

Who is Mary?

1. _____

"... sat at the Lord's feet."

To be "at the feet" of someone means to be "humbly under authority".

³⁶ Thus Joseph, who was also called by the apostles Barnabas (which means son of encouragement), a Levite, a native of Cyprus, ³⁷ sold a field that belonged to him and brought the money and laid it **at the apostles' feet.** Acts 4:36-37

¹⁰ The LORD says to my Lord: "Sit at my right hand, until I **make your enemies our footstool.**" Psalm 110:1

2. _____

"... Mary has chosen ..."

3. _____

"... Mary has chosen **the good portion**"

²⁶ My flesh and my heart may fail, but God is the strength of my heart and my portion forever. Psalm 73:26

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Jesus Eats ... with Mary and Martha

³⁸ Now as they went on their way, Jesus entered a village. And a woman named Martha welcomed him into her house. ³⁹ And she had a sister called Mary, who sat at the Lord's feet and listened to his teaching. ⁴⁰ But Martha was distracted with much serving. And she went up to him and said, "Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me to serve alone? Tell her then to help me." ⁴¹ But the Lord answered her, "Martha, Martha, you are anxious and troubled about many things, ⁴² but one thing is necessary. Mary has chosen the good portion, which will not be taken away from her." Luke 10:38-42

Who is Martha?

The use of repetition in scripture is used for emphasis.

⁴ The king covered his face, and the king cried with a loud voice, "O my son **Absalom,** O **Absalom,** my son, my son!" 2 Samuel 19:4

Jesus never uses repetition unless accompanied with grief.

³⁴ O **Jerusalem, Jerusalem,** the city that kills the prophets and stones those who are sent to it! How often would I have gathered your children together as a hen gathers her brood under her wings, and you were not willing! Luke 13:34

⁴⁶ And about the ninth hour Jesus cried out with a loud voice, saying, "Eli, Eli, lema sabachthani?" that is, "**My God, my God,** why have you forsaken me?" Matthew 27:46

Signs of Martha-ness

1. _____

"Anxious and troubled"

2. _____

"Tell her to help me!"

3. _____

"Lord, don't you care?"

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