

 **Before We Begin...check the original map...**



 **Let's get in gear...**



Those who were most learned in the Old Testament seemed unable to see in Jesus its fulfillment... Does this help explain some of our questions about why the Jewish leadership was so set against Jesus? How do these two words, "pride" and "arrogance" fit here?

 **Exploration...**

1. Why do Jesus' brothers want him to go to Judea? (vv. 2-5) Why does he refuse? (vv. 6-9)

2. How does Jesus expect He will be received by the "world"? (vv. 6-8) Why?

3. What is the basic qualification for correctly evaluating Jesus' teaching? (v. 17) Who meets this requirement? (see 1 Cor. 2:14)

4. What error(s) were the Jews making when they condemned healing on the Sabbath? (v. 24; see also Matt. 22:34-40)

5. What answers do the people give to the question: "Who is Jesus"?

v.12

v.40

v.20

v.41

v.28

6. What (mistaken) reasons do people give for concluding that Jesus is not the Christ (Messiah)?

v.27

v.41-42

v.48

v.52

7. In what sense does the crowd know Jesus? In what sense do they not know him? (vv. 27-28, 42, 52)

8. Why are the people and the chief priests and Pharisees unsuccessful when they try to seize Jesus? (vv. 30, 32, 44-46)

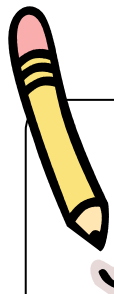
## **Discovery and Revelation - Your thoughts...**

1. What reasons do people give today for rejecting Jesus? What about you?
2. Have you ever been unable to do what was expected of you because of the words of Christ, as the guards were?
3. What does this scripture passage tell us about Jesus? About his opponents?

1.

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3.



Doodle Space...