

250 EVENTS IN THE LIFE OF CHRIST

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A harmony of the Gospels presenting 250 key events in the life of Christ, organized chronologically from His birth and preparation through His ministry, death, and resurrection. A valuable reference for studying the life of Jesus across all four Gospels.

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Introduction

All four books in the Bible that tell the story of Jesus Christ—Matthew, Mark, Luke, and John—stand alone, emphasizing a unique aspect of Jesus' life. But when these are blended into one complete account, or harmonized, we gain new insights about the life of Christ. This harmony combines the four Gospels into a single chronological account of Christ's life on earth. It includes every chapter and verse of each Gospel, leaving nothing out. The harmony is divided into 250 events. The title of each event is identical to the title found in the corresponding Gospel. Parallel passages found in more than one Gospel have identical titles, helping you to identify them quickly.

Each of the 250 events in the harmony is numbered. The number of the event corresponds to the number next to the title in the Bible text. When reading one of the Gospel accounts, you will notice, at times, that some numbers are missing or out of sequence. The easiest way to locate these events is to refer to the harmony. In addition, if you are looking for a particular event in the life of Christ, the harmony can help you locate it more rapidly than paging through all four Gospels. Each of the 250 events has a distinctive title keyed to the main emphasis of the passage to help you locate and remember the events. This harmony will help you to better visualize the travels of Jesus, study the four Gospels comparatively, and appreciate the unity of their message.

1. Birth and Preparation of Jesus Christ

I. Birth and Preparation of Jesus Christ

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Luke

John

1. Luke's purpose in writing

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2. God became a human

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3. The record of Jesus' ancestors

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4. An angel promises the birth of John to Zechariah

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5. An angel promises the birth of Jesus to Mary

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6. Mary visits Elizabeth

Luke 1:39-56

7. John the Baptist is born

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8. An angel appears to Joseph

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9. Jesus is born in Bethlehem

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10. Shepherds visit Jesus

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11. Mary and Joseph bring Jesus to the Temple

Luke 2:21-40

12. Visitors arrive from eastern lands

Matthew 2:1-12

13. The escape to Egypt

Matthew 2:13-18

14. The return to Nazareth

Matthew 2:19-23

15. Jesus speaks with the religious teachers

Luke 2:41-52

16. John the Baptist prepares the way for Jesus

Matthew 3:1-12

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Luke 3:1-18

17. The baptism of Jesus

Matthew 3:13-17

Mark 1:9-11

Luke 3:21-22

18. Satan tempts Jesus in the wilderness

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Mark 1:12-13

Luke 4:1-13

19. John the Baptist declares his mission

John 1:19-28

20. John the Baptist proclaims Jesus as the Messiah

John 1:29-34

21. The first disciples follow Jesus

John 1:35-51

22. Jesus turns water into wine

John 2:1-12

2. Message and Ministry of Jesus Christ

II. Message and Ministry of Jesus Christ

Matthew

Mark

Luke

John

23. Jesus clears the Temple

John 2:13-25

24. Nicodemus visits Jesus at night

John 3:1-21

25. John the Baptist tells more about Jesus

John 3:22-36

26. Herod puts John in prison

Luke 3:19-20

27. Jesus talks to a woman at the well

John 4:1-26

28. Jesus tells about the spiritual harvest

John 4:27-38

29. Many Samaritans believe in Jesus

John 4:39-42

30. Jesus preaches in Galilee

Matthew 14:12-17

Mark 1:14-15

Luke 4:14-15

John 4:43-45

31. Jesus heals a government official's son

John 4:46-54

32. Jesus is rejected at Nazareth

Luke 4:16-30

33. Four fishermen follow Jesus

Matthew 4:18-22

Mark 1:16-20

34. Jesus teaches with great authority

Mark 1:21-28

Luke 4:31-37

35. Jesus heals Peter's mother-in-law and many others

Matthew 8:14-17

Mark 1:29-34

Luke 4:38-41

36. Jesus preaches throughout Galilee

Matthew 4:23-25

Mark 1:35-39

Luke 4:42-44

37. Jesus provides a miraculous catch of fish

Luke 5:1-11

38. Jesus heals a man with leprosy

Matthew 8:1-4

Mark 1:40-45

Luke 5:12-16

39. Jesus heals a paralyzed man

Matthew 9:1-8

Mark 2:1-12

Luke 5:17-26

40. Jesus eats with sinners at Matthew's house

Matthew 9:9-13

Mark 2:13-17

Luke 5:27-32

41. Religious leaders ask Jesus about fasting

Matthew 9:14-17

Mark 2:18-22

Luke 5:33-39

42. Jesus heals a lame man by a pool

John 5:1-15

43. Jesus claims to be the Son of God

John 5:16-30

44. Jesus supports his claim

John 5:31-47

45. The disciples pick wheat on the Sabbath

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Mark 2:23-28

Luke 6:1-5

46. Jesus heals a man's hand on the Sabbath

Matthew 12:9-14

Mark 3:1-6

Luke 6:6-11

47. Large crowds follow Jesus

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Mark 3:7-12

48. Jesus chooses the twelve disciples

Mark 3:13-19

Luke 6:12-16

49. Jesus gives the Beatitudes

Matthew 5:1-12

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50. Jesus teaches about salt and light

