

OLIVET DISCOURSE

of JESUS



MAIN ISSUE

If Jesus is the MESSIAH,
what happened to the
KINGDOM?

MATTHEW

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Plot

Public
Popularity

21-22

Reject

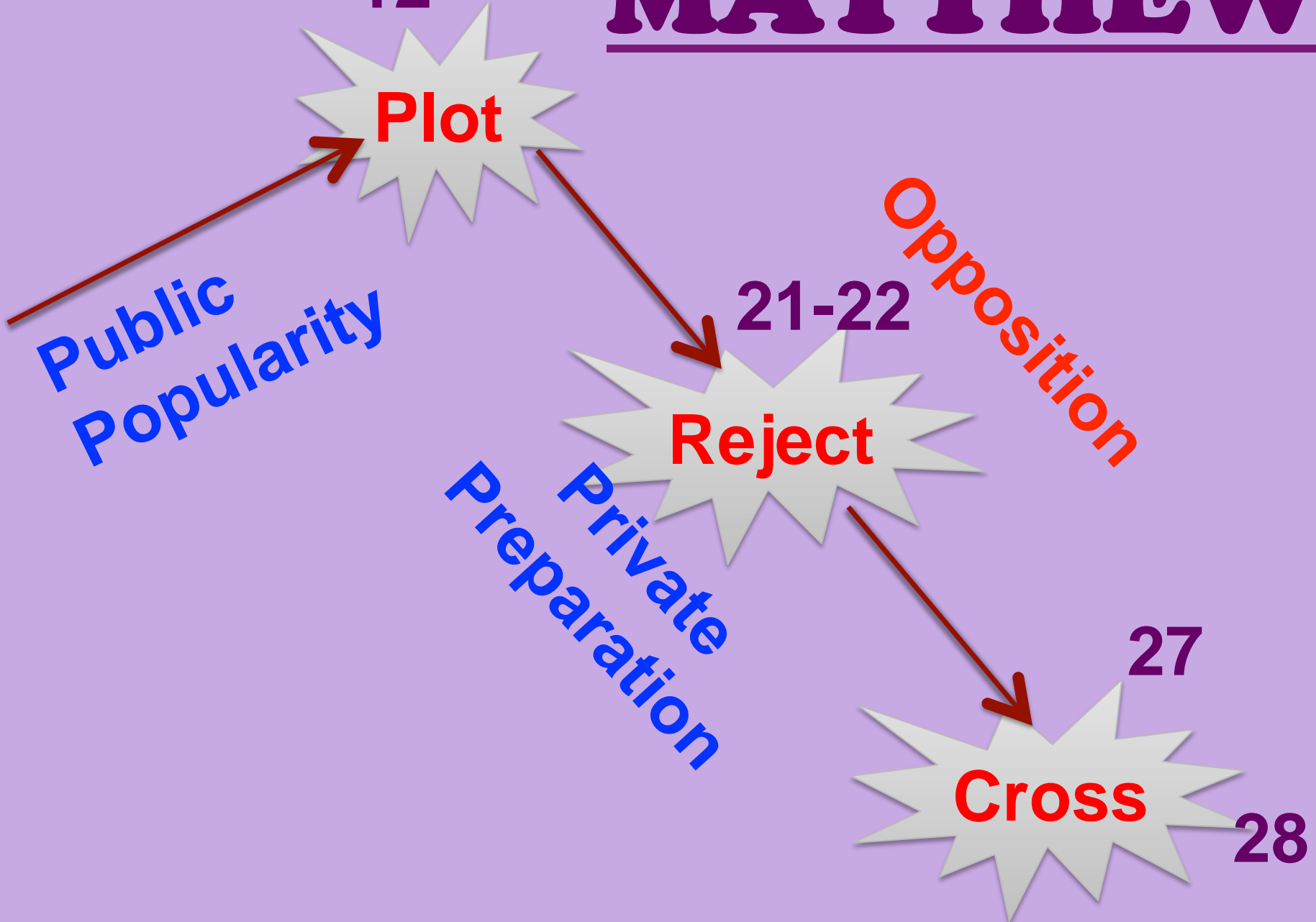
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Private
Preparation

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Cross

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I. Setting to OD

A. Rejection by the Nation

21-22



➤ **Location - Temple**

➤ **Occasion - Passover**

21:23, 46,

22:15, 23, 34-35, 46

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B. Rejection of the Nation

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OD OUTLINE

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- A. Rejection by Nation** **21-22**
- B. Rejection of Nation** **23**
 - 1. Inconsistency of Leaders** **23:1-12**

