

Message Notes

"The Collision of Four Agendas"

Scripture Passages

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Introduction - "The Collision of Agendas"

Jesus Leads the Way right to the end
(John 18:1)

The Betrayal
(John 18:2-3)

The Sovereignty of Jesus, even in the last hour
(John 18:4-6)

"I have not lost one..."
(John 18:7-9)

Peter's Attempt to save Jesus
(John 18:10)

"No, Peter! It's not the guard's plan! It's my Father's!"
(John 18:11)

What is the Cup?
Isaiah 51:17, Isaiah 51:22, Jeremiah 25:15

The Collision of Four Agendas
The Chief Priests and the Pharisees, religious leaders trying to stay in power
John 2:18, John 5:15-18, John 6:41, 42, John 7:45-52,
John 8:57-59, John 9:38-41, John 10:31-33,
John 11:45-53

Judas, a worldly man
John 6:70, 71, John 13:1, 2, John 13:25-30,
Matthew 26:14-16, 23-25, Matthew 27:3-5

Peter, a loyal friend
John 6:67-69, John 13:6-9, John 13:36-38

Jesus, focused simply on the Father's will
John 2:19, John 3:14, 15, John 7:33, 34, John 12:7,
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John 12:23, 24, John 13:1

Application - "Are you on the right agenda?"

John 18:1-11

¹When he had finished praying, Jesus left with his disciples and crossed the Kidron Valley. On the other side there was an olive grove, and he and his disciples went into it.

²Now Judas, who betrayed him, knew the place, because Jesus had often met there with his disciples. ³So Judas came to the grove, guiding a detachment of soldiers and some officials from the chief priests and Pharisees. They were carrying torches, lanterns and weapons.

⁴Jesus, knowing all that was going to happen to him, went out and asked them, "Who is it you want?"

⁵"Jesus of Nazareth," they replied.

"I am he," Jesus said.

(And Judas the traitor was standing there with them.)

⁶When Jesus said, "I am he," they drew back and fell to the ground.

⁷Again he asked them, "Who is it you want?"

And they said, "Jesus of Nazareth."

⁸"I told you that I am he," Jesus answered.

"If you are looking for me, then let these men go." ⁹This happened so that the words he had spoken would be fulfilled: "I have not lost one of those you gave me."

¹⁰Then Simon Peter, who had a sword, drew it and struck the high priest's servant, cutting off his right ear. (The servant's name was Malchus.) ¹¹Jesus commanded Peter, "Put your sword away! Shall I not drink the cup the Father has given me?"

John 1:19-12:50