



What Will *YOU* Do With Jesus? John 12:12-26

- 1) Various people followed Jesus into Jerusalem
 - a) The Twelve
 - b) Mary, Martha, Lazarus
 - c) The amalgamated crowds
 - i) Some hailing Jesus as son of David
 - ii) Those with false expectations of Jesus
 - iii) Herodians fearing Jesus' political aspirations
 - iv) Religious leaders jealous of Jesus' sway; wanted to kill Him and Lazarus
 - (1) Pharisees: religious doers; legalistic and self-righteous
 - (2) Sadducees: ignorant to God; pompous; picking and choosing
 - (3) Scribes: Knowledge without wisdom; loving man's praises
- 2) The Messiah has come! What will you do with Him? (Phil. 3:18-21)
 - a) Are you an enemy of the cross of Christ?
 - i) Your god is your appetite
 - ii) You glory in your shame
 - iii) You set your mind on earthly things
 - b) Have you trusted Christ for the forgiveness of your sins?
 - i) You've become a citizen of heaven; an alien on earth
 - ii) You eagerly await Christ's second coming
 - iii) You long for your body's transformation from humility to glory
 - iv) Your faith is vindicated by works