



International Bible Study Commentary

Verse-by-Verse Bible Lessons Thru the Bible

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John 12:1-11 Scripture Handout King James 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?
- Discuss your answers with the class.

(John 12:1) Then Jesus six days before the passover came to Bethany, where Lazarus was which had been dead, whom he raised from the dead.

(John 12:2) There they made him a supper; and Martha served: but Lazarus was one of them that sat at the table with him.

(John 12:3) Then took Mary a pound of ointment of spikenard, very costly, and anointed the feet of Jesus, and wiped his feet with her hair: and the house was filled with the odour of the ointment.

(John 12:4) Then saith one of his disciples, Judas Iscariot, Simon's son, which should betray him,

(John 12:5) Why was not this ointment sold for three hundred pence, and given to the poor?

(John 12:6) This he said, not that he cared for the poor; but because he was a thief, and had the bag, and bare what was put therein.

(John 12:7) Then said Jesus, Let her alone: against the day of my burying hath she kept this.

(John 12:8) For the poor always ye have with you; but me ye have not always.

(John 12:9) Much people of the Jews therefore knew that he was there: and they came not for Jesus' sake only, but that they might see Lazarus also, whom he had raised from the dead.

(John 12:10) But the chief priests consulted that they might put Lazarus also to death;

(John 12:11) Because that by reason of him many of the Jews went away, and believed on Jesus.

Write out the verse or verses you have been assigned below:

Answer These Questions for Class Discussion or Personal Study

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