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Stubborn Rejection
Luke 22:66-71

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1. Affirm _____ (vv.66-67)

Luke 22:66 *When day came, the assembly of the elders of the people gathered together, both chief priests and scribes. And they led him away to their council, and they said, **67** "If you are the Christ, tell us." But he said to them, "If I tell you, you will not believe, **68** and if I ask you, you will not answer. **69** But from now on the Son of Man shall be seated at the right hand of the power of God." **70** So they all said, "Are you the Son of God, then?" And he said to them, "You say that I am." **71** Then they said, "What further testimony do we need? We have heard it ourselves from his own lips." (ESV)*

2. Honor _____ (vv.69-71)

3. Don't _____ (vv.67-68)

Application Questions

These questions are provided for your further study and application of today's sermon. Thoughtfully writing out the answers to these questions will help to drive home the point of today's study. It is also helpful when you are able to discuss your answers with others. For more information about small groups at Compass Bible Church that utilize these questions as the basis for their weekly discussion, please call the church office at (949) 540-0699 or email us at SmallGroups@CompassChurch.org.

1. Read **Numbers 23:19** and **Luke 24:27, 44-45**. What difference does it make that Jesus was the fulfillment of the Old Testament promises? How does God's faithfulness to his messianic promises encourage you?
2. Read **John 5:16-18** and **Hebrews 1:1-3**. What are some of the theological *and personal* reasons for people rejecting the deity of Christ?
3. Read **Revelation 5:11-14**. How should this depiction of heaven's worship of the God-man impact our view and response to Jesus Christ?
4. Read **Luke 11:29-32**. The crowds had seen many miracles and still stubbornly refused to believe Christ without more (cf. Jn. 12:37). What do we learn from this?

This Week's Compass 20/20 Discussion Question

- Read **Luke 16:26-31**. We are reminded that when life's opportunities are over for the lost they will naturally want to see their living loved ones saved by all possible means. How might this motivate us as we pursue Compass 20/20?

This Week's Bible Reading Schedule

October 14th
Is. 53-55 & 1Th. 2
October 15th
Is. 56-58 & 1Th. 3
October 16th
Is. 59-61 & 1Th. 4
October 17th
Is. 62-64 & 1Th. 5
October 18th
Is. 65-66 & 2Th. 1
October 19th
Jer. 1-2 & 2Th. 2
October 20th
Jer. 3-4 & 2Th. 3
October 21st
Jer. 5-6 & 1Tim. 1

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Msg. 18-01 – **King Jesus: Embracing His Unexpected Majesty**
Msg. 18-04 – **King Jesus: Submitting to His Sovereign Authority**
Msg. 15-27 – **Incredulity**
Msg. 14-10 – **Making Sure We Don't Miss the King**
Msg. 10-54 – **The Deity of Christ**
Msg. 10-05 – **Evangelistic Opposition: How to Respond to Objections**
Msg. 10-30 – **Modern Israel and Our Jewish Messiah**

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Here are some books which may assist you in a deeper study of the truths presented in today's sermon. While Pastor Mike cannot endorse every concept presented in each book, he does believe these resources will be helpful in profitably thinking through today's topic.

Brown, Charles. **The Divine Glory of Christ**. Banner of Truth, 1996.
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Rydellnik, Michael. **The Messianic Hope: Is the Old Testament Really Messianic?** B&H, 2010.
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