



# Jesus In The Manuscript of Matthew

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Message #80: Darkness Grows

MATTHEW 26:1-16



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## 1. Predictions & Plans (v. 1-5)

- Divine Predictions (v. 1-2)
- Devilish Plans (v. 3-5)
- Two Thoughts:
  - Jesus was sovereign over the method and timing of His death...
  - Nothing is perhaps more disturbing than religious evil!

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## 2. A Flashback (v. 6-13)

- Thematically VS Chronologically
- The Flashback (v. 6-13)
- Two Thoughts:
  - Extravagant worship is truly beautiful worship.
  - Generous service is no substitute for extravagant worship.

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## 3. Plotting & Payment (v. 14-16)

- Sinister Plotting (v. 14-15a & 16)
- Slave Payment (v. 15b)
- Two Thoughts:
  - Notice the stunning contrast between Mary and Judas...
  - Isn't Judas' action the epitome of the transactional nature of sin?





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