

WHAT'S IN THE CUP?

Mark 14:35–36 (ESV)

35 And going a little farther, he fell on the ground and prayed that, if it were possible, the hour might pass from him. 36 And he said, “Abba, Father, all things are possible for you. Remove this cup from me. Yet not what I will, but what you will.”

Matthew 26:39,42 (ESV)

39“My Father, if it be possible, let this cup pass from me; nevertheless, not as I will, but as you will.” 42 Again, for the second time, he went away and prayed, “My Father, if this cannot pass unless I drink it, your will be done.”

Luke 22:42 (ESV)

“Father, if you are willing, remove this cup from me. Nevertheless, not my will, but yours, be done.”

Mark 14:32–33 (ESV)

32 And they went to a place called Gethsemane. And he said to his disciples, “Sit here while I pray.” 33 And he took with him Peter and James and John, and began to be greatly distressed and troubled.

Luke 22:43-44

43 And there appeared to him an angel from heaven, strengthening him. 44 And being in an agony he prayed more earnestly; and his sweat became like great drops of blood falling down to the ground.

The **cup** is the divine wrath of God.
And the **hour** is the moment in which this cup of wrath would be poured out upon our Lord.

John 12:27–28

John 17:1

John 18:11

WHO KILLED JESUS?

This cup comes directly from the Father.

Isaiah 53:4–6

“we esteemed him stricken, smitten by God, and afflicted.”

“the Lord has laid on him the iniquity of us all.”

2 Corinthians 5:21 (NIV)

God made him who had no sin to be sin for us, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.

What is the significance of the phrases, “if it be possible” and “If you are willing” ?

What Should be our Response?

2 Corinthians 5:15 (NIV)

And he died for all, that those who live should no longer live for themselves but for him who died for them and was raised again.

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