
GROUP DISCUSSION

Philosopher Jesus: Acceptance
Luke 19:28-44 | March 30 & April 2, 2023

Prayer Requests:

Group Discussion: Do you like to watch Parades? Which is your favorite?

Read out loud: Luke 19:28-44

Jesus is the humble King. Jesus' road in on a donkey to fulfill the prophecy from Zachariah 9:9 and as a display of humility. Why is the humility of Jesus important? Read Matt. 20:28. How is Jesus different from other Kings? What role does service play in your life?

Jesus is the conquering King. The crowd expected Jesus to conquer Rome but instead he conquered death. Have you had unmet expectations of Jesus? How do you reconcile this? Do we worship Jesus for what he has already done or for what he is going to do? Do you think about Jesus return as the Lord of Lords and King of Kings? Why does he delay in his return?

Jesus the worthy King. Jesus' spoke and said even the rocks will cry out. Why does Luke include this statement? Jesus up to this point has told people to keep his identity a secret and now He is affirming the claims of his Kingship. Why did Jesus wait until this moment to enter as a King, and affirm the worship of Him as a King? Read John 4:23. What does it mean to worship in spirit and in truth?

Jesus weeps over the spiritually blind. Who are we weeping over? When is the last time you were moved with compassion? Do you see emotions as weakness? Why or why not?

Family Time: Imagine for a moment with your family that Jesus was coming to downtown Visalia. The whole city would be throwing a parade for Him. How would you show your appreciation and adoration? Now think for a moment how we can show our appreciation and adoration for Jesus right now.