

## The Triumphal Entry - Luke 19:28-44

**Topics:** Compassion, Criticism, Joy, Miracles, Praise, Prophecy

### Open It

1. When have you seen a famous person?
2. Whom do you look up to the most? Why?
- \* 3. How do people commonly show admiration for famous people?

### Explore It

4. Where did the events of this story take place? (19:28-29)
5. Where did Jesus send two of His disciples? (19:30)
6. What specific instructions did Jesus give two of His disciples? (19:30-31)
7. What happened to the disciples who went ahead into the village? (19:32-34)
8. Why did Jesus choose to ride into the city on a colt? (19:35)
- \* 9. How did people react to Jesus' entrance into the city? (19:36-37)
10. Why did all of the disciples begin to praise God? (19:37)
- \* 11. In what way were the words of the disciples' praises significant? (19:38)
12. Why were the Pharisees in the crowd upset? (19:39)
- \* 13. How did Jesus respond to the Pharisees' rebuke? (19:40)
14. How did Jesus react when He saw the city of Jerusalem? (19:41)
15. In what way did the people of Jerusalem miss a golden opportunity? (19:44)

### Get It

- \* 16. What does this passage teach us about Jesus' regard for celebrity status?
17. What can we learn from the example of the disciples in this account?
- \* 18. What has the Lord done for you recently that causes you to praise Him?
19. When do we tend to neglect to praise the Lord as He deserves?
20. What can we learn from Jesus' words about and feelings toward Jerusalem in this passage?
21. What responsibility do we have toward non-Christians?

### Apply It

22. How can you imitate Christ's compassion for unsaved people this week?
- \* 23. How can you voice your praise to the Lord today for all that He has done for you?