



**Synopsis**

*A snapshot of the chapter*

Completing the events of Tuesday evening, Jesus said, "You know that after two days is the Passover, and the Son of Man will be delivered up to be crucified" (Matt. 26:1-2). He predicted that He would suffer and die for the sins of the world. This chapter describes the events leading up to the cross. It begins with a plot to kill Jesus by the chief priests and the scribes involving Judas. The disciples were sent into Jerusalem to prepare the feast. At the feast, Jesus instituted the Lord's Supper. After discussions with His disciples, Jesus went out to the Mount of Olives and prayed. There he was betrayed and arrested. Having been taken back into Jerusalem, Peter denied him and Jesus was beaten before the Sanhedrin.

**Observation**—What do you see?

*Important Person(s):*

*Main Event(s):*

**Study Questions:**

1. *Why did Judas betray Jesus? How did he do it?*
2. *What did the disciples have to do to prepare for the Passover feast?*
3. *What did the Jesus mean when he said, "This is my body which is given for you?"*
4. *How would you feel if you were anticipating what Jesus did when he prayed at the Mount of Olives?*
5. *Why did Peter betray Jesus and how did he feel afterwards?*

**Questions:**

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