

The KING

Today is known as _____ Sunday, and we are entering into what is called Holy/ _____ Week-the week between Palm Sunday and Easter Sunday. (Cf. Matthew 26:6-27:66) I would like us to look briefly at the events of that week.

- I. The _____ of the King
- A. A king was _____ in Bethlehem (Isa 9:6)
For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given: and the government shall be upon his shoulder: and his name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, The mighty God, The everlasting Father, The Prince of Peace.
 - B. The word given to Mary (Luke 1:26-33)
 - C. The _____ came seeking a king (Matt. 2:1-2)
- II. The _____ of the King (John 12:1-15)
- A. At first came reception, praise, _____
 - B. Palm branches placed on the road as the _____ passed by
 - C. "Blessed be the King" (v. 13)
- III. The _____ of the King (Matthew 26:47-27:26)
- A. The cries of the crowd soon changed (How could the crowd that _____ Jesus on Palm Sunday have _____ him on Friday?)
 - B. Betrayal, beating
- IV. The _____ of the King (Matthew 27:27-49)
- A. The Cross a Place of Contrasts
 1. The place of _____ ... yet of judgment
 2. The place of _____ ... yet fulfills demands of the law
 3. The place of _____ ... yet reminds us of our sins
 4. Where man did his _____ ... and God did His _____
 - B. Let us look to Calvary
 1. Jesus dying there with two _____: One on either side
 2. One dying _____ sin, One dying _____ sin, One dying _____ sin
 3. Two were completely _____, One completely _____
 4. Two paying _____ debt to society, One paying _____ debt of _____

Conclusion: As we know from the Scripture, Christ is now the _____ King, and will become the _____ King-once for those who are _____ and looking for His return, and once for those who will become the recipients of His _____. When the King comes, will He find you watching and waiting, or will He come to be the Judge of your sin and cast you into the Lake of Fire?