

Luke 19:28-40 – The Entry of the King

1. Read Luke 19:28-40 carefully. Make note of the Who, What, When, and Where.

2. Jesus is here called “King,” one of only 5 times in Luke’s Gospel. (The other four are all in chapter 23 and all four are stated by unbelievers.) Consider this usage (Luke 19:34-38) in light of the references below. What parallels or insights do you gain?
 - a. Psalm 118:22-27 –

 - b. Zechariah 9:9-10 –

 - c. 2 Kings 9:11-13 –

3. There are only a few events in Jesus’ life that are recorded by all four gospel writers. The occasion that we refer to as Palm Sunday is one of them. Take note of the attached page, “Messiah Enters Jerusalem,” from [Jesus Christ the Greatest Life: A Blending of the Four Gospels](#). Record any additional insights or questions that you discover from utilizing this additional Bible study tool.

Luke 19:41-44 – Jesus weeps over Jerusalem

4. What happened when Jesus approached Jerusalem? (literally: “Place of Peace”) Why?

5. To whom is Jesus speaking in vs. 41-44? Summarize what is going to happen to them and why?

6. What are “the things which make for peace”? Peace with whom? How?

7. Why did they miss “the things which make for peace”? (Hint: What was Jesus’ rebuke to those who were listening to Him in Luke 12:56?)

8. Note what you learn from each of the following verses about what “visitation” means?
 - a. Luke 1:67-68 –

 - b. Luke 1:76-79 –

 - c. Luke 7:12-16 –

Luke 19:45-46 – Clearing the Temple

9. What did Jesus do and why? (cf. Matt. 21:12-17, Mark 11:15-18)

10. What are your thoughts about this event in light of Isaiah 56:6-8?

11. Compare Luke 19:45-46 with John 2:11-17. (John 2:11-13 will give you the historical context.) You will want to compare the timing of this event with the incident in Luke 19. What do you learn?

12. Digging deeper: In John 2:18, the Jews (or their leaders) asked Jesus for a “sign,” to prove His authority to take this action in the Temple. What prompted them to ask Him for a “sign” of His authority?

Luke 19:47-48 – Jesus, the Priests, and the People

13. What was Jesus doing and where, even knowing that He would soon Die?

14. What were the responses of those who heard? Describe your insights or questions from these observations.