

INTRODUCTION

- * FOCUSING ON THE CHRIST ... *The Shadow of Christ* ... *The Life of Christ*
- * As we have been studying “The Life of Christ” - we have examined His Birth, His Youth, and His Ministry
- * Last week we began looking at the final phase of Christ’s life by considering His Triumphal Entry
- * As we have considered the life of Christ, we have noted at various times the battle that was raging around Christ – it was a battle of light v. darkness.
- * Today, we look at a time in Christ’s life when that warfare was not so very subtle ... today, we want to look at the arrest of Christ, and specifically consider the nature of this war

INSTRUCTION

I. THE S_____AL NATURE OF THE WAR

A. The I_____ity of the Power of Darkness

1. IT IS LIMITED IN T_____ (cf. Luke 22:53; Revelation 12; 20:1-3,10)
2. IT IS LIMITED IN A_____ (cf. Luke 22:31; Job 1,2)

B. The S_____ity of the Power of Light (cf. John 19: 10-11; John 10:17-18; Romans 8:38-39)

II. THE P_____AL NATURE OF THE WAR

A. Consider Christ

1. HE WAS ATTACKED BY _____ (cf. Luke 22: 2; John 5: 16-18; 7:1; 11:6-10)
2. HE WAS DESERTED BY _____ (cf. Luke 22:21-22, 47-48; Matthew 26:56)

B. Consider Peter

1. HE WAS T_____ED BY SATAN (cf. Luke 22: 31-34)
2. HE WAS T_____D BY SELF (cf. Luke 22: 39-41, 45-46)

INTROSPECTION

- * What is your impression of the war? Consider Ephesians 6:11-18.
- * How strongly are you resisting the devil? Consider James 4:7.
- * How strongly are you opposed to the works of darkness? Consider Ephesians 5:8, 11-13 and I John 1:5-6.