

**52** If any man eat of this bread, he shall live for ever; and the bread that I will give, is my flesh, for the life of the world.

**53** The Jews therefore strove among themselves, saying: How can this man give us his flesh to eat?

**54** Then Jesus said to them: Amen, amen I say unto you: Except you eat the flesh of the Son of man, and drink his blood, you shall not have life in you.

**55** He that eateth my flesh, and drinketh my blood, hath everlasting life: and I will raise him up in the last day.

**56** For my flesh is meat indeed: and my blood is drink indeed.

**57** He that eateth my flesh, and drinketh my blood, abideth in me, and I in him.

**58** As the living Father hath sent me, and I live by the Father; so he that eateth me, the same also shall live by me.

**59** This is the bread that came down from heaven. Not as your fathers did eat manna, and are dead. He that eateth this bread, shall live for ever.

**60** These things he said, teaching in the synagogue, in Capernaum.

**61** Many therefore of his disciples, hearing it, said: This saying is hard, and who can hear it?

**62** But Jesus, knowing in himself, that his disciples murmured at this, said to them: Doth this scandalize you?

**63** If then you shall see the Son of man ascend up where he was before?

**64** It is the spirit that quickeneth: the flesh profiteth nothing. The words that I have spoken to you, are spirit and life.

**65** But there are some of you that believe not. For Jesus knew from the beginning, who they were that did not believe, and who he was, that would betray him.

**66** And he said: Therefore did I say to you, that no man can come to me, unless it be given him by my Father.

**67** After this many of his disciples went back; and walked no more with him.

**68** Then Jesus said to the twelve: Will you also go away?

**69** And Simon Peter answered him: Lord, to whom shall we go? thou hast the words of eternal life.

**70** And we have believed and have known, that thou art the Christ, the Son of God.

**71** Jesus answered them: Have not I chosen you twelve; and one of you is a devil?

**72** Now he meant Judas Iscariot, the son of Simon: for this same was about to betray him, whereas he was one of the twelve.

## Chapter 7

After these things Jesus walked in Galilee; for he would not walk in Judea, because the Jews sought to kill him.

**2** Now the Jews' feast of tabernacles was at hand.

**3** And his brethren said to him: Pass from hence, and go into Judea; that thy disciples also may see thy works which thou dost.

**4** For there is no man that doth any thing in secret, and he himself seeketh to be known openly. If thou do these things, manifest thyself to the world.

**5** For neither did his brethren believe in him.

**6** Then Jesus said to them: My time is not yet come; but your time is always ready.

**7** The world cannot hate you; but me it hateth: because I give testimony of it, that the works thereof are evil.

**8** Go you up to this festival day, but I go not up to this festival day: because my time is not accomplished.

**9** When he had said these things, he himself stayed in Galilee.

**10** But after his brethren were gone up, then he also went up to the feast, not openly, but, as it were, in secret.

**11** The Jews therefore sought him on the festival day, and said: Where is he?

**12** And there was much murmuring among the multitude concerning him. For some said: He is a good man. And others said: No, but he seduceth the people.

**13** Yet no man spoke openly of him, for fear of the Jews.

**14** Now about the midst of the feast, Jesus went up into the temple, and taught.

**15** And the Jews wondered, saying: How doth this man know letters, having never learned?

**16** Jesus answered them, and said: My doctrine is not mine, but his that sent me.

**17** If any man do the will of him; he shall know of the doctrine, whether it be of God, or whether I speak of myself.

**18** He that speaketh of himself, seeketh his own glory: but he that seeketh the glory of him that sent him, he is true, and there is no injustice in him.

**19** Did Moses not give you the law, and yet none of you keepeth the law?

**20** Why seek you to kill me? The multitude answered, and said: Thou hast a devil; who seeketh to kill thee?

**21** Jesus answered, and said to them: One work I have done; and you all wonder:

**22** Therefore, Moses gave you circumcision (not because it is of Moses, but of the fathers;) and on the sabbath day you circumcise a man.

