

## The Lord's Supper

Text: I Cor. 11:23-34

### ➤ Lord's Supper - Memorial

- v. 24 - "in remembrance of me"
- v. 25 - "in remembrance of me"

### ➤ Under Grace

- No feasts like O.T. Law are we told to remember or observe
- Not told to remember Christ's birth
  - It is important but not told to remember.
- Not told to remember Christmas
  - Not found in the Bible
  - Pagan in origin
- Not told to remember Easter
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- Ceremonial/ordnances abolished - See Col. 2: 14-16
- The only thing we are commanded to remember is the Lord's death.
  - His broken sinless body - pictured by the unleavened bread
  - His shed sinless blood - pictured by the grape juice.
- We are to Remember:
- I. The Person
  - Testimony of who he was
  - 1) Isa. 7:14/Mt. 1:23 - "God with us"
  - 2) Angel Gabriel - Lk. 1:32, "Son of the Highest"
  - 3) Elisabeth - Mary's cousin - Lk. 1:43, "My Lord"
  - 4) Simeon - Lk. 2:26, "The Lord's Christ"
  - 5) John the Baptist - John 1:29, "Behold the Lamb of God, which away the sin of the world"
  - 6) God, the Father - Mt. 3:17, "This is my beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased"
  - 7) Peter, the Apostle - Mt. 16:16, "Thou art the Christ, the Son of the living God"
  - 8) Apostle Thomas - John 20:28, "My Lord and my God"
  - 9) Dying Thief - Lk. 23:42 - called Jesus Lord.
  - 10) The Centurion at the cross - Mk. 15:39, "Truly this man was the Son of God"
  - 11) Ethiopian Eunuch at his conversion - Acts 8:37, "I believe that Jesus Christ is the Son of God"
  - 12) Jesus - Jn. 8:58, Jesus claimed to be the Jehovah of the O.T., "I Am" of Exodus 3:14
  - Jesus claimed to be equal with God, the Father - Jn. 10:30, "I and my Father are one"
- II. Remember the Price
  - I Cor. 6:19-20 - "bought with a price"
  - Acts 20:28 - God's own blood

- I Peter 1:18-19, "Precious blood"
- **III. Remember the Purpose**
  - Mt. 1:21, "save his people from their sins"
  - I Tim 1:15, "Save Sinners"
  - Col. 1:14, "Redemption" (buy use back from the slave market of sin), "forgiveness of sins"
  - II Cor. 5:21, "we might be made the righteousness of God in Him"
- I Cor. 11:23-34 -
  - To partake of the Lord's Supper
    - 1) Saved
    - 2) Self-examination for sin - vs. 27-30
  - Give time to self-exam
  - Give out elements
- End - Mt. 26:30
  - Hymn 314, Amazing Grace