

QUESTIONS FOR ADDITIONAL STUDY

1. Tell your story. Describe a time when you denied something you knew to be true. Did you correct the situation? If so, how?

2. What do you think are some of the reasons Peter denied knowing the Lord after walking with him for over three years?

3. Read the following verses and note what the Bible says about acknowledging our relationship to the Lord?
 - a) Proverbs 30:8-9
 - b) Matthew 10:32-33
 - c) Romans 1:16
 - d) II Timothy 1:8
 - e) Titus 1:15-16
 - f) II Peter 2:1
 - g) Jude 1:4

4. How did Peter's actions reflect that of the person mentioned in Psalm 1?

5. What one practical application are you going to make from this week's message? (*Share your choice with someone.*)
 - I am going to acknowledge my faith by sharing it with at least one other person this week.
 - I am going to ask someone close to me to examine my life to see if there is any way I am denying the Lord by my actions.
 - I am going to memorize Romans 1:16.

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Matthew 26:69-75
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Study Series # 110

Peter's Denial of Jesus

I. Introduction

A. Thomas Edison

B. The Apostle Peter

(See Acts 2:41; Acts 4:4; Acts 5:29-32)

II. The Trial of Jesus

A. The First Denial

(See Matthew 26:69-70; Mark 14:66-68; Luke 22: 54-57;
John 18:15-18)

B. The Second Denial

(See Matthew 26:71-72; Mark 14:69-70; Luke 22:58;
John 18:25)

C. The Third Denial

(See Matthew 26:73-74; Mark 14:70-71; Luke 22:59-60
John 18:26-27; John 1:43-46)

D. The Rooster Crows

(See Matthew 26:71-72; Mark 14:72; Luke 22:60-62;
John 18:27; Mark 14:30; Matthew 26:34; Jeremiah 17:9)

III. Conclusion

A. The Story of Peter's Denial

(See Matthew 26:69-75; Mark 14:66-72; Luke 22:55-62;
John 18:15-18; John 18:25-27)

B. The Progression that Leads to Denial

(See Hebrews 2:1-3; Matthew 16:15-17;
I Corinthians 10:12; Matthew 26:38; Luke 22:40;
John 18:10-11; Exodus 16:4; Matthew 26:58;
Proverbs 29:25)

C. A Lesson from Psalm 1

(See Psalm 1:1-3; Matthew 26:57-58; John 18:18;
Matthew 26:74)

D. The God of Second Chances

(See Luke 22:31-32; John 21:15-17; Galatians 2:11-14;
Psalm 103:14; Hebrews 12:1; John 8:10-11)

Passage of Study

Matthew 26:69-75

⁶⁹ Now Peter was sitting outside in the courtyard, and a servant-girl came to him and said, "You too were with Jesus the Galilean."
⁷⁰ But he denied *it* before them all, saying, "I do not know what you are talking about."
⁷¹ When he had gone out to the gateway, another *servant-girl* saw him and said to those who were there, "This man was with Jesus of Nazareth."
⁷² And again he denied *it* with an oath, "I do not know the man."
⁷³ A little later the bystanders came up and said to Peter, "Surely you too are *one* of them; for even the way you talk gives you away."
⁷⁴ Then he began to curse and swear, "I do not know the man!" And immediately a rooster crowed.
⁷⁵ And Peter remembered the word which Jesus had said, "Before a rooster crows, you will deny Me three times." And he went out and wept bitterly.

If you would like to know more about what it means to be a Christian or if you would like to talk with someone or have someone pray for you, please contact the church office and the pastor will contact you.

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