Matthew 5:13-16

51. Jesus teaches about the law

Matthew 5:17-20

52. Jesus teaches about anger

Matthew 5:21-26

53. Jesus teaches about lust

Matthew 5:27-30

54. Jesus teaches about divorce

Matthew 5:31-32

55. Jesus teaches about vows

Matthew 5:33-37

56. Jesus teaches about revenge

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57. Jesus teaches about loving enemies

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58. Jesus teaches about giving to the needy

Matthew 6:1-4

59. Jesus teaches about prayer

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60. Jesus teaches about fasting

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61. Jesus teaches about money

Matthew 6:19-24

62. Jesus teaches about worry

Matthew 6:25-34

63. Jesus teaches about judging others

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64. Jesus teaches about asking, looking, knocking

Matthew 7:7-12

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66. Jesus teaches about fruit in people's lives

Matthew 7:15-20

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67. Jesus teaches about building on a solid foundation

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70. Jesus eases John's doubt

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Luke 7:18-35

71. Jesus promises rest for the soul

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73. Women accompany Jesus and the disciples

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74. Religious leaders accuse Jesus of getting his power from Satan

Matthew 12:22-37

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75. Religious leaders ask Jesus for a miracle

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76. Jesus describes his true family

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77. Jesus tells the parable of the four soils

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78. Jesus explains the parable of the four soils

Matthew 13:10-23

Mark 4:10-25

Luke 8:9-18

79. Jesus tells the parable of the growing seed

Mark 4:26-29

80. Jesus tells the parable of the weeds

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81. Jesus tells the parable of the mustard seed

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82. Jesus tells the parable of the yeast

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83. Jesus explains the parable of the weeds

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84. Jesus tells the parable of hidden treasure

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85. Jesus tells the parable of the pearl merchant

Matthew 13:45-46

86. Jesus tells the parable of the fishing net

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87. Jesus calms the storm

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88. Jesus sends demons into a herd of pigs

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Mark 5:1-20

Luke 8:26-39

89. Jesus heals a bleeding woman and restores a girl to life

Matthew 9:18-26

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Luke 8:40-56

90. Jesus heals the blind and mute

Matthew 9:27-34

91. The people of Nazareth refuse to believe

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Mark 6:1-6

92. Jesus urges the disciples to pray for workers

Matthew 9:35-38

93. Jesus sends out the twelve disciples

Matthew 10:1-15

Mark 6:7-13

Luke 9:1-6

94. Jesus prepares the disciples for persecution

Matthew 10:16-42

95. Herod kills John the Baptist

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Luke 9:7-9

96. Jesus feeds 5,000

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Luke 9:10-17

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97. Jesus walks on water

Matthew 14:22-33

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John 6:16-21

98. Jesus heals all who touch him

Matthew 14:34-36

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99. Jesus is the true bread from heaven

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100. The people disagree that Jesus is from heaven

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101. Many disciples desert Jesus

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102. Jesus teaches about inner purity

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103. Jesus sends a demon out of a girl

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Mark 7:24-30

104. Jesus heals many people

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105. Jesus feeds 4,000

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106. Leaders demand a miraculous sign

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Mark 8:11-13

107. Jesus warns against wrong teaching

Matthew 16:5-12

Mark 8:14-21

108. Jesus restores sight to a blind man

Mark 8:22-26

109. Peter says Jesus is the Messiah

Matthew 16:13-20

Mark 8:27-30

Luke 9:18-20

110. Jesus predicts his death the first time

Matthew 16:21-28

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Luke 9:21-27

111. Jesus is transfigured on the mountain

Matthew 17:1-13

Mark 9:2-13

Luke 9:28-36

112. Jesus heals a demon-possessed boy

Matthew 17:14-21

Mark 9:14-29

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113. Jesus predicts his death the second time

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Mark 9:30-32

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114. Peter finds the coin in the fish's mouth

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115. The disciples argue about who would be the greatest

