

# The Gospel of John

## The Passion of Christ John 12-21



John 12:12-19

9/1/19 AM

### *THE TRIUMPHAL ENTRY*

#### **Introduction:**

#### **I. THE PASSOVER FESTIVAL (12:12-13)**

##### A. The Pilgrims (vs. 12a)

“on the next day”

“the large crowd who had come to the feast”

##### B. The Procession (vs. 12b-13a)

“when they heard that Jesus was coming to Jerusalem”

“took the branches of the palm trees and went out to meet Him” (Revelation 7:9-10)

##### C. The Praise (vs. 13b)

“and began to shout, ‘Hosanna!’”

“‘BLESSED IS HE WHO COMES IN THE NAME OF THE LORD’” (Psalm 118:26)

“even the King of Israel”

#### **II. THE PROPHECIES OF MESSIAH (12:14-16)**

##### A. The Prophecy (vs. 14-15)

“Jesus, finding a young donkey, sat on it”

“as it is written, ‘FEAR NOT, DAUGHTER OF ZION; BEHOLD, YOUR KING IS COMING, SEATED ON A DONKEY’S COLT.’”

Isaiah 62:11 and Zechariah 9:9

Daniel 9:25-27

##### B. The Perception (vs. 16)

“these things His disciples did not understand at the first”

“but when Jesus was glorified, then they remembered that these things were written of Him”

“and that they had done these things to Him”

### III. THE PEOPLE'S MISCONCEPTIONS (12:17-19)

#### A. The People (vs. 17-18)

“so the people, who were with Him when He called Lazarus out of the tomb and raised him from the dead continued to testify about Him”

“for this reason also the people went and met Him because they heard that He had performed this sign”

#### B. The Pharisees (vs. 19)

“so the Pharisees said to one another, ‘You see that you are not doing any good...’”

“...look, the world has gone after Him.”

#### Conclusion:

- 1) Be careful not to follow Jesus because of what you think He might give you.
- 2) Make sure that you follow Jesus because of who He is.

#### Food for Thought:

- 1) What was the crowd expecting Jesus to do when He rode into Jerusalem that day?
- 2) What are your expectations of Jesus?
- 3) Have you experienced disappointment with God? What was the source of that disappointment? How did you deal with it?
- 4) Are there any areas of your life (work, finances, relationships, goals, use of time) where Jesus is not your King?