

III. The Action following the Upper Room (26:31-75)

III.A. The Prophecy of Jesus (26:31-35, 56b, 69-75)


III.A.1. Foretelling of the disciples (31-35)

III.A.1.a. All will desert him (26:31-32) *He will meet them in Galilee after the Resurrection*

III.A.1.b. One will deny him (26:33-35) *Peter will deny him 3 times before the rooster crows!*

Bi 103 – The Synoptic Gospels – Week 11

2



III. The Action following the Upper Room (26:31-75)

III.A. The Prophecy of Jesus (26:31-35, 56b, 69-75)

III.A.1. Foretelling of the disciples (31-35)

III.A.1.a. All will desert him (26:31-32) *He will meet them in Galilee after the Resurrection*


III.A.1.b. One will deny him (26:33-35) *Peter will deny him 3 times before the rooster crows!*

III.A.2. As Fulfilled (56b, 69-75)

III.A.2.a. All disciples desert Him (56b)

III.A.2.b. Peter denies Jesus three times (69-75)

Bi 103 – The Synoptic Gospels – Week 11 3




III.B. Prayers of Jesus (26:36-46)

III.B.1. Jesus seeks assistance (36-38)
Requests Peter, James & John to accompany him.

III.B.2. The Agony He suffers

III.B.2.a. His first Prayer (39-41)



III.B.2.a.i. The Struggle (39) *Jesus begs his Father to remove the coming suffering but emphasizes that he desires to do the fathers will, not his own.*

III.B.2.a.ii. The Sleepers (40-42) *Returning, Jesus finds Peter, James and John sleeping asks them to keep watch.*

Bi 103 – The Synoptic Gospels – Week 11 4



III.B.2.b. His second prayer

III.B.2.b.i. The Struggle (42) *Similar to first prayer*

III.B.2.b.ii. The Sleepers (43) *Returning, Jesus again finds them sleeping, and implores them to keep watch.*

III.B.3.c. His Third prayer

III.B.2.c.i. The Struggle (44) *Similar to first prayer*

III.B.2.c.ii. The Sleepers (45-46) *Returning, Jesus finds them sleeping, awakens them, and warns of the imminent arrest.*

Bi 103 – The Synoptic Gospels – Week 11

5



III.C. The Persecutions begin (26:47-56a, 57-68)

III.C.1. Jesus is arrested (47-56)

III.C.1.a. Jesus and Judas (47-50a) *Judas betrays with a KISS*

III.C.1.b. Jesus and Peter (50b-54) *Peter rebuked for cutting off the ear of the High Priests servant.*

III.C.1.c. Judas and the soldiers (55-56a) *Jesus reminds the arresting soldiers and crowds of his innocence.*

Bi 103 – The Synoptic Gospels – Week 11

6



III.C.2. Religious Leaders accuse Jesus (27:57-66)

III.C.2.a. The attempts (57-61)

III.C.2.a.i. They search for false witnesses (57-59)

III.C.2.a.ii. Their efforts are futile and fail to locate false witnesses against Jesus (60-61)

No two people agree in their testimony.

III.C.2.b. Jesus affirms to the high priest (62-64)
He is indeed the messiah.

III.C.2.c. The Sanhedrin agrees it's blasphemy and votes to put Jesus to death. (65-66)

III.C.3. Jesus is assaulted by the Jewish leaders who spit on and strike him (67-68)



Bi 103 – The Synoptic Gospels – Week 11

7