

Final Instructions

Luke 2:24-53

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Last lessons in the upper room (v.24-38).

1. Jesus' disciples should not **compete** (24-30).
2. Jesus' disciples are not **self-sufficient** (v.31-34).
3. Jesus' disciples must **listen** carefully and think **spiritually** (v.35-38).

Lonely moments before His suffering (v.39-53).

1. Jesus soon found Himself alone **in prayer** (39-46).
2. Jesus then found himself alone **in chains** (v.47-53)

Remember:

- God never **forgets** his promises to us.
- God never **gives up** on us.
- God knows how to strengthen us when **we are weak**. Every life has its Gethsemane; Every Gethsemane has its **angel**.
- God knows how to save us **from ourselves**.