



International Bible Study Commentary

Verse-by-Verse Bible Lessons Thru the Bible

L.G. Parkhurst, Jr.

John 18:25-32 Scripture Handout New International 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 18:25) Meanwhile, Simon Peter was still standing there warming himself. So they asked him, “You aren’t one of his disciples too, are you?” He denied it, saying, “I am not.”

(John 18:26) One of the high priest’s servants, a relative of the man whose ear Peter had cut off, challenged him, “Didn’t I see you with him in the garden?”

(John 18:27) Again Peter denied it, and at that moment a rooster began to crow.

(John 18:28) Then the Jewish leaders took Jesus from Caiaphas to the palace of the Roman governor. By now it was early morning, and to avoid ceremonial uncleanness they did not enter the palace, because they wanted to be able to eat the Passover.

(John 18:29) So Pilate came out to them and asked, “What charges are you bringing against this man?”

(John 18:30) “If he were not a criminal,” they replied, “we would not have handed him over to you.”

(John 18:31) Pilate said, “Take him yourselves and judge him by your own law.” “But we have no right to execute anyone,” they objected.

(John 18:32) This took place to fulfill what Jesus had said about the kind of death he was going to die.

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?