

John 12:20-33

I. Multiply and Fill the Earth

- A. Setting: the eve of Passover, just after the “triumphal entry”
- B. The Greeks
- C. “We wish to see Jesus” (see John 1:14, 18, 39; 14:9; 21:24; also 7:33-35)
- D. Jesus’ joy (see Genesis 1:28; Matthew 10:6; Revelation 3:8)

II. Creation Wisdom

- A. The Wisdom of God (see Proverbs 8:12, 22-23, 27, 30-31; 1 Corinthians 1:24, 30; Ephesians 1:17)
- B. You must glorify to get glory (see 1 Timothy 4:10)
- C. You must die to bear fruit
- D. You must lose your life to keep it
- E. You must serve to gain honor
- F. The Father’s voice

III. Satan Cast Out

- A. This world (see John 8:23; 9:39)
- B. The fall of man and the rise of Satan (Luke 3:38; 4:6-7; Genesis 1:28; 2:15-17; Revelation 20:2)
- C. Satan’s unexpected overthrow (see Luke 22:42; 1 Corinthians 2:7-8)
- D. The exaltation of Christ