

13. Caiaphas declared Jesus guilty of what?
14. The third trial Jesus had to endure was before what group?
15. How many members made up the Sanhedrin?
16. Did the Sanhedrin stay true to all their own rules that were to govern them in a trial?
17. The Jewish leaders not only wanted to get rid of Jesus, they wanted to do so in what kind of way?
18. According to Deuteronomy 21:23, anyone who is hung on a tree is under what?
19. Crucifixion was humiliating from a social standpoint because it was the cruelest means of execution used by whom?
20. What were the Jewish leaders not allowed to do?
21. Who did the Jewish leaders know that they had to manipulate to condemn Jesus?
22. How many secular or judicial trials did Jesus have to endure?
23. Judas betrayed Jesus for how many pieces of silver?
24. Does verse 3 mean that Judas repented?
25. Remorse is not what?
26. If Judas had truly repented, he would have done what?
27. Judas followed Jesus for what he could get out of the relationship, not because of what?
28. Judas probably didn't hate Jesus, but like a lot of people today, he just wanted to do what?
29. Judas acknowledged that he had done what?
30. Many unbelievers will acknowledge that they have sinned but aren't willing to turn to the Lord in what and for what?
31. In the situation with Judas, neither he nor the Jewish leaders wanted to accept what?
32. The Jewish leaders and Judas all had hearts that were completely unwilling to do what?
33. Is suicide the unpardonable sin?
34. If ever a man wasted his life and wasted opportunities, it was whom?
35. It doesn't matter what you have done in life, you can be what, if you turn to the Lord?
36. If a person ends up in hell, it is because he/she has refused to do what?
37. The Jewish leaders decided to use the money as what?
38. What name did the people give for the field purchased with the money from the betrayal?
39. The Hebrew Bible was divided into how many sections?
40. The first book in the section, "Prophets" was which book?
41. Zechariah 11 says that the children of Israel priced Jesus at what value?
42. Are you like the Jewish leaders who saw Jesus as a nuisance to your own personal life and agenda?
43. Jesus was seen as a nuisance to the Jewish leaders because they didn't want to do what?
44. Why is Jesus seen as a nuisance to a lot of people today?

45. What is something you can't do, in relation to Jesus?

46. Are you like Judas, having many opportunities to respond to the Lord, but you waste those opportunities instead?

Remember: Your responsibility, by God's enabling, is to consistently apply the divine principles and truths you have heard (Philippians 2:12-13; I Timothy 4:7-9; James 1:22-27). As you meditate on this message, ask yourself these questions:

- »»How does God want my beliefs/actions to change?
- »»How can I accomplish this change?
- »»What is the first step toward bringing about this change?

For Next Time:

- 1) Read Matthew 26:1-27:26 through this week.**
- 2) Why do you think Jesus did not answer Pilate in response to his question in Matthew 27:13-14?**

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THE TRAITOR'S TRAGIC END

Matthew 27:1-10

(Series #157)

The following are questions designed to facilitate greater learning and deeper understanding of spiritual truths presented in the sermon "**The Traitor's Tragic End.**" 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 does Jeremiah say about the human heart?
2. Because of the deceptiveness of the heart, we are not only capable of deceiving other people about our true spiritual condition, we are capable of what?
3. We are naturally bent towards what?
4. Our hearts deceive us into dabbling, coddling, playing, and experimenting with what?
5. We, as adults, are not immune to what?
6. Sadness, sorrow, and crying aren't necessarily indicators of what?
7. It is just about impossible to determine if a person has truly repented because we can't see what?
8. Sometimes external actions can be an indicator of what?
9. Are external actions always an indicator of genuine repentance?
10. At what time of the day was Jesus arrested?
11. When Jesus was arrested by the mob, he was first taken to whom?
12. Matthew tells us about Jesus' second mock trial before whom?

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