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- The image shows the ruins of the Chorazin synagogue, a well-preserved ancient stone structure. The foreground is filled with large, weathered stone columns and fragments of architectural elements, including a prominent column capital in the lower center. The ground is covered in gravel. In the background, there are more ruins and a clear blue sky. A small blue sign with Hebrew text is visible on the right side of the ruins.
- Audience - Multitudes, Pharisees, Disciples
 - Law - still in force
 - Main Sin - hypocrisy

Chorazin
synagogue



Seat of Moses

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Tombs

Kidron Valley from of Mount of Olives



Golden Gate

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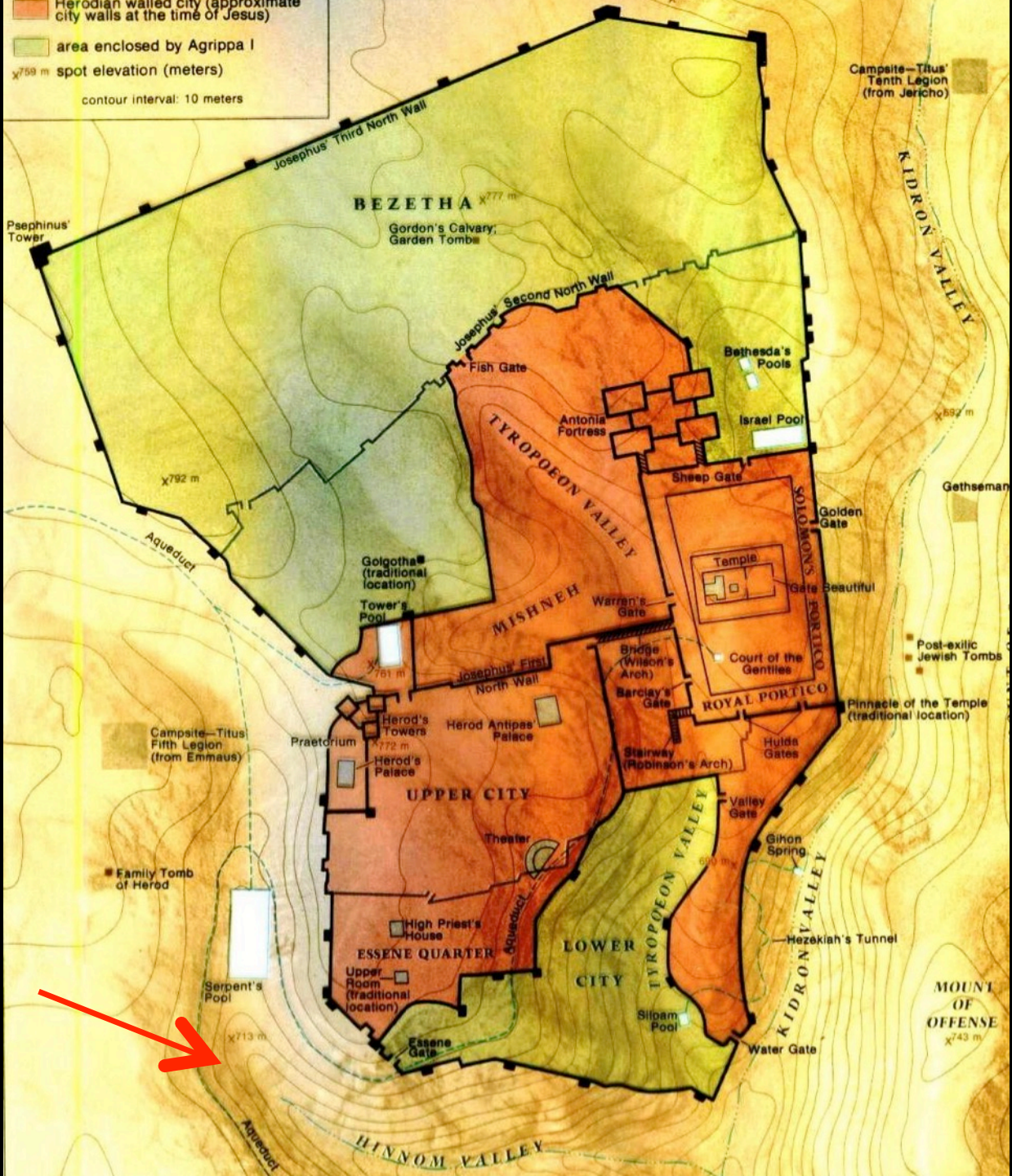
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JUDGMENT

- ✓ **Hypocrisy (7x)**
- ✓ **Sons of hell**
- ✓ **Blind guides**
- ✓ **Fools**
- ✓ **White washed tombs**
- ✓ **Serpents & vipers**

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Herodian walled city (approximate city walls at the time of Jesus)
area enclosed by Agrippa I
spot elevation (meters)
contour interval: 10 meters





