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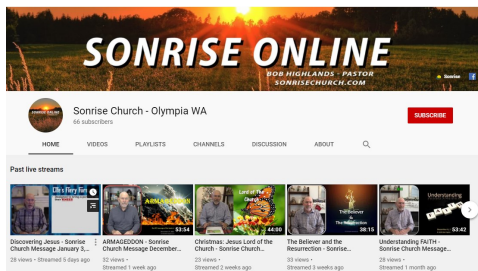
- ♦ **EASTER Bible Study** Continues each Wednesday evening at 6 p.m. through the Wednesday following Easter. Bring your questions and journals.
- ♦ EASTER Sunday April 9
- ♦ EASTER Breakfast during service break
- ♦ [Complete list of upcoming events at SonriseChurch.com/events.html](http://SonriseChurch.com/events.html)

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The Religious Leader's Choice Luke 18:18-30 a Challenging Question

- ♦ “Why do you call me good? No one is good except _____ alone.” Do you believe Jesus is God?
- ♦ Jesus told His disciples, “I and the Father are one... Whoever has _____ me has _____ the Father” (John 10:30, 14:9).
- ♦ When Thomas (a disciple who doubted that Jesus had been raised from the dead) met Christ after the resurrection, he exclaimed, “My Lord and my _____ !”—and Jesus accepted his praise (John 20:28).
- ♦ Even the enemies of Jesus knew He claimed to be God. In one of those instances, they picked up stones to try to kill Him “for *blasphemy, because you, a mere man, claim to be _____*” (John 10:33)

a Perfect Sign prophesied

- ♦ “An evil and adulterous generation seeks for a sign, but no sign will be given to it except the **sign of the prophet** _____. For just as Jonah was three days and three nights in the belly of the great fish, so will the Son of Man be three days and three nights in the heart of the earth” Matthew 12.39-40
- ♦ Jesus directly prophesied his _____ and _____ three times and referred to it on numerous other occasions.

a Perfect Sign foretold

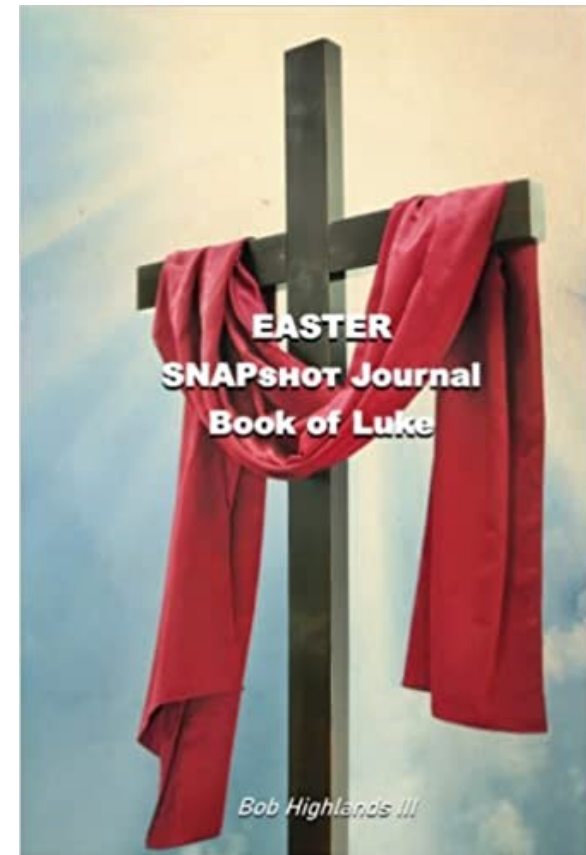
- ♦ And taking the twelve, he said to them, “See, we are going up to Jerusalem, and everything that is written about the _____ of _____ by the prophets will be accomplished. For he will be delivered over to the Gentiles and will be mocked and shamefully treated and spit upon. And after flogging him, they will kill him, and on the third day he will _____.” But they understood none of these things.”

Luke 18.31-34

- ♦ _____ of _____ is a title reserved for Jesus alone in the four Gospels. It is a direct reference to Daniel 7.13-14
- ♦ •The _____ of Jesus Christ from the dead is the cornerstone of our salvation. 1 Peter 1.3

Easter SNAPshot Journal

**Bible Study continues this Week March 22
Wednesdays 6-7 p.m.
Bring your questions and journals.**





WEEK FOUR questions for further study.

- ♦ Monday
 1. How would you describe the perfect prayer?
 2. How has our society rejected the blessing of children?
- ♦ Tuesday
 1. Why was it so important for Jesus to predict his death and resurrection?
 2. What noises of the world block out the sound of Jesus' voice?
- ♦ Wednesday
 1. How can/may a person's life changed by meeting Jesus?
 2. How has Jesus changed your life so that others can see what happened?
- ♦ Thursday
 1. What do you do with your gifts that Jesus would say to you, "Well done?"
 2. Why is Jesus so tough in His stories on those who come up short?
- ♦ Friday
 1. How does praise shape our relationship with Jesus?
 2. Why did Jesus weep over Jerusalem?

a Perfect Sign Fulfilled

- ♦ The death and _____ of Jesus are attested to by those who knew Him best. It was not a rumor but a fact. Their testimony was so strong that they were willing to die rather than refute that one fact.
- ♦ They _____ with Jesus.
- ♦ They _____ Him prophesize his death and resurrection on numerous occasions.
- ♦ They _____ His death.
- ♦ They _____ Him alive again.
- ♦ They were willing to live and _____ because of this fact.



a Long-term Question

- ♦ What should I do to _____ eternal life?"
- ♦ DO NOT... Make sure you are treating _____ as you should. Lk. 6.31 "Do to _____ as you would like them to do to you."
- ♦ He had taken care of earthly _____ and responsibilities.
- ♦ He had _____ met the standards of a proper _____ with God with eternal rewards.

Yard Sale Time?

- ♦ What stands _____ you and God? Jesus requires you to give it up to be his disciple and to receive eternal life.
- ♦ “When the man heard this, he became very _____, for he was _____.*”
- ♦ What Jesus said _____ him, and he _____ it. This is not what he wanted to hear from Jesus.
- ♦ Luke 16.13
You cannot _____ your allegiance between God and money.
- ♦ Luke 14.26 & Luke 18.29-30
The _____ is never easy, but the _____ are great.
- ♦ Matthew 4.8-10
Jesus had made this _____ Himself when tempted by Satan.

The Impossible

- ♦ The _____ of saving yourself is the point Jesus is making.
- ♦ Money cannot buy _____.
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- ♦ Money cannot buy _____.
- ♦ Money represents anything of value that interferes with your relationship with God.
- ♦ Jesus was making it clear a rich person cannot save themselves with _____.
- ♦ Jesus also makes it clear a person cannot save themselves with their _____.

The ~~im~~possible

- ♦ It has always been _____ to save any and all who call upon the name of the Lord.* see Joel 2.28-32 & Acts 2.21
- ♦ This means everyone who _____ save themselves _____ be saved by God through the sacrifice of Jesus.** See acts 4.12
- ♦ Money is a TOOL given to us by God. When it becomes the focus of life, it replaces God and becomes an _____.



Your IRA is building interest

- ♦ What you _____ are those things that would stop you from serving God. Your personal idols.
- ♦ Your _____ starts here in this earthly, physical life where you will “receive many times as much.”
- ♦ Jesus promised believers who have life, and that life will be _____, or it will be _____ and _____. See John 10.10
- ♦ In your spiritual life, you are creating an _____ or _____ with guaranteed _____ benefits.