

# The Miracles of Jesus

## I. Miracles – Supernatural occurrence, a divine interference in natural order

### A. Manifestations of Jesus' authority over nature, divinity

#### B. Ranks of Miracles

##### 1. 1<sup>st</sup> Rank - Something that nature cannot do

###### a. The parting of the Red Sea

##### 2. 2<sup>nd</sup> Rank - Something that nature can do, but not in the same sequence

###### a. It is natural that an animal live, but it is supernatural for an animal to live after having died

##### 3. 3<sup>rd</sup> Rank - Something that nature can do, but is done without the working of natural principles

###### a. To cure a fever, to cause rain without the proper natural conditions

## II. Jesus' Miracles

### A. Feeding of the 5000

### B. Raising Lazarus from the dead

### C. Healing the sick

### D. Calming storms, walking on water

Matthew 14: 13-21

Mark 5:21-33, 25-34

John 11: 38-44





# Jesus' Entry into Jerusalem

- I. Jesus enters Jerusalem to celebrate the Passover
  - A. Jesus is received like a king
  - B. "Blessed is the king who comes in the name of the Lord"
  - C. "Hosanna in the highest"
    - 1. Cry for divine help, rescue, salvation
  - C. Cloaks, palm branches laid before him



# The Last Supper Discourse

I. Jesus celebrates the Passover with his Apostles

A. "This is my body given for you. Do this in remembrance of me"

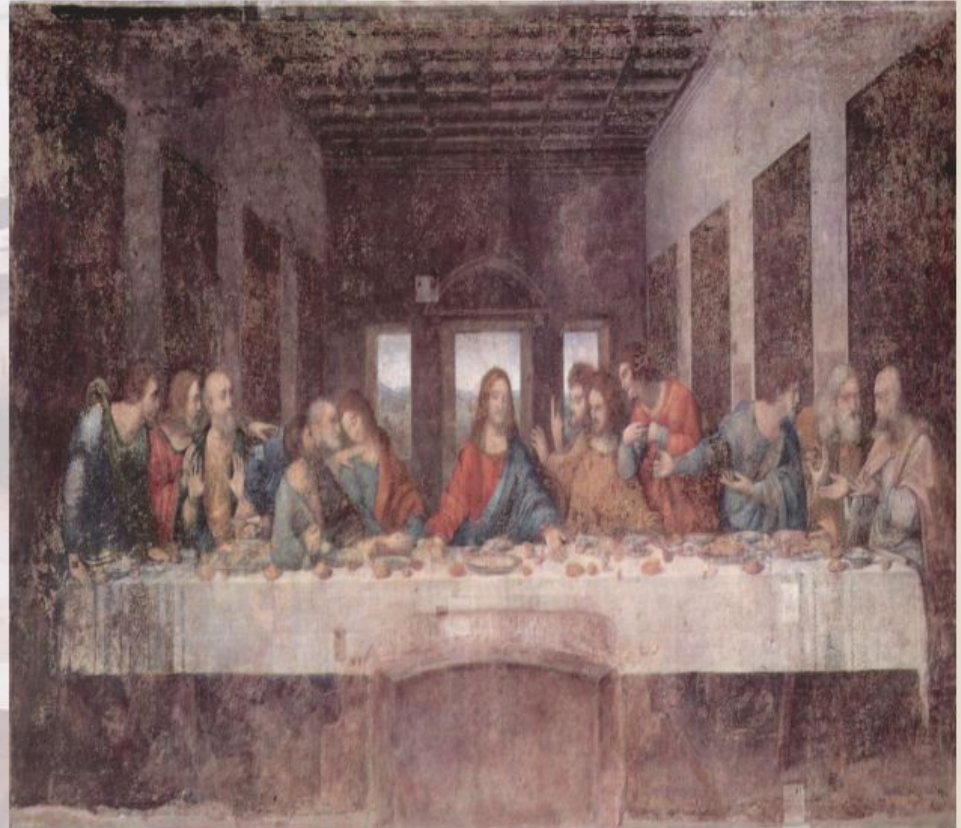
II. Jesus washes the feet of his Apostles

A. Wash one another's feet

III. Jesus commands the Apostles: Love one another as I have loved you

A. "No greater love has no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends"

B. If you love me, then you will keep my commandments





# Betrayal, Arrest, Scourging, and Crucifixion of Jesus

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I. Jesus betrayed by Judas Iscariot for thirty pieces of silver

A. Judas later regrets his action, commits suicide

II. Jesus arrested in the Garden of Gethsemane on the Mount of Olives

A. Jesus asks his Apostles to pray with him; they, instead, continuously fall asleep

III. Jesus brought before Pontius Pilate (the governor of the Judaea province), Sent to Herod Antipas (Tetrarch of Galilee), Returned to Pilate

IV. Peter denies Jesus three times

A. Jesus foretells Peter's denial; Peter insists that he would die rather than deny Jesus

V. Pilate orders Jesus to be scourged and flogged

A. Jesus is scourged with a flagrum

VI. The crowd demands that Jesus be crucified, Pilate consents

A. Jesus carries his cross to Golgotha, assisted by Simon of Cyrene

VII. Jesus crucified at Golgotha

A. Jesus quotes Psalm 22: My God, My God, why have you forsaken me?

B. Jesus to the Good Thief - "Amen, Amen, I say to you, this day you will be with me in paradise"

VIII. Jesus dies at the ninth hour



# Miracles of Jesus

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1. Miracles = supernatural occurrences, divine interference in natural order
  - a. Shows Jesus' authority over nature/divinity
2. Ranks of Miracles
  - a. 1st: Something nature can't do (parting of Red Sea)
  - b. 2nd: Something nature can do, but not in same order
    - i. Supernatural for an animal to live after dying
  - c. 3rd: Something nature can do, but is done without natural principles
    - i. Feeding 5000. Raising Lazarus from the dead. healing

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1. ...
2. ...
3. Entry into Jerusalem
  - a. Jesus comes to celebrate Passover
    - i. Received like a king
      1. “Blessed is the king who comes”
      2. “Hosanna in the highest”
        - a. Lay down palm branches and cloaks before him



# Miracles of Jesus

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1. ...
2. ...
3. ...
4. Last Supper Discourse
  - a. “This is my body given for you. Do this in remembrance of me”
  - b. Jesus washes the feet of his apostles
  - c. Commands them to love one another as I have loved you
    - i. No greater love than to lay down your life for your friends

## 5. Betrayal, Arrest and Death

- a. Jesus is betrayed by Judas for 30 pieces of silver
  - i. Regrets his actions and commits suicide
- b. Jesus prays in Garden of Gethsemane on Mount of Olives
  - i. Asks Apostles to stay up with him and pray... they sleep
- c. Jesus is brought to Pontius Pilate, then sent to Herod before going back to Pilate
- d. Peter denies Jesus 3x
  - i. Foretold by Jesus but Peter insisted he never would
- e. Pilate orders Jesus to be scourged and flogged with a flagrum
- f. Crowd demands crucifixion, Pilate consents
- g. Jesus carries his cross to Golgotha, Simon of Cyrene helps
- h. Jesus is crucified at Golgotha
  - i. Quotes Psalm 22: My God, My God, why have you forsaken me?
  - ii. Tells the good thief he will be with him in paradise
- i. Jesus dies at the 9th hour (3pm)