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Luke 9:46-48

116. The disciples forbid another to use Jesus' name

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117. Jesus warns against temptation

Matthew 18:7-9

Mark 9:42-50

118. Jesus warns against looking down on others

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119. Jesus teaches how to treat a believer who sins

Matthew 18:15-20

120. Jesus tells the parable of the unforgiving debtor

Matthew 18:21-35

121. Jesus' brothers ridicule him

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122. Jesus teaches about the cost of following him

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123. Jesus teaches openly at the Temple

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124. Religious leaders attempt to arrest Jesus

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125. Jesus forgives an adulterous woman

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126. Jesus is the light of the world

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127. Jesus warns of coming judgment

John 8:21-30

128. Jesus speaks about God's true children

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129. Jesus states he is eternal

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130. Jesus sends out 72 messengers

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131. The 72 messengers return

Luke 10:17-24

132. Jesus tells the parable of the Good Samaritan

Luke 10:25-37

133. Jesus visits Mary and Martha

Luke 10:38-42

134. Jesus teaches his disciples about prayer

Luke 11:1-13

135. Jesus answers hostile accusations

Luke 11:14-28

136. Jesus warns against unbelief

Luke 11:29-32

137. Jesus teaches about the light within

Luke 11:33-36

138. Jesus criticizes the religious leaders

Luke 11:37-54

139. Jesus speaks against hypocrisy

Luke 12:1-12

140. Jesus tells the parable of the rich fool

Luke 12:13-21

141. Jesus warns about worry

Luke 12:22-34

142. Jesus warns about preparing for his coming

Luke 12:35-48

143. Jesus warns about coming division

Luke 12:49-53

144. Jesus warns about the future crisis

Luke 12:54-59

145. Jesus calls the people to repent

Luke 13:1-9

146. Jesus heals the crippled woman

Luke 13:10-17

147. Jesus teaches about the Kingdom of God

Luke 13:18-21

148. Jesus heals the man who was born blind

John 9:1-12

149. Religious leaders question the blind man

John 9:13-34

150. Jesus teaches about spiritual blindness

John 9:35-41

151. Jesus is the good shepherd

John 10:1-21

152. Religious leaders surround Jesus at the Temple

John 10:22-42

153. Jesus teaches about entering the Kingdom

Luke 13:22-30

154. Jesus grieves over Jerusalem

Luke 13:31-35

155. Jesus heals a man with swollen limbs

Luke 14:1-6

156. Jesus teaches about seeking honor

Luke 14:7-14

157. Jesus tells the parable of the great festival

Luke 14:15-24

158. Jesus teaches about the cost of being a disciple

Luke 14:25-35

159. Jesus tells the parable of the lost sheep

Luke 15:1-7

160. Jesus tells the parable of the lost coin

Luke 15:8-10

161. Jesus tells the parable of the lost son

Luke 15:11-32

162. Jesus tells the parable of the shrewd manager

Luke 16:1-18

163. Jesus tells about the rich man and the beggar

Luke 16:19-31

164. Jesus tells about forgiveness and faith

Luke 17:1-10

165. Lazarus becomes ill and dies

John 11:1-16

166. Jesus comforts Mary and Martha

John 11:17-37

167. Jesus raises Lazarus from the dead

John 11:38-44

168. Religious leaders plot to kill Jesus

John 11:45-57

169. Jesus heals ten men with leprosy

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170. Jesus teaches about the coming of the Kingdom of God

Luke 17:20-37

171. Jesus tells the parable of the persistent widow

Luke 18:1-8

172. Jesus tells the parable of two men who prayed

Luke 18:9-14

173. Jesus teaches about marriage and divorce

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174. Jesus blesses the children

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Mark 10:13-16

Luke 18:15-17

175. Jesus speaks to the rich young man

Matthew 19:16-30

Mark 10:17-31

Luke 18:18-30

176. Jesus tells the parable of the vineyard workers

Matthew 20:1-16

177. Jesus predicts his death the third time

Matthew 20:17-19

Mark 10:32-34

Luke 18:31-34

178. Jesus teaches about serving others

Matthew 20:20-28

Mark 10:35-45

179. Jesus heals a blind beggar

Matthew 20:29-34

Mark 10:46-52

Luke 18:35-43

180. Jesus brings salvation to Zacchaeus's home

Luke 19:1-10

181. Jesus tells the parable of the king's ten servants

Luke 19:11-27

182. A woman anoints Jesus with perfume

Matthew 26:6-13

Mark 14:3-9

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183. Jesus rides into Jerusalem on a young donkey

