

Palm Sunday, April 10 Sermon Notes

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The Intersection of Joy And Sorrow!

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Luke 19:28-44

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Luke 19:37, *When he came near the place where the road goes down the Mount of Olives, the whole crowd of disciples began joyfully to praise God in loud voices for all the miracles they had seen: 38 "Blessed is the king who comes in the name of the Lord!" "Peace in heaven and glory in the highest!" 39 Some of the Pharisees in the crowd said to Jesus, "Teacher, rebuke your disciples!" 40 "I tell you," he replied, "if they keep quiet, the stones will cry out." 41 As he approached Jerusalem and saw the city, he wept over it.*

Why Did Jesus Weep?

1. Their Brokenness Because of SIN

John 11:32, *When Mary reached the place where Jesus was and saw him, she fell at his feet and said, "Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died." 33 When Jesus saw her weeping, and the Jews who had come along with her also weeping, he was deeply moved in spirit and troubled. 34 "Where have you laid him?" he asked. "Come and see, Lord," they replied. 35 Jesus wept.*

Romans 12:15, *Rejoice with those who rejoice; mourn with those who mourn.*

2. The Knowledge They LACKED

John 12:16, *At first his disciples did not understand all this. Only after Jesus was glorified did they realize that these things had been written about him and that these things had been done to him.*

Hosea 4:6, *My people are destroyed from lack of knowledge.*

3. The Treasure They BURIED

Luke 19:22, *“His master replied, ‘I will judge you by your own words, you wicked servant! You knew, did you, that I am a hard man, taking out what I did not put in, and reaping what I did not sow? 23 Why then didn’t you put my money on deposit, so that when I came back, I could have collected it with interest?’ 24 “Then he said to those standing by, ‘Take his mina away from him and give it to the one who has ten minas.’*

James 1:22, *Do not merely listen to the word, and so deceive yourselves. Do what it says.*

4. The Sinners They SHUNNED

Luke 19:7, *All the people saw this and began to mutter, “He has gone to be the guest of a sinner.” 8 But Zacchaeus stood up and said to the Lord, “Look, Lord! Here and now I give half of my possessions to the poor, and if I have cheated anybody out of anything, I will pay back four times the amount.” 9 Jesus said to him, “Today salvation has come to this house, because this man, too, is a son of Abraham. 10 For the Son of Man came to seek and to save the lost.”*

Ezekiel 33:11, *Say to them, ‘As surely as I live, declares the Sovereign LORD, I take no pleasure in the death of the wicked, but rather that they turn from their ways and live.*

Who Is on Your Heart to Invite to Easter Services?

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5. The Salvation They REJECTED

John 1:9, *The true light that gives light to everyone was coming into the world. 10 He was in the world, and though the world was made through him, the world did not recognize him. 11 He came to that which was his own, but his own did not receive him. 12 Yet to all who*

did receive him, to those who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of God.