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Part Two: The Pre-Dawn, Preparing for Easter

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What does God feel since all humanity rejected Him?

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Why did they hate Him?

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They \_\_\_\_\_ Him.

They knew *humility*.

They knew *repentance*.

They were prepared for Jesus' coming.

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Are you prepared for Jesus' coming?

Are you prepared for the Dawn?

Prepare in *humility* – you are not in control + you need help

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