

Following Peter
To the Garden
Mark 14:32-42

Question: How often are we blind (clueless) to the kingdom implications of the world around us? To the extent we are blind, then what must we do?

*For at the window of my house
I have looked out through my lattice,
and I have seen among the simple,
I have perceived among the youths,
a young man lacking sense,
passing along the street near her house
taking the road to her house
in the twilight, in the evening,
at the time of night and darkness (Pr. 7:6-9)*

*All at once he follows her,
as an ox goes off to the slaughter...
he does not know that it will cost him his life. (Pr. 7:22a,23c)*

Point to Ponder: Do we ever consider the kingdom implications of our finances, or do our expenditures look much the same as a pagan? Have we ever found ourselves completely unaware of temptation that lies right in front of us? Do we ever think back on a conversation and realize that we missed an opportunity to point to our Savior? Jesus provides us with good instruction related to those questions: **watch and pray.**

Next Week: This Thursday evening join us at our Maundy Thursday evening time of worship at 7:30pm. It will include the Lord's Supper and a consideration of **Luke 22:54-62** *Following Peter to the Courtyard of Caiaphas*. Next Sunday we will continue our sermon series entitled *Following Peter* by considering **John 22:54-62** *To the Empty Tomb*.

