

What Palms Are You Laying?
John 12:12-19

Palms of Praise for Freedom – John 12:12-19 –

12 On the next day **much people** that were come to the feast, **when they heard that Jesus was coming to Jerusalem**, **13** Took branches of palm trees, and went forth to meet him, and cried, **Hosanna**: Blessed *is* the King of Israel that cometh in the name of the Lord. **14** And Jesus, when he had found a young ass, **sat thereon**; as it is written, **15** Fear not, daughter of Sion: behold, thy King cometh, sitting on an ass's colt. **16** These things understood not his disciples at the first: but when Jesus was glorified, then remembered they that these things were written of him, and *that* they had done these things unto him. **17** The people therefore that was with him when he called Lazarus out of his grave, and raised him from the dead, bare record. **18** **For this cause the people also met him, for that they heard that he had done this miracle.** **19** The Pharisees therefore said among themselves, Perceive ye how ye prevail nothing? behold, the world is gone after him.

Praise for Return

- Hosanna – save now, save we pray
- 1 John 2:15-16 – **15** Love not the world, neither the things *that are* in the world. If any man love the world, the love of the Father is not in him. **16** For all that *is* in the world, the lust of the flesh, and the lust of the eyes, and the pride of life, is not of the Father, but is of the world.

Praise of Righteousness

- Settle the Score
 - o Romans 5:1 – Therefore being justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ:
 - o Ephesians 2:13-14 – **13** But now in Christ Jesus ye who sometimes were far off are made nigh by the blood of Christ. **14** For he is our peace, who hath made both one, and hath broken down the middle wall of partition *between us*;
 - o Colossians 1:20 – And, ^fhaving made peace through the blood of his cross, by him to reconcile all things unto himself; by him, *I say*, whether *they be* things in earth, or things in heaven.
- Serve the Sinner
 - o Matthew 20:28 – *Even as the Son of man came not to be ministered unto, but to minister, and to give his life a ransom for many.*
 - o Philippians 2:7-8 – **7** But made himself of no reputation, and took upon him the form of a servant, and was made in the likeness of men: **8** And being found in fashion as a man, he humbled himself, and became obedient unto death, even the death of the cross.
- Sacred in Submission
 - o John 6:38 – *For I came down from heaven, not to do mine own will, but the will of him that sent me.*

Praise as Reaction

- John 4:48 – Then said Jesus unto him, *Except ye see signs and wonders, ye will not believe.*
- John 6:30 – They said therefore unto him, What sign shewest thou then, that we may see, and believe thee? what dost thou work?

Palms of Persecution for Fear – John 18:19-24 –

19 The high priest then asked Jesus of his disciples, and of his doctrine. **20** Jesus answered him, *I spake openly to the world; I ever taught in the synagogue, and in the temple, whither the Jews always resort; and in secret have I said nothing.* **21** *Why askest thou me? ask them which heard me, what I have said unto them: behold, they know what I said.* **22** And when he had thus spoken, **one of the officers which stood by struck Jesus with the palm of his hand**, saying, Answerest thou the high priest so? **23** Jesus answered him, *If I have spoken evil, bear witness of the evil: but if well, why smitest thou me?* **24** Now Annas had sent him bound unto Caiaphas the high priest.

Purpose of Misdirection

- John 12:48 – *He that rejecteth me, and receiveth not my words, hath one that judgeth him: the word that I have spoken, the same shall judge him in the last day.*
- John 8:47 – *He that is of God heareth God's words: ye therefore hear them not, because ye are not of God.*

Pain in Mistreatment

- 2 Corinthians 6:17-18 – **17** Wherefore come out from among them, and be ye separate, saith the Lord, and touch not the unclean *thing*; and I will receive you, **18** And will be a Father unto you, and ye shall be my sons and daughters, saith the Lord Almighty.

Pride in Misery

- 2 Corinthians 5:20-21 – **20** Now then we are ambassadors for Christ, as though God did beseech *you* by us: we pray *you* in Christ's stead, be ye reconciled to God. **21** For he hath made him *to be sin* for us, who knew no sin; that we might be made the righteousness of God in him.

Palms of Power by Faith – Ephesians 3:14-21 –

14 For this cause I bow my knees unto the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, **15** Of whom the whole family in heaven and earth is named, **16** That he would grant you, **according to the riches of his glory**, to be **strengthened with might by his Spirit in the inner man**; **17** That **Christ may dwell in your hearts by faith**; that ye, **being rooted and grounded in love**, **18** May be able to comprehend with all saints what *is* the breadth, and length, and depth, and height; **19** And to know the love of Christ, which passeth knowledge, that ye might be filled with all the fulness of God. **20** Now unto him that is able to do **exceeding abundantly above all that we ask or think, according to the power that worketh in us**, **21** **Unto him be glory in the church** by Christ Jesus throughout all ages, world without end. Amen.

Prayer of Power

- Supernatural Blessings
- Supernatural Boldness

Prayer of Presence 17

- Lord Living in Your Heart
- Love Living in Your Heart

Prayer of Provision 20

- Abundance
- Ability
- Adoration