

"Palm Sunday - What's In It For Me?"

John 12:12-15 (**ref**)

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v12 radical response

v13 branches of palm trees

v14 found a donkey

v15 Zechariah 9:9

~Matt 21:10, Mark 11:11, Luke 19:39-41, John

12: 17 (**refs**)

Palm Sunday: Spiritual Significance

1. The Palms John 12:13 (**ref**)

~ Psalm 92:12 "righteous/palm tree", 1 Cor 1:18

"Jesus/righteous"

~ Song Of Solomon 7:7 "stature/palm tree",

Psalm 90:7 "beauty of the Lord"

~ Rev 7:9 praises, "waving palm branches"

~ Righteousness/Beauty/Victory

2. The Donkey John 12:14 (**ref**)

- ~ Matt 21:4-5 "fulfilled prophecy"
- ~ 1 Kings 1:33 King Solomon
- ~ Rev 19:11 "makes war"
- ~ Donkey/peace; Horse/war

3. The Hosanna John 12:13 (**ref**)

- ~ The Lord saves"
- ~ Psalm 118:26 (**ref**)
- ~ restore Israel, Judas/Barabbas
- ~ Eph 2:8 "saved"; 1 Cor 1:18 "being saved"; Rom 5:9 "shall be saved"

4. The Tears Matt23:37-39, Luke 19:41 (**refs**)

- ~ Jesus' emotional response
- ~ John 11:45 "Jesus wept"
- ~ compassion, feelings, heart, concern, care

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1. Jesus Came For Me

- ~ Mark 10:45 "ransom"
- ~ Luke 9:51, 56 "save them"
- ~ response: believe, accept

2. He's Looking For A People

Q: will He find me?

- ~ John 4:24 "spirit and truth"
- ~ Gen 3:9; Ezk 22:23; Luke 19:10; John 3:16
(refs)

3. He Provides The Power

- ~ Palm Sunday, Good Friday, Resurrection Day
- ~ 40 days-Ascension
- ~ Acts 1:8 "power to be witnesses"
- ~50 days-Pentecost

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He Came For Me, He's Looking For Me; He
Wants To Empower Me

"Better that I go away, for if I do not go away,
the Helper will not come to you, but if I depart I
will send Him to you." John 16:7