

THE SUFFERING MESSIAH

--MARK 10:32-34--

INTRODUCTION:

This morning our passage picks up where last week's passage left off. Jesus and His disciples were again on the road and Mark informs us that they are on their way to Jerusalem. Jesus will for the third time inform His disciples what will take place in Jerusalem on this trip. This passage can be divided into two parts: What the prophet's predicted and what Jesus knew.

I. WHAT THE PROPHETS' PREDICTED (Mark 10:32)

- a. Before the incarnation, before Jesus ever took on human flesh and dwelt among us, He knew His _____ for coming to earth.
- b. As Jesus was going up to _____ it is probable that they encountered many people on the way.
- c. Mark gives us this curious detail because of the resolute determination that the disciples saw in Jesus as He was going to His destiny. (Isaiah 50:7)
- d. Jesus aware of their amazement and aware of their _____ took the twelve aside and began to tell them once again what was going to happen to Him.
- e. The Twelve were familiar with the _____ Testament, it was read and taught in the synagogue which they had attended their whole lives.
- f. Now that His death was imminent, the Lord Jesus intensified His _____ of the disciples. (Luke 18:31)
- g. Let's begin with the sacrificial system, which was initiated and mandated by God, it out of necessity pointed to _____ final sacrifice. (Hebrews 9:9; 10:1-3; 10:10-12)
- h. Jesus most certainly would have reminded His disciples of the words of _____ 22. (Psalm 22:1, 6-8, 14-17, 18)
- i. The Old Testament also predicted numerous other details about Jesus' life, ministry, _____, resurrection and even His ascension. (Zechariah 9:9; 11:12; 12:10; 13:7; Exodus 12:46; Psalm 34:20; 69:21; 16:10; 110:1; Isaiah 53:9)

- j. All these predictions were made about Him and Jesus was _____ to go to Jerusalem to fulfill all that was written about His death, burial, and resurrection. (Luke 24:45)

II. WHAT JESUS KNEW (Mark 10:33-34)

- a. Along with the Old Testament prophecies was the _____ that Jesus Christ had about the events surrounding His impending death.
- b. Jesus' own knowledge of what would happen provides added perspective on the magnitude and the intensity of our Lord's _____ on our behalf.
- c. Jesus again used His favorite messianic title Son of _____ to refer to Himself, a title that emphasized His incarnation.
- d. First, the Son of Man would suffer _____. (Psalm 41:9; Zechariah 11:12)
- e. Second, Jesus suffered _____ by Israel.
- f. Third, Jesus suffered _____.
- g. Fourth, the Son of Man suffered _____.
- h. Fifth, Jesus suffered bodily _____.
- i. Finally, Jesus' enemies would _____ Him.

CONCLUSION:

Jesus Christ, the Son of Man, was determined as He led His disciples on the road to Jerusalem. He knew that they were amazed at His determination, and He knew they were afraid, and that fear increased with each step that brought them closer to Jerusalem. Jesus pulled them aside and again told them what was going to happen to Him. He wanted them to see and understand that this was not the end, but in reality it was the beginning. He wanted them to understand that this had to happen to fulfill Scripture, but it also was necessary so that salvation by faith would be a reality. God's wrath against sin had to be satisfied or all mankind would be condemned to the Lake of Fire separated from God forever. Jesus Christ had to be the final and the perfect Passover Lamb that takes away the sin of the world. The sinless Son of God suffered and died so that His people might have eternal life with Him.