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- ³⁵ And they brought it to Jesus, and throwing their cloaks on the colt, they set Jesus on it.
- ³⁶ And as he rode along, they spread their cloaks on the road.
- ³⁷ As he was drawing near—already on the way down the Mount of Olives—the whole multitude of his disciples began to rejoice and praise God with a loud voice for all the mighty works that they had seen,
- ³⁸ saying, "Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord! Peace in heaven and glory in the highest!"

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- ³⁹ And some of the Pharisees in the crowd said to him, "Teacher, rebuke your disciples."
- ⁴⁰ He answered, "I tell you, if these were silent, the very stones would cry out."
- ⁴¹ And when he drew near and saw the city, he wept over it,
- ⁴² saying, "Would that you, even you, had known on this day the things that make for peace! But now they are hidden from your eyes.

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⁴³ For the days will come upon you, when your enemies will set up a barricade around you and surround you and hem you in on every side ⁴⁴ and tear you down to the ground, you and your children within you. And they will not leave one stone upon another in you, because you did not know the time of your visitation."

Three lessons learned from Jesus' "Triumphal Entry" into Jerusalem:

- 1. God knew us and came for us anyway that we might know Him. (John 1:1, 14)
- 2. Many of the people at the "Triumphal Entry" knew of Jesus and came to see Him, but they didn't come to know Him.
- 3. The ultimate consequence of not having a relationship with Jesus is missing out on knowing Jesus.
- 4. Do you merely know of Jesus, or do you really know Him?