter and James and John, and began to be very distressed and troubled.</p> <p>34 And He said to them, “My soul is deeply grieved to the point of death; remain here and keep watch.”</p> <p>35 And He went a little beyond <i>them</i>,</p>	<p>40 When He arrived at the place,</p> <p>He said to them,</p> <p>“Pray that you may not enter into temptation.”</p> <p>41 And He withdrew from them about a stone’s throw,</p>	<p>1b where there was a garden, in which He entered with His disciples.</p>

<p>and fell on His face and prayed,</p> <p>saying, “My Father, if it is possible, let this cup pass from Me; yet not as I will, but as You will.”</p> <p>40 And He came to the disciples and found them sleeping,</p> <p>and said to Peter,</p> <p>“So, you <i>men</i> could not keep watch with Me for one hour? 41 Keep watching and praying that you may not enter into temptation; the spirit is willing, but the flesh is weak.” 42 He went away again a second time and prayed, saying, “My Father, if this cannot pass away unless I drink it, Your will be done.” 43 Again He came and found them sleeping, for their eyes were heavy.</p> <p>44 And He left them again, and went away and prayed a third time, saying the same thing once more. 45 Then He came to the disciples and said to them, “Are you still sleeping and resting? Behold, the hour is at hand and the Son of Man is being betrayed into the hands of sinners. 46 Get up, let us be going; behold, the one who betrays Me is at hand!”</p>	<p>and fell to the ground and <i>began</i> to pray that if it were possible, the hour might pass Him by. 36 And He was saying, “Abba! Father! All things are possible for You; remove this cup from Me; yet not what I will, but what You will.”</p> <p>37 And He came and found them sleeping,</p> <p>and said to Peter, “Simon, are you asleep? Could you not keep watch for one hour? 38 Keep watching and praying that you may not come into temptation; the spirit is willing, but the flesh is weak.” 39 Again He went away and prayed, saying the same words.</p> <p>40 And again He came and found them sleeping, for their eyes were very heavy; and they did not know what to answer Him.</p> <p>41 And He came the third time, and said to them, “Are you still sleeping and resting? It is enough; the hour has come; behold, the Son of Man is being betrayed into the hands of sinners. 42 Get up, let us be going; behold, the one who betrays Me is at hand!”</p>	<p>and He knelt down and <i>began</i> to pray,</p> <p>42 saying, “Father, if You are willing, remove this cup from Me; yet not My will, but Yours be done.” 43 Now an angel from heaven appeared to Him, strengthening Him. 44 And being in agony He was praying very fervently; and His sweat became like drops of blood, falling down upon the ground. 45 When He rose from prayer, He came to the disciples and found them sleeping from sorrow, 46 and said to them, “Why are you sleeping? Get up and pray that you may not enter into temptation.”</p>	
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Passion Week—Gethsemane: The Judas Kiss (Thursday, April 2, 33)

