Message Two

The Release of the Glory of Christ's Divinity

- I. Through the breaking of the shell of His humanity by His death—John 12:24:
 - A. He was the unique grain that contained His divine life with His divine glory.
 - B. When the shell of His humanity was broken through His crucifixion, which was the baptism He went through (Luke 12:50), all the elements of His divinity—His divine life and His divine glory—were released.
 - C. In this sense, His death is considered as the life-releasing death with His glory released simultaneously.
- II. The release of the glory of Christ's divinity is His being glorified by the Father with the divine glory (John 12:22-24) in His resurrection through His death (Luke 24:26).
- III. Christ in His human living prayed that His Father would glorify Him (John 17:1), and the Father answered His prayer (Acts 3:13).
- IV. Such a glorification is a transfer, transferring Christ from the stage of His incarnation into the stage of His inclusion, in which He, as the last Adam, became the life-giving Spirit in resurrection.

Note: Christ's being glorified was a drastic change not only in His condition and situation, but a change in His nature, element, and essence.