THE TRIUMPHAL ENTRY
PALM SUNDAY SERMON

Luke 19:29-40

1) JESUS WAS SPIRIT-LED. (vs.#30)

Jesus limited Himself on earth (as far as His Divine nature goes),
but operated in the gifts of the Holy Spirit.

See: I Cor. 12:8-11 / Matt. 4:1 - “Jesus was led up of the Spirit into the wilderness...”

2) JESUS HAS DIVINE OWNERSHIP. (vs. #31)

Jesus has Divine ownership, even over the beasts.

See: Psalms 50:10 - “For every beast of the forest is mine, and the cattle upon a thousand hills.”

3) JESUS EXPECTS OBEDIENCE. (vs. #32-#34)

Those who were told to get the colt (or donkey), obeyed.
What Jesus told them to do, came to pass.

See: I Sam.15:22 -”...to obey is better than sacrifice...”

4) JESUS IS HONORED. (vs. #36 & #37)

The crowd cheered and honored Jesus for many reasons. Their expectations were high. We need to honor Him today, because He is always worthy, whether we receive anything else but salvation from Him. May our motives be pure!

See: John 12:32 - “And I, if I be lifted from the earth, will draw all men unto Me.”

John 3:30 - “...He must increase, but I must decrease.” (John The Baptist speaking here about how he must take a lower place).
5) JESUS WILL BE KING ON EARTH SOMEDAY. (vs. #38)

A King? Not quite yet! He will be, when He comes back to rule and reign on earth, at the 2nd coming.

The people in this story tried to exalt Him as “King”, but the timing was not right. “Blessed be the King...” they shouted.


6) JESUS WAS (and still is) CONTROVERSIAL.

The Pharisees didn’t want to see others honored more than themselves. These religious hypocrites were jealous! “Master, rebuke thy disciples.” They were being sarcastic here, calling Jesus, “Master”. He definitely wasn’t their Master.

See: II Tim. 3:12 - “…all that will live godly in Christ Jesus shall suffer persecution.”

7) JESUS DESERVES OUR PRAISE!

Whether we realize it or feel like it, Jesus always deserves our praise and admonition. Always.

See: Psalms 150:6 - “Let everything that hath breath, praise the Lord! Praise ye the Lord.”

Psalms 100:4 / Psalms 107:22 / I Thess. 5:18 / Heb. 1:15 / I Peter 2:9 / Psalms 67:3 / Psalms 51:15 /

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