

PALM SUNDAY

Mark NKJV 11: Now when they drew near Jerusalem, to ¹Bethphage and Bethany, at the Mount of Olives, He sent two of His disciples; ² and He said to them, "Go into the village opposite you; and as soon as you have entered it you will find a colt tied, on which no one has sat. Loose it and bring *it*. ³ And if anyone says to you, 'Why are you doing this?' say, 'The Lord has need of it,' and immediately he will send it here." ⁴ So they went their way, and found ⁵the colt tied by the door outside on the street, and they loosed it. ⁵ But some of those who stood there said to them, "What are you doing, loosing the colt?"

⁶ And they spoke to them just as Jesus had commanded. So they let them go. ⁷ Then they brought the colt to Jesus and threw their clothes on it, and He sat on it. ⁸ And many spread their clothes on the road, and others cut down leafy branches from the trees and spread *them* on the road. ⁹ Then those who went before and those who followed cried out, saying:

"Hosanna! 'Blessed *is* He who comes in the name of the Lord!'

¹⁰ Blessed *is* the kingdom of our father David

That comes ¹¹in the name of the Lord!

Hosanna in the highest!"

1. Jesus was celebrated as the King of Israel (The Messiah)

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Zachariah NKJV 9: ⁹ "Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion! Shout, O daughter of Jerusalem! Behold, your King is coming to you; He *is* just and having salvation, Lowly and riding on a donkey, A colt, the foal of a donkey.

2. Save Now

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Psalms NKJV 118: ²⁵ Save now, I pray, O Lord; O Lord, I pray, send now prosperity.
²⁶ Blessed *is* he who comes in the name of the Lord! We have blessed you from the house of the Lord.

Isaiah NKJV 53: ⁷ He was oppressed and He was afflicted, Yet He opened not His mouth; He was led as a lamb to the slaughter, And as a sheep before its shearers is silent, So He opened not His mouth. ⁸ He was taken from ^{the}prison and from judgment, And who will declare His generation? For He was cut off from the land of the living; For the transgressions of My people He was stricken.

3. Not as you Expected

Revelations NKJV 1: ⁷ Behold, He is coming with clouds, and every eye will see Him, even they who pierced Him. And all the tribes of the earth will mourn because of Him. Even so, Amen. ⁸ “I am the Alpha and the Omega, ^{the}*the Beginning and the End,*” says the ^{the}Lord, “who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty.”