

MATTHEW 26

THE KING'S PREPARATIONS

Chapter 26

Summary: With only hours remaining, Jesus makes preparations for completing His ministry on earth.

I. Jesus Is Prepared Through *Anointing* (1-16): He reminds His disciples of His death (1-5) and receives anointing (6-16).

II. Jesus Is Prepared Through *Communion* (17-35): He celebrates Passover (17-25) and institutes Communion (26-35).

III. Jesus Is Prepared Through *Prayer* (36-56): He prays (36-46) and is arrested (47-56).

IV. Jesus Is Prepared Through *Trial* (57-75): He is sentenced to death (57-68) and is denied by Peter (69-75).

Lesson: *Jesus made these preparations to become Savior just for us.*