

MESSAGE NOTES

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*The Fragrance of Brokenness*

(Psalm 51:16-17; John 12:1-8)

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**I. The fragrance of brokenness \_\_\_\_\_.**

*Then Mary took about a pint of pure nard, an expensive perfume; she poured it in Jesus' feet and wiped his feet with her hair. And the house was filled with the fragrance of the perfume. John 12:3 (NIV)*

**II. The fragrance of brokenness \_\_\_\_\_.**

*Then Mary took about a pint of pure nard, an expensive perfume . . .  
John 12:3 (NIV)*

*"Leave her alone," Jesus replied. "It was intended that she should save this perfume for the day of my burial." John 12:7 (NIV)*

**III. The fragrance of brokenness \_\_\_\_\_.**

*But one of his disciples, Judas Iscariot, who was later to betray him, objected. "Why wasn't this perfume sold and the money given to the poor? It was worth a year's wages?" John 12:4 (NIV)*

**IV. The fragrance of brokenness \_\_\_\_\_.**

*While Jesus was in Bethany . . . a woman came to him with an alabaster jar of very expensive perfume, which she poured on Jesus' head. John 12:4 (NIV)*