- Now, because he knew before the festival of the Passover, that his hour had come for him to move out of this world to the Father, Jesus, having loved his own that were in the world, loved them to the end.
  - 1. Now Jesus recognized that during the Passover celebration he was to move out of the world, and return to his heavenly Father. So since he had always loved his disciples, he now loved them right to the end of his earthly life.

[Question] What did Jesus know in advance was going to happen to him at the Passover celebration?

[Question] How did he then treat his faithful disciples right to the end of his life on earth?

2. You know that two days from now the Passover occurs, and the Son of man is to be delivered up to be impaled. (Matthew 26:2)

[Question] What did Jesus tell his faithful disciples two days before it happened, that was about to happen to him?

- 3. But Jesus answered them, saying; The hour has come for the Son of man to be glorified. (John 12:23)
  - [Question] What hour did Jesus state was coming soon, and how did his death and resurrection glorify Yehowah God, and later himself?
- 4. Jesus spoke these things, and, raising his eyes to heaven, he said; Father, the hour has come. Glorify your son, that your son may glorify you. (John 17:1)
  - [Question] What did Jesus ask of Yehowah God hours before his sacrificial death, when before his disciples?
- 5' I came out from the Father, and have come into the world. Further, I am leaving the world, and am going my way to the Father. (John 16:28)
  - [Question] Where did Jesus show, that he had come forth from, and where would he return to after his death and resurrection?
- 6. Also, I am no longer in the world, but they are in the world, and I am coming to you. Holy Father, watch over them on account of your own name, which you have given me, in order, that they may be one, just as we are. (John 17:11)

[Question] Where did Jesus show, that he was in fact going back to, after his resurrection, and what did he ask of Yehowah God before leaving his faithful disciples?

7. Just as the Father has loved me, and I have loved you, remain in my love. (John 15:9)

[Question] How did Jesus show, that they should imitate the example that he had shown to them?

8' Because of the wicked who have despoiled me. The enemies against my soul, themselves keep closing in upon me. (Psalms 17:9)

[Question] How did the Psalmist show how the Messiah would be treated by men?

9. I am impaled along with Christ. It is no longer I that live, but it is Christ that is living in union with me. Indeed, the life that I now live in flesh, I live, by the faith that is toward the Son of God, who loved me, and handed himself over for me. (Galatians 2:20)

[Question] How did Paul view his past life after coming to know Jesus Christ?

[Question] How does he now try to live his present life?

10. And go on walking in love, just as the Christ also loved you and delivered himself up for you as an offering and a sacrifice to God for a sweet-smelling odor. (Ephesians 5:2)

[Question] How should anointed Christians now walk, and what should they be willing to do for one another, as Christ did for them?

11. By this we have come to know love, because that one surrendered his soul for us, and we are under obligation to surrender our souls for our brothers. (1 John 3:16)

[Question] How have anointed Christians come to know love, and so how can we emulate the love of the Christ?

12. Being glad at the productive land of his earth, and the things I was fond of were with the sons of men. (Proverbs 8:31)

[Question] What was the Christ the most fond of, among all of God's earthly creation, in his pre-human existence in heaven?

13. Now the Passover and the festival of unfermented cakes was two days later. And the chief priests and the scribes were seeking how to seize him by crafty device and kill him. (Mark 14:1)

[Question] What did the chief priests and scribes take counsel to do to Jesus two days before the Passover?

14. And he came the third time and said to them; At such a time as this, you are sleeping, and taking your rest! It is enough! The hour has come! Look! The Son of man is betrayed into the hands of sinners. (Mark 14:41)

[Question] How did Jesus feel, when he found his disciples sleeping, and less concerned than they needed to be?

15. Now the festival of the unfermented cakes, the so-called Passover, was getting near. (Luke 22:1)

[Question] What festival of the Jews was then getting near?