

Scripture	Chronologically	Location	Where	Occasion	Who did the anointing	Method	Anointed Head or Feet	Anointed with	Disciple Comment	Jesus' Comment
Luke 7:36-50	John the Baptist was still alive, so this event apparently occurred at least two years before the Crucifixion. John's death is recorded in Matthew 14:10, Mark 6:27, Luke 9:9 sometime during the first of the presumed three-year ministry of Jesus.	Somewhere in Galilee, probably Capernaum, Nain, or Cana	Luke 7:36, 40 And He went to the Pharisee's house..40 And Jesus answered and said to him, Simon...	Luke 7:36 Then one of the Pharisees asked Him to eat with him...	Luke 7:37 And behold, a woman in the city who was a sinner, when she knew that Jesus sat at the table in the Pharisee's house, brought an alabaster flask of fragrant oil	Luke 7:38 and stood at His feet behind Him weeping; and she began to wash His feet with her tears, and wiped them with the hair of her head; and she kissed His feet and anointed them with the fragrant oil. (no mention is made of anointing his head).	Luke 7:37 ...and she kissed His feet and anointed them with the fragrant oil.	Luke 7: 37 ...brought an alabaster flask of fragrant oil,	Luke 7:39 Now when the Pharisee who had invited Him saw this, he spoke to himself, saying, "This Man, if He were a prophet, would know who and what manner of woman this is who is touching Him, for she is a sinner." (None of the disciples objected at the cost of the ointment at this anointing)	Luke 7:44-48 44. Then He turned to the woman and said to Simon, "Do you see this woman? I entered your house; you gave Me no water for My feet, but she has washed My feet with her tears and wiped them with the hair of her head. 45. "You gave Me no kiss, but this woman has not ceased to kiss My feet since the time I came in. 46. "You did not anoint My head with oil, but this woman has anointed My feet with fragrant oil. 47. "Therefore I say to you, her sins, which are many, are forgiven, for she loved much. But to whom little is forgiven, the same loves little." 48. Then He said to her, "Your sins are forgiven."
John 12:1-8	John 12:1 Then Jesus six days before the passover...	John 12:1 ...Bethany...	This event apparently occurred in the house of Lazarus, Mary, and Martha	John 12:2 There they made him a supper; and Martha served: but Lazarus was one of them that sat at the table with him (Supper with Lazarus, Mary, and Martha and Jesus' disciples)	John 12:3 Then took Mary a pound of ointment of spikenard, very costly...	John 12:3 ...and anointed the feet of Jesus, and wiped his feet with her hair: and the house was filled with the odour of the ointment. (but there is no mention of her crying, either before or during the time she is anointing Jesus' feet with the spikenard oil.)	John 12:3 and anointed the feet of Jesus, and wiped his feet with her hair	John 12:3 Then took Mary a pound of ointment of spikenard	John 12:4-5 Then saith one of his disciples, Judas Iscariot, Simon's son, which should betray him, Why was not this ointment sold for three hundred pence, and given to the poor?	John 12:7-8 Then said Jesus, Let her alone: against the day of my burying hath she kept this. For the poor always ye have with you; but me ye have not always.
Matthew 26:6-13	Matthew 26:2 "You know that after two days is the Passover...	Matthew 26:6 And when Jesus was in Bethany...	Matthew 26:6 ...at the house of Simon the leper,		Matthew 26:7 a woman came to Him...	Matthew 26:7 ...she poured it on His head as He sat at the table.	Matthew 26:7 ...she poured it on His head...	Matthew 26:7 ...an alabaster flask of very costly fragrant oil	Matthew 26:8-9 8. But when His disciples saw it, they were indignant, saying, "Why this waste? 9. "For this fragrant oil might have been sold for much and given to the poor."	Matthew 26:10-13 10. But when Jesus was aware of it, He said to them, "Why do you trouble the woman? For she has done a good work for Me. 11. "For you have the poor with you always, but Me you do not have always. 12. "For in pouring this fragrant oil on My body, she did it for My burial. 13. "Assuredly, I say to you, wherever this gospel is preached in the whole world, what this woman has done will also be told as a memorial to her."
Mark 14:3-9	Mark 14:1 After two days it was the Passover and the Feast of Unleavened Bread...	Mark 14:3 And being in Bethany	Mark 14:3 ...at the house of Simon the leper		Mark 14:3 ...a woman came...	Mark 14:3 ...Then she broke the flask and poured it on His head.	Mark 14:3 ... a woman came... (No name given)	Mark 14:3 ... having an alabaster flask of very costly oil of spikenard.	Mark 14:4-5 4. But there were some who were indignant among themselves, and said, "Why was this fragrant oil wasted? 5. "For it might have been sold for more than three hundred denarii and given to the poor." And they criticized her sharply.	Mark 14:6-9 6. But Jesus said, "Let her alone. Why do you trouble her? She has done a good work for Me. 7. "For you have the poor with you always, and whenever you wish you may do them good; but Me you do not have always. 8. "She has done what she could. She has come beforehand to anoint My body for burial. 9. "Assuredly, I say to you, wherever this gospel is preached in the whole world, what this woman has done will also be told as a memorial to her."