

The Lord hath need of You!!!

Luke 19:33-38 (KJV) - And as they were loosing the colt, the owners thereof said unto them, Why loose ye the colt? ³⁴ And they said, The Lord hath need of him. ³⁵ And they brought him to Jesus: and they cast their garments upon the colt, and they set Jesus thereon. ³⁶ And as he went, they spread their clothes in the way. ³⁷ And when he was come nigh, even now at the descent of the mount of Olives, the whole multitude of the disciples began to rejoice and praise God with a loud voice for all the mighty works that they had seen; ³⁸ Saying, Blessed be the King that cometh in the name of the Lord: peace in heaven, and glory in the highest.

Giving Honor to God the Father, the Son (Jesus Christ), and the Holy Spirit. To All of God's Sons, Daughters, and Children. Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow. Let's turn to Luke 19:33-38, as we lift up the Name of the Lord. The topic of today's didactic sermon is "The Lord hath need of You!!!"

It must have been a wondrous site, as the disciples were traveling with the Lord Jesus, and Bethphage just ever so near. They could see it ahead, then they arrived there, and on the Mount of Olives, Jesus instructs two of them to go to the local village. Jesus spoke to the disciples with divine instruction. They were in a position to witness the fulfillment of Prophecy. In Zechariah 9:9, it was prophesied the coming of a King "righteous and victorious, lowly and riding on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a donkey." This Prophecy was fulfilled as Jesus rode a donkey into Jerusalem and many theologians agree that it was, indeed, triumphant because He had done so without bloodshed on the side of the people. The owners of the colt wanted to know why they were loosing the colt. They said "The Lord hath need of him." Praise God from Whom All Blessing Flow because the Lord hath need of You too. I'd like to share a few points and then I will conclude.

1. You are Fearfully and Wonderfully Made: You are absolutely magnificent. Look at you. When God made you, He formed you with a purpose, He made you unique, and throughout all of time (past, present, and future), you are the only one with the exact make-up that you possess. Psalm 139:14 says "I will praise thee; for I am fearfully and wonderfully made: marvellous are thy works; and that my soul knoweth right well." Good God Almighty, God did a Great Thing my brothers and sisters. The Lord hath need of you.

2. Tell the Gospel Story: “How, then, can they call on the one they have not believed in? And how can they believe in the one of whom they have not heard? And how can they hear without someone preaching to them? And how can anyone preach unless they are sent? As it is written: “How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news!” (Romans 10:14-15) You are blessed to be able to tell somebody about a God that can save anybody. Tell it in the morning. Tell it in the noon day. Tell it in the midnight hour, but whatever you do, tell it. Tell it. Tell it. I once was lost in sin, but Jesus took me in. He died that I might live, Yes... He died on Calvary’s Cross, but He didn’t stay there, He rose. Yes, He was resurrected and because He lives, I can face tomorrow. Tell somebody that Our Savior lives. You can’t assume that everybody knows, so you must tell everybody... Faith cometh by hearing and hearing by the word of God. (Romans 10:17) I want you to understand that the Lord hath need of you.

3. A Charge to Keep: Jesus came for a purpose. The scripture says, “The thief cometh not, but for to steal, and to kill, and to destroy: I am come that they might have life, and that they might have it more abundantly.” (John 10:10) Praise be to God. Christ came that you might have life. You’ve got a purpose, and the Lord has need of You. If you would allow me to share in this vernacular... A charge to keep I have, A God to glorify, A never dying soul to save and fit it for the sky. To serve the present age, my calling to fulfill; O may it all my powers engage, to do my Master’s will! The Lord hath need of you.

In closing,

They brought him to Jesus, they cast their garments upon the colt, and they set Jesus thereon. As Christ made His triumphant entry the people spread their clothes in the way, while others cut branches from trees and spread them out in the road. The multitudes of people that went before, and those that followed rejoiced and praise God, saying, Hosanna to the son of David: Blessed is He that cometh in the name of the Lord; Hosanna in the highest. *Hosanna was a desperate cry from the people to Jesus Christ to save them. Hallelujah, Thank You Savior for your saving grace!!!* The Lord hath need of you. O’ magnify the Lord with me. For He is worthy to be praised.

Hosanna, Blessed be the Rock of my salvation. For He is worthy to be praised. Hosanna, Blessed be the Rock of my salvation. Matt. 28;19-20 says "Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost: Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world. Amen."