
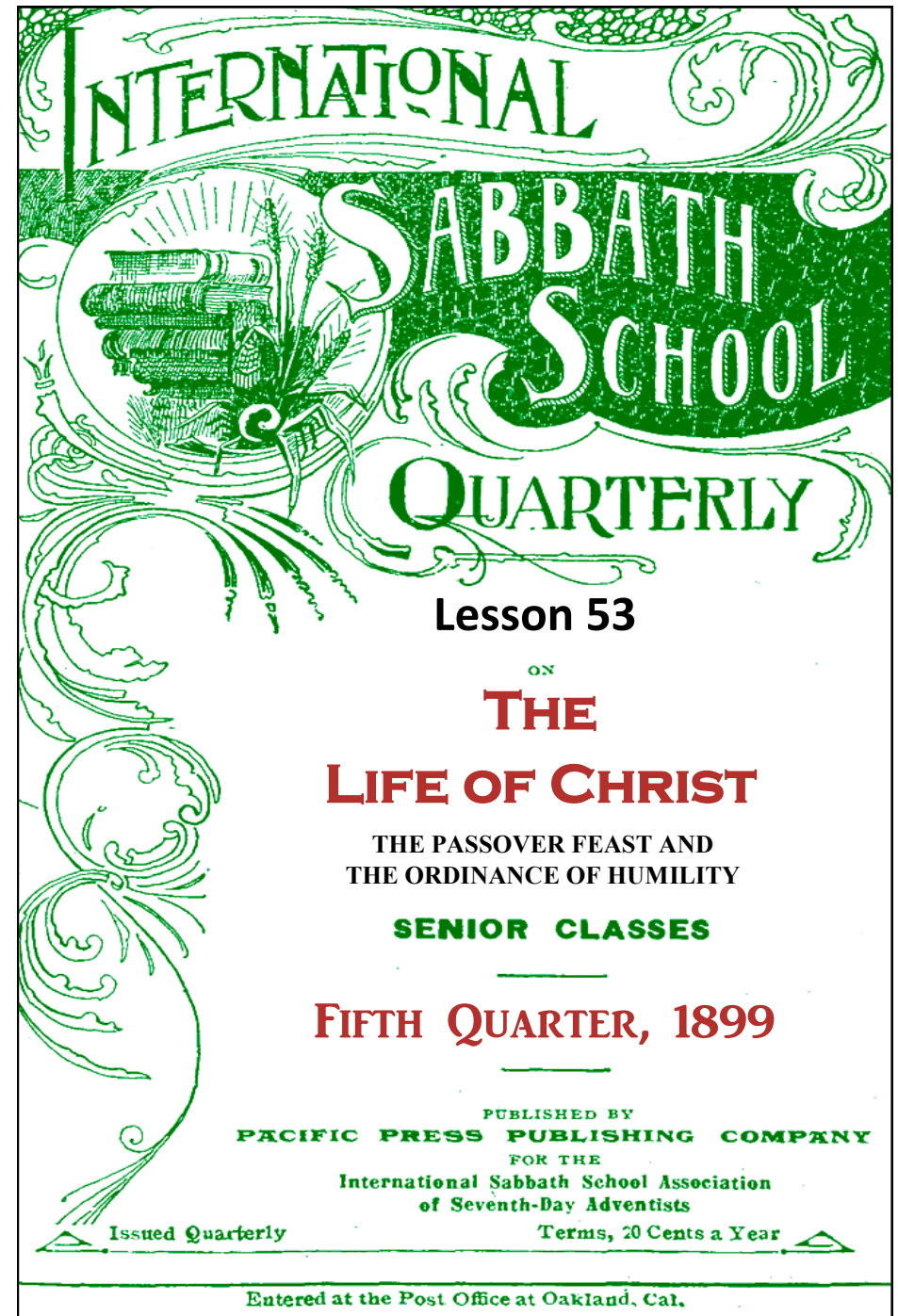


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## LESSON 53—THE PASSOVER FEAST, AND THE ORDINANCE OF HUMILITY

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**Matt. 26; 20 ; Mark 14: 17; Luke 22: 14;  
John 13: 1-20**

*Side Texts to be  
studied with  
questions*

1. PREPARATION for the Passover having been made by the two disciples as ordered, what did Jesus and the others do?  
Matt. 26:20.

Mark 14 :17;  
Luke 22 : 14 ;  
Ex. 12 : 3-10.

2. What took place among the disciples that showed their lack of humility? Luke 22 : 24. **See note 1.**

3. What reproof did the Saviour then administer to those contending ones? Verses 25-27.

1Peter 5:3;  
Rev. 2:26

4. At this what did Jesus do to teach all a lesson in humility? John 13 : 4, 5. **See note 2.**

Luke 22: 27;  
Phil. 2 :7, R. V.

5. Who broke the solemn, silence that seems to have reigned for a time after Jesus began to wash His disciples' feet? With what words? Verse 6.

2 Sam. 6:9;  
Matt. 3:14

6. What reply did Jesus make to this question? Verse 7.

7. How did Peter answer? With what statement did Jesus meet it? Verse 8.

Titus 3: 5.

8. At this, with what words did Peter manifest his anxiety? Verse 9.

9. How did the Saviour relieve Peter's anxiety? Verse 10.

John 15:3.

10. What sorrowful declaration did Jesus add to His personal statement to Peter? Why? Verses 10,11.

11. After washing His disciples' feet what did Jesus say was the meaning of what He had done? Verses 12-17.

Rom. 12:10  
1 Peter 5 :5;  
Phil. 2: 3.

12. How did the Saviour explain His statement, "Ye are not all clean "? Verse 18.

Ps. 41 :9.

13. Why was this precaution taken? Verse 19.

John 14:29;  
16:4

14. What test did Jesus then give of true discipleship? Verse 20.

2 Chron. 20: 20.

### READING

"Desire of Ages," chapter 71 ;  
"Spirit of Prophecy," vol. 3, chapter 6.

### NOTES

1. In eating the Passover the participants seated themselves at a table, and the question of place or position would naturally arise, and if several had a desire for the place of honour, or first place, and expressed it, strife would surely result. This explains how the strife arose which is mentioned in **Luke 22: 24**, and this was followed by the instruction recorded in **verses 25-30**, and the example of humility and the teaching of Christ found in **John 13:1-20**. This precious instruction, accompanied by the Saviour's example in washing His disciples' feet, was designed to give them a correct view of true greatness, and prepare them for the service which was to follow.
2. It may be noted that the basin, the water, and the towel were all at hand as necessary parts of the Passover accompaniments. The two disciples sent ahead to make arrangements for the celebration of that feast, without specific instruction, provided the bread, the wine, the water, the towels, and all the vessels used on that occasion.