

"Knowing the Scriptures and the Power of God" (Matthew 22:23-33; Mark 12:18-27; Luke 20:27-40)

I. The Ministry of Jesus Christ

- A. Jesus the **Good Shepherd**
- B. Jesus Ministering in **Judea**
- C. Jesus returns to the **Temple**
- D. Jesus' **Passion Week** in Jerusalem

I. The **SETTING**: (Mark 12:18; Luke 20:27; Matthew 22:23)

- A. This encounter occurs on _____ of Passion week
- B. Jesus is questioned by a group of _____

* Who are the Sadducees?

II. The **QUESTION**: (Mark 12:19-23; Matthew 22:24-28; Luke 20:28-33)

- A. The Sadducees _____ Jesus a question of levirate _____ relative to its implications in the resurrection.
- B. They are not asking this question because they are actually worried about this situation. They are asking it because they _____ that the question shows a _____ in the whole teaching about the _____

* Resurrections always have to do with _____

III. The **RESPONSE** of Jesus: (Mark 12:24-27 Matthew 22:29-33; Luke 20:34-40)

- A. In responding to their question Jesus offers both _____ and _____
- B. JESUS TAUGHT THAT THERE IS SUCH A THING AS DOCTRINAL TRUTH AND DOCTRINAL ERROR, AND THAT TRUTH MATTERS.
- C. Jesus responds by...
 - * Telling them they are _____
 - * Telling them they do not know the _____ nor the _____ of God
 - * Mistaken-

D. Jesus states that there is no _____ in the resurrection

* Who are "those who are counted worthy to attain that age"?

E. Jesus states that the saved are like _____ in the resurrection

* What do the phrases "sons of God" & "sons of the resurrection" mean?

F. The error of the Sadducees included the assumption that Moses _____ the doctrine of the resurrection of the dead.

G. Jesus shows from the very Scriptures that Moses wrote that he _____ in the doctrine of the resurrection of the dead.

Order	Which	Timing	Who	Description	Scriptures
1	First	The Third Day	Jesus Christ	The resurrection of the Lord Jesus Christ, the "firstfruits of those who have fallen asleep."	<u>Mt. 28:1-7; Mk 16:1-11; Lk 24:1-12; Jn 20:1-18; 1 Cor. 15:20</u>
2	First	Shortly after Christ's Resurrection.	A Few OT Saints	At the earthquake attending the crucifixion, graves were opened. Shortly after the resurrection of Christ, these saints were raised	<u>Mt. 27:50-53</u>
3	First	Before the Tribulation.	Church	The resurrection of Church-age believers at the <u>Rapture</u> .	<u>Jn 14:3; 1Th. 4:13-18; 1Cor. 15:50-53</u>
4	First	Middle of the Tribulation	Two Witnesses	God's two witnesses will be raised after being killed by <u>The Beast</u> .	<u>Rev. 11:11-12</u>
5	First	After <u>Jacob's Trouble</u> or <u>Great Tribulation</u>	OT Saints	Old Testament saints will be resurrected to enter the Millennial Kingdom	<u>Da 12:1-2; Isa 26:19; Ezek 37:13-14</u>
6	First	Beginning of <u>Millennial Kingdom</u> .	Tribulation Martyrs	<u>The Tribulation</u> martyrs will be resurrected so that they can rule and reign with Christ.	<u>Rev. 20:4-6</u>
7	Second	End of <u>Millennial Kingdom</u>	Unbelieving Dead	At the end of the <u>millennial reign of Christ</u> , the final resurrection will consist of all of the unbelieving, wicked dead. They will be found guilty at the Great White Throne Judgment and cast into the Lake of Fire.	<u>Rev. 20:11</u>