

Matthew 21:9–10 (NKJV) ⁹Then the multitudes who went before and those who followed cried out, saying:

"Hosanna to the Son of David!

'Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord!'

Hosanna in the highest!"

¹⁰ And when He had come into Jerusalem, all the city was moved, saying, "Who is this?"

John 4:23-24 (NKJV) ²³ But the hour is coming, and now is, when the true worshipers will worship the Father in spirit and truth; for the Father is seeking such to worship Him.

²⁴ God *is* Spirit, and those who worship Him must worship in **spirit and truth**.

He knows you and I will, at times, disappoint Him . . . He willingly went to the Cross for us!

We need to learn to see truth . . . we need to learn to see others through the eyes of Jesus.

Jesus spent His last nights on earth dining with a former leper.

John 12:10–11 (NKJV) But the chief priests plotted to put Lazarus to death also, ¹¹ because on account of him many of the Jews went away and believed in Jesus.

We need to see Jesus with Simon's eyes. We need to see the Jesus Simon saw.

We need to see Jesus with Lazarus' eyes. We need to remember where Jesus brought us from and where He is taking us.

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John 12:1-3 (NIV) ¹ Six days before the Passover, Jesus arrived at Bethany, where Lazarus lived, **whom Jesus had raised from the dead**. ² Here a dinner was given in Jesus' honor. Martha served, while Lazarus was among those reclining at the table with him. ³ Then Mary took about a pint of pure nard, an expensive perfume; she poured it on Jesus' feet and wiped his feet with her hair. And the house was filled with the fragrance of the perfume.

This was extravagant and costly worship.

We need to see with Mary's eyes. We need to see the Jesus Mary saw.

True worship can be costly. True worship is an act of the heart, an act of gratitude, and an act of love. Yet, you can never out give God.

Matthew 21:1-6 (NKJV) ¹ Now when they drew near Jerusalem, and came to Bethphage, at the Mount of Olives, then Jesus sent two disciples, ² saying to them, "Go into the village opposite you, and immediately you will find a donkey tied, and a colt with her. Loose *them* and bring *them* to Me. ³ And if anyone says anything to you, you shall say, 'The Lord has need of them,' and immediately he will send them." ⁴ All this was done that it might be fulfilled which was spoken by the prophet, saying: ⁵ *"Tell the daughter of Zion, 'Behold, your King is coming to you, Lowly, and sitting on a donkey, A colt, the foal of a donkey.'* " ⁶ So the disciples went and did as Jesus commanded them.

We need to see worship with the same eyes this guy saw worship.

Hebrews 12:2 (NIV) Let us fix our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy set before him endured the cross, scorning its shame, and sat down at the right hand of the throne of God.