

He Gives No Stones

A SERIES ON THE
PROMISES OF PRAYER





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Sermon 6 of
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The Garden Prayer

- “My Father, if it is possible, let this cup pass from me. Yet not as I will, but as You will.”
- “My Father, if this cannot pass unless I drink it, Your will be done.”
- “Abba, Father! All things are possible for you. Take this cup away from me. Nevertheless, not what I will, but what you will.”
- “Father, if you are willing, take this cup away from Me – nevertheless, not My will but Yours, be done.”

Jesus Bears Our Burden

- Jesus bore our sins on the cross – and before
- Jesus prayed “Let this cup pass”
- God heard His prayer

Objections

- In Mark, the word is “remove.”
- But Jesus was dreading the cross in John 12.
- Hebrews 5.7 says Jesus wanted to be saved from the cross

The Truth About Jesus' Desire to Redeem

- The Son is the radiance of God's glory and the exact expression of His nature, sustaining all things by his powerful word. After making purification for sins, He sat down at the right hand of the Majesty on high" (Heb 1.3).
- But we see Jesus, who was made a little lower than the angels, now crowned with glory and honor because He suffered death, so that by the grace of God He might taste death for everyone. In bringing many sons to glory, it was fitting for God, for whom and through whom all things exist, to make the author of their salvation perfect through suffering" (Heb 2.9-10).
- "For the joy that lay before Him, He endured the cross, despising the shame, and sat down at the right hand of the throne of God" (Hebrews 12.2).

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