Title: "Jesus, The Model Sufferer"

John 18: 15-18 ESV

Sermon Notes
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"Simon Peter followed Jesus, and so did another disciple. Since that disciple was known to the high priest, he entered with Jesus into the courtyard of the high priest, but Peter stood outside at the door. So, the other disciple, who was known to the high priest, went out and spoke to the servant girl who kept watch at the door, and brought Peter in. The servant girl at the door said to Peter, "You also are not one of this man's disciples, are you?" He said, "I am not." Now the servants and officers had made a charcoal fire, because it was cold, and they were standing and warming themselves. Peter also was with them, standing and warming himself." ~ John 18:15- 18 ESV

How, Pastor, have I suffered in a way similar to the Lord's suffering?

You have known people, who once you thought of as your friends, now stay at a distance and have walked out of your life. They are now estranged, and distant and you are wondering why?

What drives a wedge between people? This current crisis might lead to further distancing of relationships that we value and need.

Our Lord went through that, and He still does. Jesus was and is, "The Model Sufferer," and His life points the way forward for each of us to a clearer path when facing relational disappointment.

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Some Stay Close

Some Stay At A Distance

Some Will Return

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