
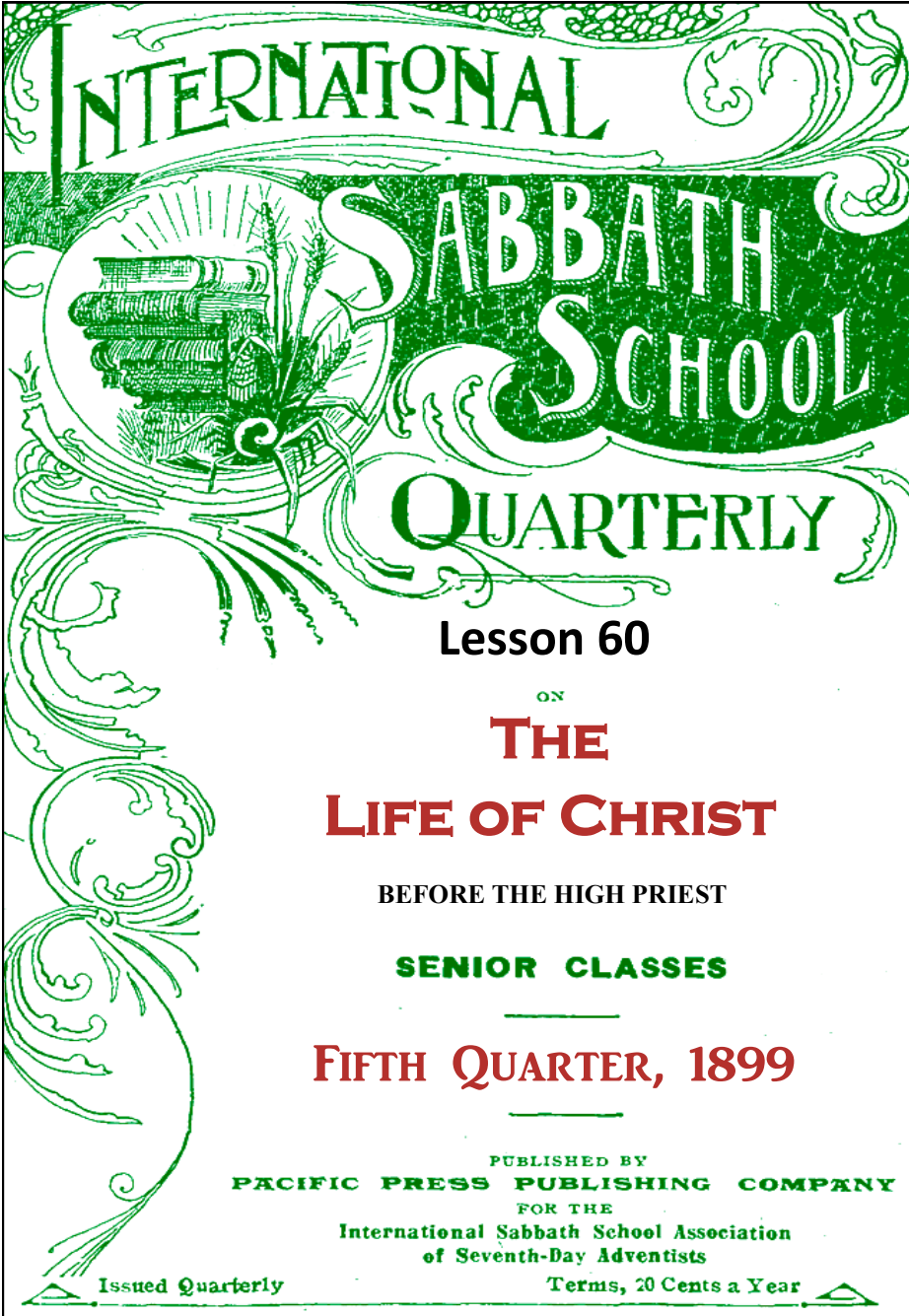


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Before the High Priest

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(Matt. 26 :57-65; Mark 14 : 53-64;
Luke 22:54, 55 and John 18:13-21.)

*Side Texts to be
studied with
questions*

1. WHO came together at the house of the high priest at the time of Jesus' arrest ? Mark 14 53. **See note 1.**
2. Who of the disciples followed Him there ? John 18 : 15.
3. How did Peter secure entrance to the house where the examination of Jesus was taking place? Verse 16.
4. As Peter was entering the house, who spoke to him? What was his reply? Verse 17.
5. Under what circumstances did Peter again, deny his Lord? Verse 18.
6. What was Peter's object in thus associating with the servants of the place ? Matt. 26 : 58. **See note 2.**
7. On what lines did the examination of Christ begin?
John 18 : 19.
8. What answer did Jesus make to the high priest's question?
Verses 20, 21.
9. At these words, what treatment was dealt to Jesus ? Verse 22.
10. How did Jesus receive such treatment? Verse 23.

Luke 4:15

Act 23:2,3

John 2:18:21

11. What was then done to prove evil against Christ?
Mark 14: 55-58. **See note 3:**
12. Did the Jewish officials find in these witnesses the evidence they desired? ' If not, why not? Verse 59.
13. To what, therefore, did the high priest resort for evidence ?
Verse 60.
14. Upon Jesus not deigning to reply, what did the priest then say?
Matt. 26: 63.
15. Did Jesus answer this legal demand? V. 64.
16. What were these words called? Vs. 65, 66.

Matt. 26:60:61

Matt 26:62

Mark 14:62

READING

"Desire of Ages," chapter 75;
 "Spirit of Prophecy," vol. 3, chapters 8 and 9.

NOTES

1. The fact that all the notables of the Jewish church were assembled at the house of the high priest awaiting the arrival of the prisoner, shows that the plan of His capture and trial was well understood, and carried out to the letter.
2. Peter evidently played a false part. In mingling with the servants, he sought to hide his identity. In this effort he placed himself on Satan's ground, and subjected himself to unnecessary temptation. Had he remained with John, and not tried to appear a disinterested spectator of the all-absorbing affair, those present would have known his relations to Christ without a question. But when the questions were asked him in a way to show contempt for his Master, Peter was not fortified. From this instance we can learn that it is better to let our true colours be displayed from the first.
3. This is but an example of how wicked men can pervert the words of another in order to prove a case. How careful we should be, therefore, in stating the words of another !