

“The Jesus You’re Looking For”

Matthew 21:1-11; Mark 11:1-10; Luke 19:28-44; John 12:12-22

Those who came looking for Jesus included...

The expectation of the crowd...what they were looking for:

1. A _____ Worker – Luke 19:37
2. A _____ of God – Matthew 21:10-11
3. A _____ from David’s line – Mark 11:10/ John 12:23
4. The _____ – Luke 19:38

The experiences they missed...what they didn’t expect:

1. C _____
2. Confirmation _____
3. C _____

THE POINT: _____ looking for Jesus.

RESPONSE (Being “doers” of the Word – James 1:22):

Don’t miss Jesus in the crowd of _____

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Experience His Compassion, His Confirmation, His Cleansing

From 10:30-11:30 a.m. there are Adult Bible Classes and Sunday School Classes for children. II Peter 3:18 – “grow in grace & knowledge of our Lord & Savior”

Scripture text: **John 12:12-22** (New International Version)

¹² The next day the great crowd that had come for the festival heard that Jesus was on his way to Jerusalem. ¹³ They took palm branches and went out to meet him, shouting,

“Hosanna!”

“Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!”

“Blessed is the king of Israel!”

¹⁴ Jesus found a young donkey and sat on it, as it is written:

¹⁵ “Do not be afraid, Daughter Zion;
see, your king is coming,
seated on a donkey’s colt.”

¹⁶ At first his disciples did not understand all this. Only after Jesus was glorified did they realize that these things had been written about him and that these things had been done to him.

¹⁷ Now the crowd that was with him when he called Lazarus from the tomb and raised him from the dead continued to spread the word. ¹⁸ Many people, because they had heard that he had performed this sign, went out to meet him. ¹⁹ So the Pharisees said to one another, “See, this is getting us nowhere. Look how the whole world has gone after him!”

²⁰ Now there were some Greeks among those who went up to worship at the festival. ²¹ They came to Philip, who was from Bethsaida in Galilee, with a request. “Sir,” they said, “we would like to see Jesus.” ²² Philip went to tell Andrew; Andrew and Philip in turn told Jesus.

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***From TRUTH through TRACTION to TRANSFORMATION:***

What did God say to you today?

What will you do about it?

Palm Sunday  
First Free Moline April 2, 2023

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With whom will you share this...and when?