

The Feast of Passover (Day 6 of 10)

Biblical Prophecy Fulfilled Timeline of Events

Overview & Prayer

The Passover Overview Spotless Lamb of God

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"They shall be without defect."
Numbers 28:31

On the sixth day:

Monday Daytime (Abib/Nisan 12th) – 2nd day of the week (continued)

- Jesus answers two of the disciple's questions about the future as they leave the Temple Mount area.
- Jesus answers three more of the disciple's questions about the future while seated on the Mount of Olives (Olivet Discourse)¹
- The high priest, Caiaphas and the leaders plot together to seize Jesus before the Feast of Unleavened Bread, which began at evening on the 15th of Abib.

Monday Nighttime (Abib/Nisan 13th) – 3rd day of the week

- Jesus returns to Bethany and spends the night at Simon, the Leper's home.
- A woman anoints Jesus' head with perfume and Judas become indignant.

Reflection Reading sixth day:

*"Then he said to them, 'These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you, that everything written about me in the Law of Moses and the Prophets and the Psalms must be fulfilled.'
Then he opened their minds to understand the Scriptures."*

Luke 24:44-45

Prayer on the sixth day:

Daily Exercise - Lectio Divina

Lectio Divina is a Latin term that means "divine reading." It is a way or method of reading the Scriptures in such a manner that facilitates the reader in receiving a "specific word" from God. The practice was developed early in the church's history with Origen first expressing its principles around 220 AD. The system consists of four parts: reading, meditation, prayer and contemplation. It may be practiced privately or in a small group setting. There are four elements to be considered in preparing for this exercise:

1. Set aside enough time to complete the exercise so that you don't have to rush through it. Usually thirty minutes is adequate.
2. Find a quiet place free of distractions.
3. Read the Selected Passage Above of Scripture.
4. Transition from what you have been doing by calming you mind and body. This can be done by taking a few slow, deep breaths and inviting the Lord to speak to you through His word.

Reading

1. Read the passage aloud slowly a couple of times.
2. Be silent for one-to-two minutes.
3. Is there a word or phrase that is meaningful to you?
4. Repeat the word or phrase several times silently as if to memorize it.

* If in a group, share it in turn. Do not elaborate simply state what it is.

¹ Jesus' predictions of future events are discussed in future lessons.

Meditation

1. Read the passage again.
2. Be silent for two to three minutes.
3. Think about how the reading applies or touches your life today.

* If in a group, share it in turn. Briefly state "I hear, I see, I feel ..."

Prayer

1. Talk with God about what he is showing you.

* If in a group, pray quietly.

Contemplation

1. Read the passage again.
2. Be silent for two to three minutes.
3. Reflect on "I believe God wants me to _____ today/this week/etc."

* If in a group, share in turn. At this point you can elaborate somewhat on what you believe God is telling you to do.

Study on the sixth day:

Looking At The Future – Lesson 46, Do Not Be Mislead – Lesson 47, Signs – Lesson 48, Be Alert – Lesson 49

"They said to each other, 'Did not our hearts burn within us while he talked to us on the road, while he opened to us the Scriptures?' And they rose that same hour and returned to Jerusalem. And they found the eleven and those who were with them gathered together, saying, "The Lord has risen indeed!"
Luke 24:33

