

**A CLIMACTIC SERIES**

- A. CHRIST'S PROBLEM: WHO AM I?** (Mt.16:13-16; Mk.8:27-30; Lk.9:18-21; see Jn.6:67-69; *May 6*)
- B. CHRIST'S PROCLAMATION: THIS ROCK** (Mt.16:17-20; see 18:18; Jn.20:22; *May 13*)
- C. CHRIST'S PREDICTION: HUMILIATED & GLORIFIED** (Mt.16:21-23(17:1f); Mk.8:31-33(9:2f); Lk.9:22(28f); Jn.6:67-71(12:28); *May 20*)
- D. CHRIST'S PRESCRIPTION: FOLLOW THROUGH** (Mt.16:24-28(17:1f); Mk.8:34-9:1(9:2f); Lk.9:23-27(9:28f); Jn.12:28; *May 27*)

**I. THE CLIMAX OF HIS TESTIMONY**

- A. THREE X THREE ((1), Mt.16:21-23; Mk.8:31-33; Lk.9:22; (2), Mt.17:22-23; Mk.9:30-32; Lk.9:43-45; (3), Mt.20:17-19; Mk.10:32-34; Lk.18:31-34; see Dt.19:15; Mt.18:16; 2Cor.13:1)**
- B. CONFESSTION & CONFIRMATION ((1), Mt.16:16&20; see Mk.8:29,30; Lk.9:20,21)**
- C. FROM THAT TIME ((1), Mt.16:21; see Mk.8:31; Lk.9:22)**
- D. BEGAN ((1), Mt.16:21; Mk.8:31(32); 10:37)**
- E. DISCIPLES ((1), Mt.16:21; Mk.8:33; (2), Mk.9:31; see *the twelve*; (3), Mt.20:17; Mk.9:32; Lk.18:31)**
- F. THE SON OF MAN ((1), Mt.16:13; Mk.8:31; Lk.9:22; (2), Mt.17:22; Mk.9:31; Lk.9:44; (3), Mt.20:18; Mk.10:33; Lk.18:31; see Dn.7:13; Mt.26:64; see 2,24,45,64; see Is.53:1f)**

**II. THE SUBSTANCE OF HIS TESTIMONY**

- A. NECESSITY ((1), Mt.16:21; Mk.8:31; Lk.9:22)**
- B. JERUSALEM ((1), Mt.16:21; see (2), 20:17,18; Mk.10:32,33; Lk.18:31; see Lk.13:33)**
- C. SUFFER MANY THINGS ((1), Mt.16:21; Mk.8:31; Lk.9:22)**
- D. BE DELIVERED INTO THE HANDS OF MEN ((2), Mt.16:22; Mk.9:1; Lk.9:44)**
- E. BE DELIVERED TO THE CHIEF PRIESTS AND SCRIBES ((2), Mt.20:18; Mk.10:33)**
- F. BE REJECTED BY THE ELDERS, CHIEF PRIESTS, SCRIBES ((1), Mk.8:31; Lk.9:22; see Ps.118:22)**
- G. CONDEMN TO DEATH ((3), Mt.20:18; Mk.10:33)**
- H. DELIVERED TO THE GENTILES ((3), Mt.20:19; Mk.10:33; Lk.18:32)**
- I. MOCKED ((3), Mt.20:19; Mk.10:34; *mocked and shamefully treated*, Lk.18:32)**
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- M. THIRD/THREE DAY RAISED ((1), Mt.16:21(17:1f); Mk.8:31(9:2f); Lk.9:22(28f); (2), Mt.17:23; Mk.9:31; (3), Mt.20:19; Mk.10:34; Lk.18:32)**
- N. OPPOSITE OF EXPECTATIONS: SHAME VS. GLORY ((1), Mt.16:22,23; Mk.8:32,33; (2), Mt.17:23; Mk.9:32; Lk.9:45; 3, Lk.18:34; see Lk.19:11; Acts 1:6; see Dn.7:13; Mt.26:64)**

**III. THE SIGNIFICANCE OF HIS TESTIMONY**

- A. THE CHRIST, MESSIAH ((1), Mt.16:16,20f; Mk.8:29f; Lk.9:20; i.e., prophet, priest-propitiation, prince; Heb.1:1-3; see May 6 sermon)**
- B. PROPHET: PREDICTION & FULFILLMENT** (three x three prediction & Mt.26-28; Mk.14-16; Lk.22-24; see Dt.18:18-22; Ps.22)
- C. PRIEST & PROPITIATION: SUFFERED MUCH AND KILLED** (Heb.7:27; 9:11-14; c.9,10 /2C.5:21)
- D. PRINCE: ABSOLUTE VICTORY OVER TEMPTATION & SIN & DEATH & HELL** (Heb.4:15 & Rom.6:10 & Acts 2:24; Heb.2:14 & 1Pt.3:18f; Rev.20:10f; see Dn.7:13; Mt.26:64; Acts 2:33f,36; Eph.1:18f, etc.)

**IV. THE CONSEQUENCE OF HIS TESTIMONY**

- A. WHAT SHALL WE DO IN RESPONSE TO ALL THIS? (Acts 2:36-42)**
- B. WHAT DOES THIS INCLUDE? (see III above)**
- C. THINK GOD'S THOUGHTS! (Mt.16:22,23; Mk.8:32,33; see Ps.119:169; 1Tm.4:11f; 2Tm.3:4-5)**

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