Matthew 26:47–56	Mark 14:43–52	Luke 22:47–54a	John 18:2–12
<p>47 While He was still speaking, behold, Judas, one of the twelve, came up accompanied by a large crowd with swords and clubs, <i>who came</i> from the chief priests and elders of the people.</p> <p>48 Now he who was betraying Him gave them a sign, saying, “Whomever I kiss, He is the one; seize Him.”</p> <p>49 Immediately Judas went to Jesus and said, “Hail, Rabbi!” and kissed Him.</p> <p>50 And Jesus said to him, “Friend, <i>do</i> what you have come for.”</p> <p>Then they came and laid hands on Jesus and seized Him.</p> <p>51 And behold, one of those who were with Jesus</p>	<p>43 Immediately while He was still speaking, Judas, one of the twelve, came up accompanied by a crowd with swords and clubs, <i>who were</i> from the chief priests and the scribes and the elders.</p> <p>44 Now he who was betraying Him had given them a signal, saying, “Whomever I kiss, He is the one; seize Him and lead Him away under guard.”</p> <p>45 After coming, Judas immediately went to Him, saying, “Rabbi!” and kissed Him.</p> <p>46 They laid hands on Him and seized Him.</p> <p>47 But one of those who stood by</p>	<p>47 While He was still speaking, behold, a crowd <i>came</i>, and the one called Judas, one of the twelve, was preceding them;</p> <p>and he approached Jesus to kiss Him.</p> <p>48 But Jesus said to him, “Judas, are you betraying the Son of Man with a kiss?”</p> <p>49 When those who were around Him saw what was going to happen, they said, “Lord, shall we strike with the sword?”</p> <p>50 And one of them</p>	<p>2 Now Judas also, who was betraying Him, knew the place, for Jesus had often met there with His disciples.</p> <p>3 Judas then, having received the <i>Roman</i> cohort and officers from the chief priests and the Pharisees, came there with lanterns and torches and weapons.</p> <p>4 So Jesus, knowing all the things that were coming upon Him, went forth and said to them, “Whom do you seek?”</p> <p>5 They answered Him, “Jesus the Nazarene.” He said to them, “I am <i>He</i>.” And Judas also, who was betraying Him, was standing with them.</p> <p>6 So when He said to them, “I am <i>He</i>,” they drew back and fell to the ground.</p> <p>7 Therefore He again asked them, “Whom do you seek?” And they said, “Jesus the Nazarene.”</p> <p>8 Jesus answered, “I told you that I am <i>He</i>; so if you seek Me, let these go their way,”</p> <p>9 to fulfill the word which He spoke, “Of those whom You have given Me I lost not one.”</p> <p>10 Simon Peter then,</p>

<p>reached and drew out his sword, and struck the slave of the high priest and cut off his ear.</p> <p>52 Then Jesus said to him,</p> <p>“Put your sword back into its place; for all those who take up the sword shall perish by the sword.</p> <p>53 Or do you think that I cannot appeal to My Father, and He will at once put at My disposal more than twelve legions of angels?</p> <p>54 How then will the Scriptures be fulfilled, <i>which say</i> that it must happen this way?”</p> <p>55 At that time Jesus said to the crowds,</p> <p>“Have you come out with swords and clubs to arrest Me as <i>you would</i> against a robber? Every day I used to sit in the temple teaching and you did not seize Me.</p> <p>56 But all this has taken place to fulfill the Scriptures of the prophets.”</p> <p>Then all the disciples left Him and fled.</p>	<p>drew his sword, and struck the slave of the high priest and cut off his ear.</p> <p>48 And Jesus said to them,</p> <p>“Have you come out with swords and clubs to arrest Me, as <i>you would</i> against a robber?</p> <p>49 Every day I was with you in the temple teaching, and you did not seize Me;</p> <p>but <i>this has taken place</i> to fulfill the Scriptures.”</p> <p>50 And they all left Him and fled.</p> <p>51 A young man was following Him, wearing <i>nothing but</i> a linen sheet over <i>his</i> naked <i>body</i>; and they seized him.</p> <p>52 But he pulled free of the linen sheet and escaped naked.</p>	<p>struck the slave of the high priest and cut off his right ear.</p> <p>51 But Jesus answered and said, “Stop! No more of this.”</p> <p>And He touched his ear and healed him.</p> <p>52 Then Jesus said to the chief priests and officers of the temple and elders who had come against Him, “Have you come out with swords and clubs as you would against a robber?</p> <p>53 While I was with you daily in the temple, you did not lay hands on Me; but this hour and the power of darkness are yours.”</p> <p>54a Having arrested Him, they led Him <i>away</i></p>	<p>having a sword, drew it and struck the high priest’s slave, and cut off his right ear; and the slave’s name was Malchus.</p> <p>11 So Jesus said to Peter,</p> <p>“Put the sword into the sheath;</p> <p>the cup which the Father has given Me, shall I not drink it?”</p> <p>12 So the <i>Roman</i> cohort and the commander and the officers of the Jews, arrested Jesus and bound Him,</p>
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