

INTRODUCTION

- * We are currently considering the events in the life of the Messiah during the days just prior to His death, burial and resurrection.
- * Over the past few weeks, we have considered Jesus' interactions with the Scribes, Pharisees, Herodians, Sadducees and Lawyers.
- * Today we begin to transition from the Examination phase of this week – when those religious leaders unknowingly validated that Jesus was indeed without blemish and, thereby, fulfilled the qualifications of both the passover sacrifice and sin sacrifice – into the Sacrificial phase of the week.
- * In Matthew 24 & 25, Jesus informs His disciples of the coming destruction of the temple and then, in response to their questioning, gives them details regarding the end times.

INSTRUCTION**I. THE E _____ OF HIS RETURN (24: 3-14)**

A. It Will Be Marked By I _____ C _____ (24: 6-7)

B. It Will Be Marked By N _____ D _____ (24: 7-8)

C. It Will Be Marked By S _____ S _____ (24: 5, 9-14)

1. NEGATIVELY

- a. D _____ (v. 5, 11; 23-26; 2 Corinthians 11:3-4,13-15)
- b. P _____ (v. 9-10)
- c. D _____ (v. 12-13; Romans 12: 2; 2 Timothy 3: 1-5; Revelation 2: 1-5)

2. POSITIVELY (v. 14)

II. THE E _____ OF HIS RETURN (24: 23-39)

A. The Un _____ Nature of His Return (v. 23-31)

B. The Un _____ Nature of His Return (v. 32-36)

C. The Un _____ Nature of His Return (v. 37-39)

*Next week ...***III. THE E _____ OF HIS RETURN (v. 24: 40 – 25: 30)**

- A. Be R _____ (24: 42-44)**
- B. Be F _____ (24: 45-51)**
- C. Be P _____ (25: 1-13)**
- D. Be F _____ (25: 14-30)**

IV. THE E _____ OF HIS RETURN (v. 25: 31-46)

- A. The N _____ Will Be G _____ (v. 32)**
- B. The R _____ Will Be S _____ (v. 33-46)**
 1. THE R _____
 2. THE C _____

INTROSPECTION

* IF AN IMPOSTOR CAME WOULD YOU KNOW THAT HE WAS A FAKE?

ARE YOU STUDYING THE MANUAL?

* HOW IS YOUR LOVE FOR GOD? DO YOU LOVE HIM MORE THAN ANYTHING ELSE?

IS YOUR LOVE WAXING COLD?

* IS THERE A NEED TO CHANGE THE WAY YOU THINK ... AND THEREFORE ACT?