

COMMUNITY GROUP HOMEWORK

The week of March 6th

***Last week's sermon & this homework can be found at gbcmt.org/sermons or on the GBC App*

1. Describe a time in your life that caused you to mentally wrestle with the sovereignty of God? _____

2. Read Mark 14:43-52.
3. Rather than simply deciding to no longer follow Jesus as many of the other disciples had done (see John 6:66), why did Judas go to the point of betraying Him? _____

4. Read John 18:1-18. What new details do we learn from John's account that is not recorded in Mark 14? _____

5. Read Luke 22:47-53. What new information do we learn from Luke's account? What did Jesus mean in Luke 22:53b? _____

6. Read Matt. 26:47-56. How are Jesus' words in v.52 similar to God's words recorded in Gen. 9:6? _____

7. What was the reason behind the principle set forth in Gen. 9:6? _____

8. In his sermon Pastor Bryan said, "God is able to carry out His plan in spite of and even by means of the most wicked events imaginable." How could you demonstrate this truth from Scripture? _____

Practical Theology:

9. What are the results in life when we fail to live and think in such a way that reflects Jesus' words, "not my will, but Your will be done." (Luke 22:42) _____

For Deeper Study:

10. Why does each gospel account vary slightly in the details recorded regarding Judas' final act of betrayal? _____

11. How do you plan to grow in Christlikeness as result of this week's truth? _____

Sermon Prep: Read Mark 14.

THE ULTIMATE BETRAYAL

Mark 14:43-52

Series #84

The following are questions designed to facilitate greater learning and deeper understanding of spiritual truths presented in the sermon: "**The Ultimate Betrayal.**" All of the questions are answered as the sermon is presented. We hope that it will be a catalyst to spiritual growth in your life.

1. What is one of the issues that all of us have struggled with at one time or another?
2. We do know that God doesn't do what?
3. We do know that God is carrying out a plan for His glory and our what?
4. We think we have to know how to figure things out and we think God is obligated to do what?
5. Corrie Ten Boom's family was ripped apart because they tried to provide a safe haven for whom?
6. We aren't expected to know why God chooses to do all He does or allows, but we are expected to what?
7. When was the darkest night ever in the history of humanity?
8. The gospels indicate that Jesus was crucified at what time and on what day?

Help protect the quality of the sermon recording, please turn quietly to the inside of this study guide. Thank you!

9. When did all of the judicial and religious trials for Jesus take place?
10. During His final night with His disciples Jesus celebrated what?
11. Jesus had told His disciples at Passover that all of them would do what that night?
12. Instead of praying, what did the disciples do?
13. What has always been a part of the eternal plan of God?
14. Jesus was betrayed and handed over by a what?
15. Instead of calling Judas by name in verse 44, Mark calls him what?
16. It is possible that how many men were in the crowd who came to arrest Jesus?
17. What group really had the problem with Jesus?
18. In the culture of the Middle East, the kind of kiss used by Judas was a special act of respect and affection, but also a sign of what?
19. Why did Judas not just walk away from Jesus?
20. What was one of Judas's gods?
21. From Matthew, we learn that Jesus called Judas what?
22. When Judas died where did he go?
23. How do we know that it was Peter who cut off the ear of the servant of the high priest?
24. Were Peter's actions acceptable?
25. Jesus wasn't looking to be what?
26. What did Jesus dread most in the whole crucifixion ordeal?
27. Jesus told the disciples, "But the Scriptures must be..." what?
28. Was Jesus a helpless victim in all of this?
29. In verses 48-49, Jesus made it clear that He is not what?
30. Why did they not arrest Jesus when He was in the temple?
31. This was the night that darkness did what?
32. God is able to carry out His plan in spite of an event by means of the what?
33. What did all of the disciples do at this point?
34. Who is possibly described in verses 51-52?
35. Verses 50-52 show us what?
36. Jesus was in complete what?
37. The next time you go through a dreadful experience in life and you feel all alone, don't forget what?
38. What verse tells us that our High Priest knows what it is like to be all alone?
39. Where do you turn in your heartache and pain?