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The Gospel of Luke
Summary and Conclusion, Pt. 9

The outline of the Gospel was as follows:

- I. Preface: The Method and Purpose of Writing, **Luke 1:1-4**.
- II. The Identification of the Son of Man with Men, **Luke 1:5-4:13**.
- III. The Ministry of the Son of Man to Men, **Luke 4:14-9:50**.
- IV. The Repudiation of the Son of Man by Men, **Luke 9:51-19:27**.
- V. The Condemnation of the Son of Man for Men, **Luke 19:28-23:56**.
- VI. The Vindication of the Son of Man before Men, **Luke 24:1-49**.
- VII. The Ascension of the Lord, **Luke 24:50-53**.

We continue our summary with:

Chapter 20, where we are taught about the Authority of Jesus Christ in four sections:

1. Authority Requested, **Luke 20:1-8**.
2. Authority Revealed, **Luke 20:9-18**.
3. Authority Resisted, **Luke 20:19-40**.
4. Authority Reiterated, **Luke 20:41-21:4**.

4. Authority Reiterated, Luke 20:41-21:4. Jesus explains His authority from a Psalm of David, **Psa 110:1**, showing both His Davidic line authority and Divine authority, in **vs. 41-44**. He then exercises His authority by teaching to the people to beware of the hypocrisy and false teaching of the Scribes, **vs. 45-47**.

Key verses include: **vs. 1, 3-4, 8, 13-18, 24-25, 33-38, 41-44. 46-47**.

In **Chapter 21**, still on the Monday / Tuesday prior to His crucifixion, as noted above, Jesus' authority is reiterated in the first four verses of this Chapter. Here, He points out the "widow's might" regarding offerings, where she offered to God all that she had compared to the surplus offered by the typical person, just as Jesus is offering His all to God the Father's plan for salvation, **vs. 1-4**.

After this, Jesus gave an apocalyptic discourse as He prophesied about the destruction of the Temple, **vs. 5-6**.

Then, when asked when that would happen, He tells them of signs that will indicate His Second Advent is near, **vs. 7-11**.

His response also included a warning of persecution of the saints, **vs. 12-19**.

He then prophesied the siege of Jerusalem that would occur in 70 A.D., **vs. 20-24**.

In **vs. 24**, He also speaks of the "times of the Gentiles," which alludes to the Church Age dispensation.

Then in **vs. 25-28**, He gave prophecies concerning His Second Advent again.

To emphasize these prophecies, He told the Parable of "the Fig Tree," **vs. 29-36**, and encourages believers to stand strong and not be distracted by the things of this life.

The Chapter closes by telling us Jesus would teach in the Temple during the day and all the people would get up early to hear Him teach, and at the end of the day He would retire to Mt. Olivet, **vs. 37-38**.

Key verses include: **vs. 3-4, 6, 10-11, 15, 20, 24, 25-27, 33**.

In **Chapter 22**, it begins with Judas agreeing to betray Jesus for a profit, with the Chief Priest and Scribes, **vs. 1-6**.

It then turns to Wednesday, when Jesus would celebrate the Passover Supper with the disciples, **vs. 7-38**.

Several things are recorded by Luke regarding the Passover:

1. Jesus gave a prophecy to Peter and John regarding the place they would celebrate the Passover, **vs. 8-13**.
2. Once more, Jesus predicted His suffering, and proclaims He will not eat the Passover again “until it is fulfilled and the Kingdom comes,” **vs. 15-18**.
3. He gave us the Communion Supper institution, **vs. 19-20**, cf. **1 Cor 11:23-26**.
4. He prophesied His betrayal was at hand, **vs. 21-23**.
5. The disciples argued as to who is the greatest among them and Jesus responds, **vs. 24-27**.
6. Jesus promised them blessings in the Kingdom, **vs. 28-30**.
7. He tells Peter that Satan wants to attack him and that he would fall, **vs. 31-32**.
8. Peter proclaimed his ongoing allegiance to Jesus, **vs. 33**, and Jesus prophesied his denial, **vs. 34**.
9. Jesus concluded by encouraging and warning them for when they go out on their own in missionary work, **vs. 35-38**.