

Chapter 18 (18 - 23)

A young man from a prominent family asked Jesus "What must I do to inherit eternal life?" Jesus replied "You know the commandments: you must not commit adultery, you must not kill, you must not steal, you must honor your father and mother". The man answered "I have kept all these commandments all my life".

Jesus then said "There is still one higher goal: sell all you own, give the money to the poor, then come follow me".

But when the man heard this he was very sad, because he was very rich.

Jesus, please help me follow you
the way you want me to follow you

Chapter 18 (31 -34)

Once again Jesus explained to the 12 apostles what would happen to him:

"Now we are going to Jerusalem. Everything written about the Son of Man by the prophets will happen: he will be handed over to the pagans.

He will be mocked and spat on.

He will be scourged and put to death.

On the third day he will rise from the dead". But the apostles had no idea what his words meant.

Jesus, especially each Friday,
please help me to remember you on the Cross