

IN THE GARDEN ... ALONE

(Mark 14.26-52)

Central Idea: *Jesus is the righteous King who suffers alone.*

I. Jesus will be Abandoned and Left Alone (26-31)

II. Jesus Agonized Over His Suffering Alone (32-42)

We learn something about ...

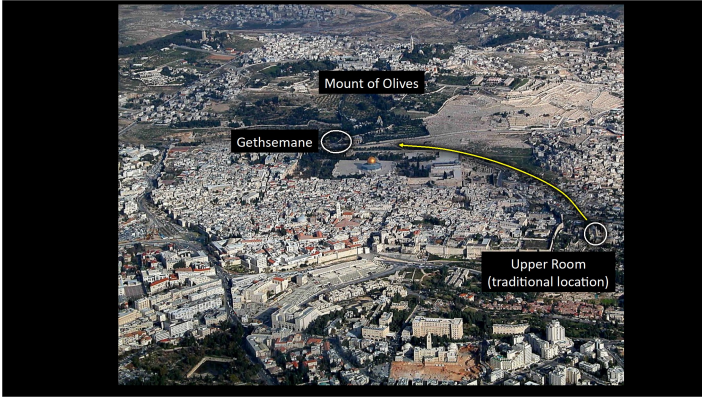
1. Ourselves:
2. God's will:
3. Prayer:

FOR INDIVIDUAL REFLECTION OR GROUP DISCUSSION

1. Can you think of a time when you experienced a profound sense of being alone?
2. What do you think motivated Peter to insist he would not disown Jesus? What can we learn from Peter's example?
3. In what areas of temptation might you be susceptible to pride and say, "I would never do that?" Consider Prov 16.18 and 1 Cor 10.12.
4. Share a time when you knew what God's will was for you, but you still found it difficult to do?
5. How would you explain to an unbeliever what caused Jesus such agony as He prayed in the garden?
6. What lessons of prayer do we learn from Jesus as we see Him praying in the garden?
7. Why do you think Jesus was able to handle the moment of crisis with courage, while his followers were not? How does this help us as we understand God's will for us?

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Jesus will be Abandoned and Left Alone (26-31)
Jesus Agonized Over His Suffering Alone (32-42)
Jesus was Arrested and Deserted – Left Alone (43-52)

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Ourselves: Be careful about proud assertions
God's Will: Doing God's will is not easy
Prayer: It turns suffering into strength