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Mark 14: 43-46

Immediately, while he was still speaking, Judas, one of the twelve, arrived; and with him there was a crowd with swords and clubs, from the chief priests, the scribes, and the elders. Now the betrayer had given them a sign, saying, "The one I will kiss is the man; arrest him and lead him away under guard." So when he came, he went up to him at once and said, "Rabbi!" and kissed him. Then they laid hands on him and arrested him.

REFLECT

“In the veil of night, Judas attempts to obscure the intentions of his heart with the intimate and beautiful act of a kiss. This kiss images the affection that once bound Jesus and Judas together. But this kiss also unties trust and shatters relationship-it ushers in violence and murders love. Although Judas thinks his intentions are safely hidden, he wears the violence of his action like a shining crown.”

- *Artist Lauren Wright Pittman*

PRAY

May the actions of my hands and the intentions of my heart be in harmony with your own.

Amen.

