

Study Guide on Mark 14:26-31, 66-72

New Revised Standard Version

Assign each person in the class one or more verses to study.
Each person should answer these two questions on their assigned verse.

1. What does this verse say?
2. What does this verse mean to me?
3. Discuss your answers with the class.

Mark 14:26-31, 66-72

(Mark 14:26) When they had sung the hymn, they went out to the Mount of Olives.

(Mark 14:27) And Jesus said to them, “You will all become deserters; for it is written, ‘I will strike the shepherd, and the sheep will be scattered.’”

(Mark 14:28) But after I am raised up, I will go before you to Galilee.”

(Mark 14:29) Peter said to him, “Even though all become deserters, I will not.”

(Mark 14:30) Jesus said to him, “Truly I tell you, this day, this very night, before the cock crows twice, you will deny me three times.”

(Mark 14:31) But he said vehemently, “Even though I must die with you, I will not deny you.” And all of them said the same.

(Mark 14:66) While Peter was below in the courtyard, one of the servant-girls of the high priest came by.

(Mark 14:67) When she saw Peter warming himself, she stared at him and said, “You also were with Jesus, the man from Nazareth.”

(Mark 14:68) But he denied it, saying, “I do not know or understand what you are talking about.” And he went out into the forecourt. Then the cock crowed.

(Mark 14:69) And the servant-girl, on seeing him, began again to say to the bystanders, “This man is one of them.”

(Mark 14:70) But again he denied it. Then after a little while the bystanders again said to Peter, “Certainly you are one of them; for you are a Galilean.”

(Mark 14:71) But he began to curse, and he swore an oath, “I do not know this man you are talking about.”

(Mark 14:72) At that moment the cock crowed for the second time. Then Peter remembered that Jesus had said to him, “Before the cock crows twice, you will deny me three times.” And he broke down and wept.

Write the verse or verses you have been assigned in the space below:

Answer These Questions for Class Discussion or Study

1. What does the verse say?
2. What does the verse mean to me?