
The Message of the Donkey

Zechariah 9:1-17

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1. The _____ King is the Lord

Zechariah 9:1-7

- a) The King defeats our _____ enemies (vs. 1-7)
- b) The _____ of our enemies will be defeated (vs. 7)
 - The King accomplishes work that only _____ can perform.

2. The King comes in _____

Zechariah 9:8-10

- a) He comes to _____ and not oppress (vs. 9)
- b) He comes to _____ and not destroy vs. 9)
- c) He speaks _____ and not war (vs. 10)
 - The King _____ the peace that only God can offer.

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Zechariah 9:1-17

3. All men must _____ to the King

Zechariah 9:11-17

- a) We must yield to _____ (vs. 11-12)
- b) We must welcome the King's _____ (vs. 13-15)
- c) We must welcome the King's _____ (vs. 16-17)
 - The King _____ you what no one else can provide.

❖ Insight for life:

As a follower of Christ, I will use my life to _____ the King.

My Thoughts:

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1. The Messiah King is the Lord

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- a) The king defeats our long time enemies (vs. 1-7)
- b) The power of our enemies will be defeated (vs. 7)
 - The King accomplishes work that only God can perform.

2. The King comes in peace

Zechariah 9:8-10

- a) He comes to save and not oppress (vs. 9)
- b) He comes to lead and not destroy (vs. 9)
- c) He speaks peace and not war (vs. 10)
 - The King brings the peace that only God can offer.

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3. All men must yield to the King

Zechariah 9:11-17

- a) We must yield to restoration (vs. 11-12)
- b) We must welcome the King's defense (vs. 13-15)
- c) We must welcome the King's salvation (vs. 16-17)
 - The King offers you what no one else can provide.

❖ **Insight for life:**

As a follower of Christ, I will use my life to serve the King.

My Thoughts: