

The Gospel According to John

20:31 ... these have been written so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God; and that believing you may have life in His name.

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Passover Supper

Matthew 26:17–36; Mark 14:12–31; Luke 22:7–38; John 13–17

Passover lamb was being sacrificed (Mk. 14:12); Jesus sent two disciples into Jerusalem (Mat. 26:17–19; Mk. 14:12–16; Lk. 22:7–13).

Jesus washed His disciples' feet (John 13:4–12).

One of them would betray Him (Mat. 26:21; Mk. 14:18; Lk. 22:21; Jn. 13:21). Jesus sent Judas out (John 13:26–30). Jesus instituted the "Lord's Supper" / Communion (Mt. 26:26–29; Mk. 14:22–25; Lk. 22:19–20).

Jesus predicted Peter's denial (Jn. 13:38).

They sang a hymn, and went out (Mt. 26:30; Mk. 14:26).

John 13:1

¹ Now before the Feast of the Passover, Jesus knowing that His hour had come that He would depart out of this world to the Father, having loved His own who were in the world, He loved them to the end.

Exodus 12:1–29

John 15:13

John 13:2

² And during supper, the devil having already put into the heart of Judas Iscariot, the son of Simon, to betray Him,

John 6:70–71

Matthew 26:14–16; Mark 14:10–11; Luke 22:3–6

John 13:3

³ Jesus, knowing that the Father had given all things into His hands, and that He had come forth from God and was going back to God,

John 13:4

⁴ got up from supper, and laid aside His garments; and taking a towel, He tied it around Himself.

Philippians 2:6–8

John 13:5

⁵ Then He poured water into the washbasin, and began to wash the disciples' feet and to wipe them with the towel which He had tied around Himself.

Matthew 20:25–28; Mark 10:42–45; Luke 22:24–27