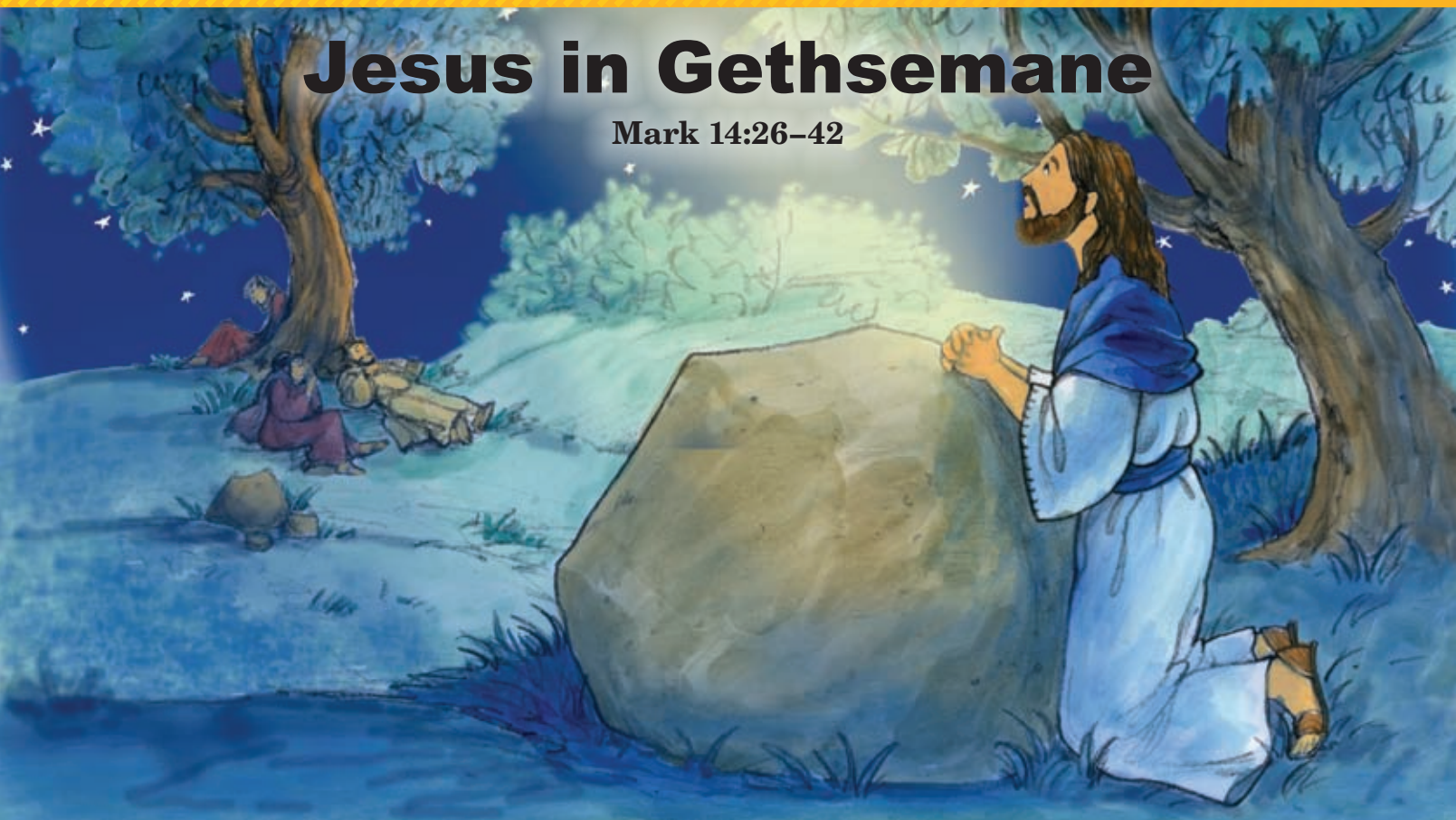


Jesus in Gethsemane

Mark 14:26–42



After supper, Jesus and His disciples went to the Mount of Olives. Jesus told them, “You are all going to run away when My enemies come.”

Peter was surprised. He said, “Even if everyone else runs away, I will never leave You!”

Jesus answered, “This very night, before the rooster crows twice, you will say three times that you don’t know Me.”

Peter declared, “Even if I have to die with You, I will never deny knowing You!” The other disciples said the same thing.

They went to a garden called Gethsemane. Jesus told most of His disciples, “Stay here while I pray.”

He took Peter, James, and John with Him farther into the garden. Jesus told them, “I feel very sad.” He knew His friends would leave Him. He asked them, “Stay here and keep watch with Me.”

Jesus walked a little bit away from

them. He prayed, “Father, if there is a way for Me to save all people from their sins without having to suffer and die, please take away My pain! But do what You want, not what I want. **Thy will be done.**”

Jesus came back and found the disciples asleep. He said to them, “Can’t you stay awake for even one hour? Watch and pray so you don’t fall into sin.”

Jesus went and prayed the same prayer. “Father,” He said, “**Thy will be done.**”

Jesus came back and found the disciples asleep again!

Jesus went and prayed a third time, “**Thy will be done.**”

When He returned, Jesus said to His disciples, “Wake up! You’ve slept long enough. Look! My enemies are coming now!”

Wake Up! Look Out for the Devil!

Directions: The disciples fell asleep in the Garden of Gethsemane. We sometimes become lazy and forget to be aware of how the devil is tempting us to do what we want, not what God wants. Fill in the correct square after each example.

	My Will	Thy Will
1. Taking medicine so I feel better	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Not taking medicine	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Not doing my homework	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Doing my homework so I learn more	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Not picking up my room	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Picking up my room	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Playing a video game	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Getting ready to go to church	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Taking time to pray for my friends and family	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. Going to bed right away without prayers	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Bible Words to Remember

Continue steadfastly in prayer, being watchful in it with thanksgiving. Colossians 4:2

