



The Passion of our Lord Jesus Christ PART I

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Part I The Farewell Discourse

Jesus:

JN 13: 33

JN 14:1

My children, I will be with you only a little longer.
Where I am going you cannot follow now.
Do not let your hearts be troubled;
Trust in God; trust also in me.
In my Father's house are many mansions.
I go to prepare a place for you.
I will not leave you orphans; I will come to you.
You will grieve, but your grief will turn to joy.

JN 14:18

JN 16:20

{ORCHESTRAL BRIDGE}

Chorus:

JN 13: 34

JN 15:5

JN 15:9

Behold, I give you a new commandment:
Love one another as I have loved you.
I am the vine, you are the branches.
As the Father has loved me, I have loved you.
Abide in my love.

Jesus:

JN 16:19

JN 14:30

JN 16:20

JN 16:23

A little while and you will see me no longer.
The prince of this world is coming.
You will weep and mourn while the world rejoices.
But take heart: I have overcome the world.

Narrator:

JN 13:1

Having loved those who were in the world,
He now prepared to show them the full extent
Of his love.