

# Jesus—#22 “The Death of John” (4-21-10)

Texts: Mark 6:17-28

*Desire of Ages*, p. 214-225

1. Why did John experience despondency and doubt? (214.2-215.2)

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2. Why did John *not* surrender his faith in Christ? (216.3)

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4. What was the evidence for Jesus’ divine mission? (217.1)

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6. In the estimate of heaven, what constitutes greatness? (219.2)

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7. Why did Jesus consider John much more than a prophet? (220.1)

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8. What did Jesus mean that “the least in the Kingdom of Heaven is greater” than John? (220.2-3)

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9. In Herod’s court why was *no* voice “raised to save the life of heaven’s messenger”? (221.5)

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10. Why is intemperance such a crime for those who have jurisdiction over the lives of their fellow men? (222.2)

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11. Why was Herod more troubled *after* John’s death? (223.1-3)

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12. What is your answer to the mystery of John’s fate? (223.4)

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13. Why did Jesus *not* deliver John? (224.2)

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14. Why were Satan’s plans to destroy John and bring sorrow to Christ such a failure? (224.3)

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15. Why did God *not* forsake John while in prison? (224.4)

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16. Though coworkers with God, if we could see the end from the beginning, what would we change about His guidance? (224.5)

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17. What is “the most weighty trust and the highest honor” Heaven can bestow upon the follower of Jesus? (224.5)

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