**23** If a man receive circumcision on the sabbath day, that the law of Moses may not be broken; are you angry at me because I have healed the whole man on the sabbath day?

**24** Judge not according to the appearance, but judge just judgment.

**25** Some therefore of Jerusalem said: Is not this he whom they seek to kill?

**26** And behold, he speaketh openly, and they say nothing to him. Have the rulers known for a truth, that this is the Christ?

**27** But we know this man, whence he is: but when the Christ cometh, no man knoweth whence he is.

**28** Jesus therefore cried out in the temple, teaching, and saying: You both know me, and you know whence I am: and I am not come of myself; but he that sent me, is true, whom you know not.

**29** I know him, because I am from him, and he hath sent me.

**30** They sought therefore to apprehend him: and no man laid hands on him, because his hour was not yet come.

**31** But of the people many believed in him, and said: When the Christ cometh, shall he do more miracles, than these which this man doth?

**32** The Pharisees heard the people murmuring these things concerning him: and the rulers and Pharisees sent ministers to apprehend him.

**33** Jesus therefore said to them: Yet a little while I am with you: and then I go to him that sent me.

**34** You shall seek me, and shall not find me: and where I am, thither you cannot come.

**35** The Jews therefore said among themselves: Whither will he go, that we shall not find him? will he go unto the dispersed among the Gentiles, and teach the Gentiles?

**36** What is this saying that he hath said: You shall seek me, and shall not find me; and where I am, you cannot come?

**37** And on the last, and great day of the festivity, Jesus stood and cried, saying: If any man thirst, let him come to me, and drink.

**38** He that believeth in me, as the scripture saith, Out of his belly shall flow rivers of living water.

**39** Now this he said of the Spirit which they should receive, who believed in him: for as yet the Spirit was not given, because Jesus was not yet glorified.

**40** Of that multitude therefore, when they had heard these words of his, some said: This is the prophet indeed.

**41** Others said: This is the Christ. But some said: Doth the Christ come out of Galilee?

**42** Doth not the scripture say: That Christ cometh of the seed of David, and from Bethlehem the town where David was?

**43** So there arose a dissension among the people because of him.

**44** And some of them would have apprehended him: but no man laid hands on him.

**45** The ministers therefore came to the chief priests and the Pharisees. And they said to them: Why have you not brought him?

**46** The ministers answered: Never did man speak like this man.

**47** The Pharisees therefore answered them: Are you also seduced?

**48** Hath any one of the rulers believed in him, or of the Pharisees?

**49** But this multitude, that knoweth not the law, are accursed.

**50** Nicodemus said to them, (he that came to him by night, who was one of them:)

**51** Doth our law judge any man, unless it first hear him, and know what he doth?

**52** They answered, and said to him: Art thou also a Galilean? Search the scriptures, and see, that out of Galilee a prophet riseth not.

**53** And every man returned to his own house.

## Chapter 8

And Jesus went unto mount Olivet.

**2** And early in the morning he came again into the temple, and all the people came to him, and sitting down he taught them.

**3** And the scribes and the Pharisees bring unto him a woman taken in adultery: and they set her in the midst,

**4** And said to him: Master, this woman was even now taken in adultery.

**5** Now Moses in the law commanded us to stone such a one. But what sayest thou?

**6** And this they said tempting him, that they might accuse him. But Jesus bowing himself down, wrote with his finger on the ground.

**7** When therefore they continued asking him, he lifted up himself, and said to them: He that is without sin among you, let him first cast a stone at her.

**8** And again stooping down, he wrote on the ground.

**9** But they hearing this, went out one by one, beginning at the eldest. And Jesus alone remained, and the woman standing in the midst.

**10** Then Jesus lifting up himself, said to her: Woman, where are they that accused thee? Hath no man condemned thee?

**11** Who said: No man, Lord. And Jesus said: Neither will I condemn thee. Go, and now sin no more.

**12** Again therefore, Jesus spoke to them, saying: I am the light of the world: he that followeth