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Worship Service
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Journey to the Cross

Lesson One • Luke 22:7-30

The Last Supper

The Significance of The Last Supper

Jesus showed how God's past deliverance POINTED to the ultimate deliverance that He was about to bring through His death on the Cross.

The Last Supper Before the Cross

1. The Occasion: The Celebration of the PASSOVER!

The Passover Meal

Jesus sends Peter and John to PREPARE for the Passover meal (v. 7-13).

2. The Table: The Last Supper Became the LORD'S Supper!

At the Table with Jesus

- Jesus EATS the last Passover with His disciples (v. 14-18).
- Jesus ESTABLISHES the Lord's Supper with His disciples (v. 19-20).

3. The Disciples: The Danger of DISSENSION Penetrates Their Hearts!

Dissension Among the Disciples

- The disciples question who's the BETRAYER among them (v. 21-23).
- The disciples argue who's the GREATEST among them (v. 24-30).

How Should We Approach the Lord's Supper?

- ❖ We should look INWARD in self-examination of our lives.

Whoever, therefore, eats the bread or drinks the cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner will be guilty concerning the body and blood of the Lord. Let a person examine himself, then, and so eat of the bread and drink of the cup. 1 Corinthians 11:27-28

- ❖ We should look BACKWARDS in remembrance of Christ's death.

For I received from the Lord what I also delivered to you, that the Lord Jesus on the night when He was betrayed took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it, and said, "This is My body, which is for you. Do this in remembrance of Me." In the same way also He took the cup, after supper, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in My blood. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me." 1 Corinthians 11:23-25

- ❖ We should look FORWARD in anticipation of Christ's return.

For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until He comes. 1 Corinthians 11:26

Participating in the Lord's Supper

Followers of Jesus Christ (those who trust Christ for salvation, identify with Christ in baptism, and commit to Christ's body in membership of a local church of like faith and practice) are invited to participate in Communion located at the four tables in the auditorium. **After you take the bread and cup back to your seat, PLEASE WAIT so we may eat and drink together.** The bread and juice represent the body and blood of Jesus when He died on the Cross and reminds us who our Lord is, what He has done for us, is doing for us, and will yet do for us when He returns. Come, Lord Jesus, come!