

# **A Picture of Passionate Worship**

Mark 14:3-9

(series #80)

**Introduction:** Sacrifice to give your best to the Lord

- 2<sup>nd</sup> Samuel 23:13-17

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**I. Mary came prepared to worship v. 3**

A. This was 6 days before Passover (Jn 12:1)

B. It was in the home of Simon the leper

**II. She bore the cost of worship v. 3**

A. The perfume cost a year's wage

B. It may have been a family heirloom

**III. She endured criticism for her worship vv. 4-5**

- Judas was the spokesman (John 12:4)

**IV. She was commended by the Lord v. 6**

A. Jesus said, "Leave her alone"

B. She did a beautiful thing

**V. She made a lasting impression vv. 7-9**

A. Jesus' statement about the poor v. 7

B. Jesus' statement about His burial v. 8

C. Jesus' statement about her legacy v. 9

**Conclusion:** Do we love Jesus like this?