

## Matthew 20:17-34    **The Lord of the Vineyard**

Main Service

4/25/2021

### **I.    A Prophecy** v 17 - 19

v 18 *shall be betrayed* - **Mark 14:10**    [ note: 'betray' 18x in HB / v18 = NT verse # 666 ]

v 19 "*crucify*" = first mention in Holy Bible    "*rise again*" = first mention in NT  
*the Gentiles* - The Prevailing Rulers of Government in NT    **Luke 21:24**

### **II.    A Lesson** v 20 - 28

v 20 note - **Mark 10:35**

v 21 *in the kingdom*    **Matthew 19:28**

v 22	<i>the cup</i> "of suffering" - <b>Psalm 102:9</b>	<u>spiritually</u>	<i>John</i> - <b>Revelation 1:9</b>
	<i>the baptism</i> "unto death" - <b>Romans 6:3-6</b>	<u>historically</u>	<i>James</i> - <b>Acts 12:2</b>

v 23 *prepared of my Father* = rewards for service in vineyard, v 16

v 24-25 = the attitudes of 'the flesh', the world, and the devil - **James 3:14-16**

v 26-27 *great and chief ... minister and servant* = True Christianity

v 28 = Christ's Mission    **Matthew 9:13    Mark 10:45    Luke 19:10    John 1:29**

### **III.    An Act of Compassion** v 29 - 34

This account is also found in Mark 10:46-52 & Luke 18:35-43

This miracle is a picture of Christ's work of salvation; His ministry work, v 28.

Lost men are spiritually blind - **2 Corinthians 6:3-6**

Lost sinners are poor beggars without Christ - **Luke 7:40-50**

The world tries to prevent them from coming to Jesus - **Matthew 20:31**

When sinners cry out to Jesus - He compassionately gives them Light and allows them  
to follow Him - **Matthew 20:34**