Matthew 21:1-11

Mark 11:1-11

Luke 19:28-44

John 12:12-19

184. Jesus clears the Temple again

Matthew 21:12-17

Mark 11:12-19

Luke 19:45-48

185. Jesus explains why he must die

John 12:20-36

186. Most of the people do not believe in Jesus

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187. Jesus summarizes his message

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188. Jesus says the disciples can pray for anything

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189. Religious leaders challenge Jesus' authority

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Luke 20:1-8

190. Jesus tells the parable of the two sons

Matthew 21:28-32

191. Jesus tells the parable of the evil farmers

Matthew 21:33-46

Mark 12:1-12

Luke 20:9-19

192. Jesus tells the parable of the wedding dinner

Matthew 22:1-14

193. Religious leaders question Jesus about paying taxes

Matthew 22:15-22

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194. Religious leaders question Jesus about the Resurrection

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195. Religious leaders question Jesus about the greatest commandment

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196. Religious leaders cannot answer Jesus' question

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197. Jesus warns against the religious leaders

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Mark 12:38-40

Luke 20:45-47

198. Jesus condemns the religious leaders

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199. Jesus grieves over Jerusalem again

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200. A poor widow gives all she has

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201. Jesus tells about the future

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202. Jesus tells about his return

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203. Jesus tells about remaining watchful

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204. Jesus tells the parable of the ten bridesmaids

Matthew 25:1-13

205. Jesus tells the parable of the loaned money

Matthew 25:14-30

206. Jesus tells about the final judgment

Matthew 25:31-46

3. Death and Resurrection of Jesus Christ

III. Death and Resurrection of Jesus Christ

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Mark

Luke

John

207. Religious leaders plot to kill Jesus

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Mark 14:1-2

Luke 22:1-2

208. Judas agrees to betray Jesus

Matthew 26:14-16

Mark 14:10-11

Luke 22:3-6

209. Disciples prepare for the Passover

Matthew 26:17-19

Mark 14:12-16

Luke 22:7-13

210. Jesus washes the disciples' feet

John 13:1-20

211. Jesus and the disciples share the Last Supper

Matthew 26:20-30

Mark 14:17-26

Luke 22:14-30

John 13:21-30

212. Jesus predicts Peter's denial

Luke 22:31-38

John 13:31-38

213. Jesus is the way to the Father

John 14:1-14

214. Jesus promises the Holy Spirit

John 14:15-31

215. Jesus teaches about the vine and the branches

John 15:1-17

216. Jesus warns about the world's hatred

John 15:18-27,,John 16:1-4

217. Jesus teaches about the Holy Spirit

John 16:5-15

218. Jesus teaches about using his name in prayer

John 16:16-33

219. Jesus prays for himself

John 17:1-5

220. Jesus prays for his disciples

John 17:6-19

221. Jesus prays for future believers

John 17:20-26

222. Jesus again predicts Peter's denial

Matthew 26:31-35

Mark 14:27-31

223. Jesus agonizes in the garden

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Mark 14:32-42

Luke 22:39-46

224. Jesus is betrayed and arrested

Matthew 26:47-56

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227. Peter denies knowing Jesus

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Mark 15:2-5

Luke 23:1-5

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Mark 15:6-15

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233. Roman soldiers mock Jesus

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Mark 15:16-20

234. Jesus is led away to be crucified

Matthew 27:32-34

Mark 15:21-24

Luke 23:26-31

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235. Jesus is placed on the cross

Matthew 27:35-44

Mark 15:25-32

Luke 23:32-43

John 19:18-27

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Matthew 27:45-56

Mark 15:33-41

Luke 23:44-49

John 19:28-37

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Mark 15:42-47

Luke 23:50-56

John 19:38-42

238. Guards are posted at the tomb

Matthew 27:62-66

239. Jesus rises from the dead

Matthew 28:1-7

Mark 16:1-8

Luke 24:1-12

John 20:1-10

240. Jesus appears to Mary Magdalene

Mark 16:9-11

John 20:11-18

241. Jesus appears to the women

Matthew 28:8-10

242. Religious leaders bribe the guards

Matthew 28:11-15

243. Jesus appears to two believers traveling on the road

Mark 16:12-13

Luke 24:13-34

244. Jesus appears to his disciples

Luke 24:35-43

John 20:19-23

245. Jesus appears to Thomas

Mark 16:14

John 20:24-31

246. Jesus appears to seven disciples

John 21:15-25

247. Jesus challenges Peter

John 21:15-25

248. Jesus gives the great commission

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Mark 16:15-18

249. Jesus appears to the disciples in Jerusalem

Luke 24:44-49

250. Jesus ascends into heaven

Mark 16:19-20

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