Hinnom Valley from Mt Zion

AFTER LIFE

Heaven (ουρανος)

God's Abode

Believer's Home

Angel's Dwelling

Hades/Sheol (αδης)

Place of Dead

Abyss (αβυσσος)

Demon's Prison

Gehenna (γεεννα)

Symbol for Hell

Lake of Fire

Hell

(λυμνη του πυρος)

Satan/Demon's Destiny

Unbeliever's Destiny

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**23:36 “Truly I say to you, all
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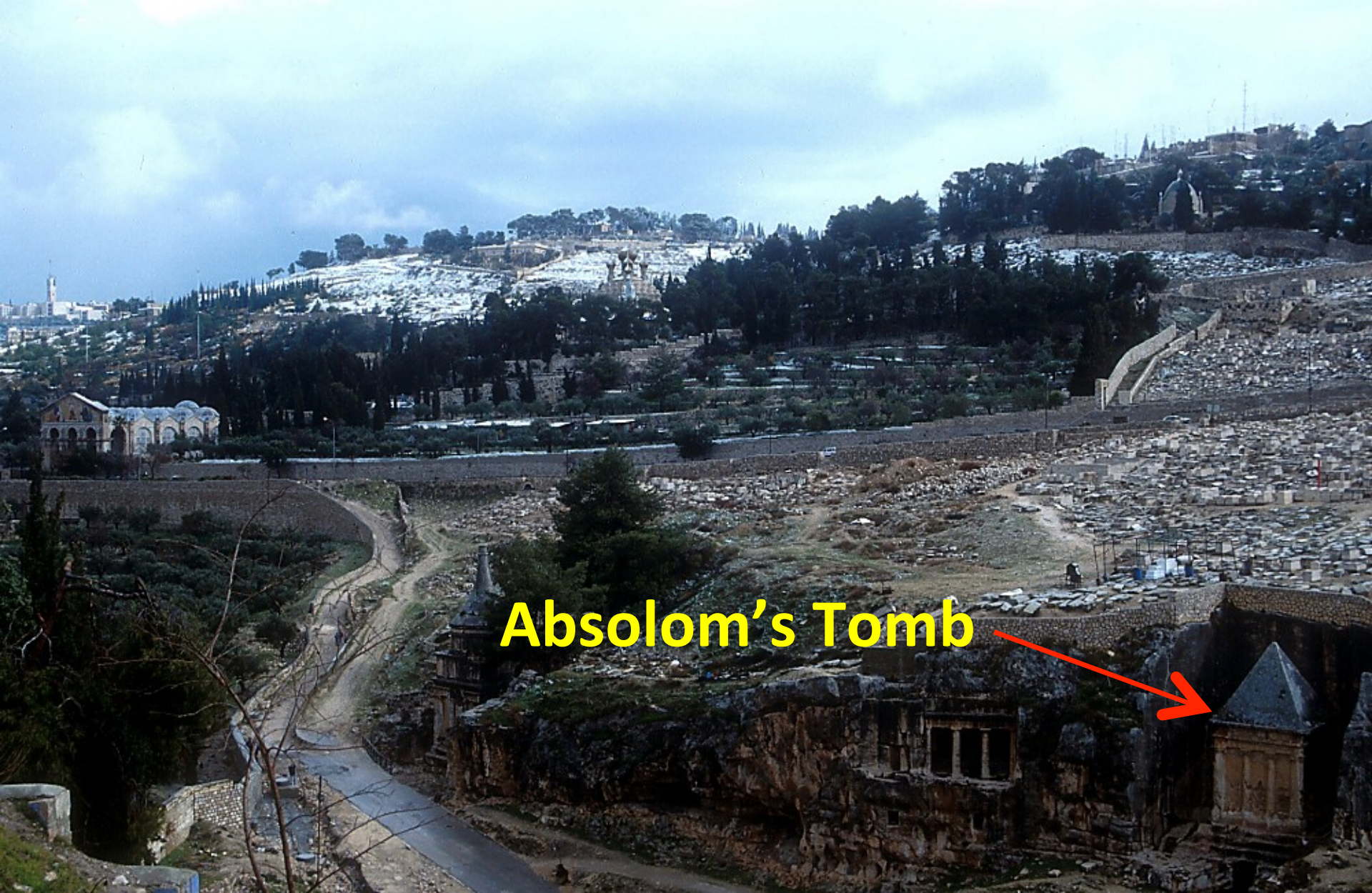
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**Russian Orthodox
Church of
Mary Magdalene**

**Tomb of
Haggai &
Zechariah**



Absalom's Tomb

Kidron Valley and Mount of Olives

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