



DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

The Plot — Part 1

1. Did you have any special Easter traditions when you were growing up? How were those traditions meaningful to you?
2. Read Matthew 26:1-5. During his ministry, Jesus faced opposition from so many people, especially from the religious leaders. Why do you think he opposed so much?
3. Pastor Tim suggested that at least three things need to be true of spiritual leaders: they need to know God, they need to live in a way that is consistent with the faith they profess, and they need to be able to point people to God. Why are these requirements so important?
4. Read 1 Timothy 3:1-7. What qualities should spiritual leaders have? What happens if spiritual leaders don't have these qualities?
5. How might you apply this lesson to your life?