

The image features three large, dark crosses silhouetted against a dark, cloudy sky. They are positioned on a dark, rounded hill. A wooden ladder leans against the central cross. The overall mood is somber and religious.

The Final Hours

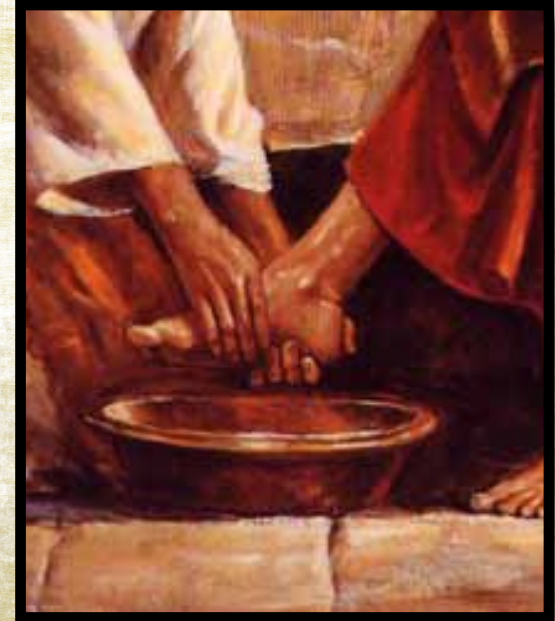
• He Exemplified Humility

— JOHN 13:1-20

– From Beginning To End

- *His Birth and Life*
- *His Example Here*

Let Us Put On The
Clothes Of A Servant!



• He Instituted A Memorial

— MATT. 26:26-29

– The Establishment

LK. 22:19; MT. 26:27, 28

– A Pattern for Us

ACTS 20:7; 1ST COR. 11:26, 27

Let Us Honor His Sacrifice!

But man says:

“The Church obliges the faithful...to receive the Eucharist at least once a year, if possible during the Easter season. But the Church strongly encourages the faithful to receive the holy Eucharist on Sundays and feast days, or more often still, even daily.”

***Catechism of the Catholic Church, Para. 1389
and...***

“Probably early Christians observed it daily, but it is now generally the custom to have communion on the first Sunday in each month. In this way its sacredness is not lessened by too frequent observance, nor does too long a period elapse between,...”.

Baptist Standard Church Directory, p. 30

• He Made Promises

— JOHN 14-16

– To the Apostles

- *A Place* John 14:2, 3
- *A Helper* 14:16-17; 15:26-27; 16:7-14
- *He Would Return* 14:3, 18, 28; 16:16
- *Persecutions* 15:20-16:4; 16:33
- *They Would Rejoice* 16:20-22

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– Promises Relevant to Us

- *A Place* 2nd Cor. 5:1
- *The Inspired Word* 1st Cor. 2:9-13
- *He Will Return* 1st Thess. 4:13-5:11
- *Persecutions* 2nd Tim. 3:12
- *We Can Rejoice* 1st Pet. 1:6-8

- **He Prayed**

— **JOHN 17; MATT. 26:36-44**

- **The Prayers**

- *With the Apostles*

John 17

- *In the Garden*

Matt. 26; Luke 22:43, 44

**Let Us Appreciate His Love for Us,
and Let Us Pray Just as Intensely!**

• He Was Betrayed, Taken & Tried

— JN. 18:2-19:16; MT. 26:46-27:50

– The Events

- *The Betrayal and Arrest* Luke 21:51, 53
- *The Trial* Luke 23:6

Let Us Never Forget His Suffering

For consider Him who endured such hostility from sinners against Himself, lest you become weary and discouraged in your souls. — Heb. 12:3

- **He Was Crucified**

— JOHN 19; MATT. 27; LUKE 23

- **The Events**

- *A Cruel Death* John 19:17; 20:35; Matt. 27:34
- *No Mercy Shown* Mt. 27:39-44; Jn. 19:28-30

Let Us Not Forget He Did This For Us

By this
we know love
because
He laid down His life
for us.

— 1 John 3:16

