

Study Notes for John 11 (Part 2) :45-57

- What is the primary theme of these verses?
- What do you feel the Lord most wants us to recognize as you read this passage?
- What does the negative reaction of the Jewish Religious Leaders tell you about the moral condition of their hearts?
- What fear did the Religious Leaders express if the people were to all believe in Jesus?
- What do you think Caiaphas meant in **11:50**?
- What deeper meaning does John discern in Caiaphas's words (11:51–52)?
- Why did Jesus take His disciples to a place near the wilderness and away from Jerusalem?
- The Jewish Religious Leaders were obviously being moved unwittingly by the deceptions of Satan in their desire to have Jesus arrested and killed. What do you think Satan's motive was?
- How is it even possible to understand the kind of evil that it takes to want to kill one's own Creator?
- In the teaching of this passage we looked at several passages both from the Old Testament and the New about the issue of evil. Was there any passage that you personally felt was the most impactful?
- Romans 12:19-21 exhorts us not to be overcome by evil but to overcome evil with good. What are some ways we can become overcome by evil?
 - How do we overcome evil with good?
- What do you feel was the most important take-away from this study?