

GOSPEL OF MARK
The Passover Prepared
Mark 14:12-16

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**1. What the _____ and
Unleavened Bread memorialized for future generations.**

- a. The Passover commemorated God's deliverance of the Jews from their _____ in Egypt when, by the blood of a lamb, God passed over their homes and did not bring the judgment of death on their firstborn sons.
- b. The Feast of Unleavened Bread commemorated the cleansing of the house of leaven and _____ powerful and immediately effective deliverance from Egyptian slavery.

2. How the Passover was _____.

- a. A healthy, unblemished _____ was to be selected four days before the Passover. It was then examined by the priests and killed on the day of Passover.
- b. The house was cleansed of _____. They were to eat unleavened bread with the meal and then eat no leaven for the next seven days.

- c. They were to eat _____ herbs with the meal. The unleavened bread was broken into pieces and it was eaten with the bitter herbs and stewed fruit.
- d. When the food had been brought in, the son would ask why this night was _____ than other nights. An explanation would be given about the redemption from Egypt, thanks would be given to God, and the meal would be eaten.

3. The Passover and _____.

- a. The Passover observance was given so that future generations would remember past redemption and anticipate an even greater _____.

"The celebration of the Passover was always marked by excitement and the high _____ that it would be fulfilled by God's intervention once more. It was observed as 'a night of watching unto the Lord' (Exod. 12:42) in the conviction that 'in that night they were redeemed and in that night they will be redeemed in future.' Jesus came to the city fully aware that He was to accomplish the Passover in His own person." - William Lane

- b. Jesus Christ is the prophesied Passover _____.

"We cannot doubt for a moment that it was not by chance, but by God's providential appointment, that our Lord was crucified in the passover week ... It was meant to draw the attention of the Jewish nation to Him as the _____ Lamb of God." - J.C. Ryle