

Divine Visitation

Luke 19:41-44

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Ps 8.4 says, "What is man that You are mindful of him, And the son of man that You visit him?"

- They did not take **advantage** of their day. V.41
- They did not know the things that make for **peace**. V.41 (2.14)
- They did not **perceive** the day of their visitation. (v.44)
 - a. God has visited them in the **past**. Ge 50:24; Ex 3.16; Ex 4:31.
 - b. God had clearly visited them in the **present** just as had been promised.
 - 1. The promise and **prophecy** was clear.
 - 1. Is 7:14; Is 9.6
 - 2. The fulfillment of the prophecy was **obvious**.
 - 1. Luke 1.68, 78; 7:16
 - c. There is a **predicted** future visitation. Luke 21.25-28; 1 Peter 2.11-12
 - d. There is a **personal** visitation for today. Jn 6.44; Ac 15:13-14
*The kingdom of God is not coming to you by imposition but by **invitation**.*
 - 1. Christmas is merry because God came **for a visit**.
 - 2. Christmas is merry because God included **the gentiles**.
 - 3. Christmas is merry because God included **you**.