



THE LAST SUPPER

Give us a king...
like all the other
nations have.

1 Sam 8:5 NLT



We want a king

As Samuel grew old, he appointed his sons to be judges over Israel. Joel and Abijah, his oldest sons, held court in Beersheba. But they were not like their father, for they were greedy for money. They accepted bribes and perverted justice. Finally, all the elders of Israel met at Ramah to discuss the matter with Samuel. “Look,” they told him, “you are now old, and your sons are not like you. Give us a king to judge us like all the other nations have.”

1 Sam 8:1-5 NLT

We want a king

“Do everything they say to you,” the LORD replied, “for they are rejecting me, not you. They don’t want me to be their king any longer. Ever since I brought them from Egypt they have continually abandoned me and followed other gods. And now they are giving you the same treatment. Do as they ask, but solemnly warn them about the way a king will reign over them.”

1 Sam 8:7-9 NLT



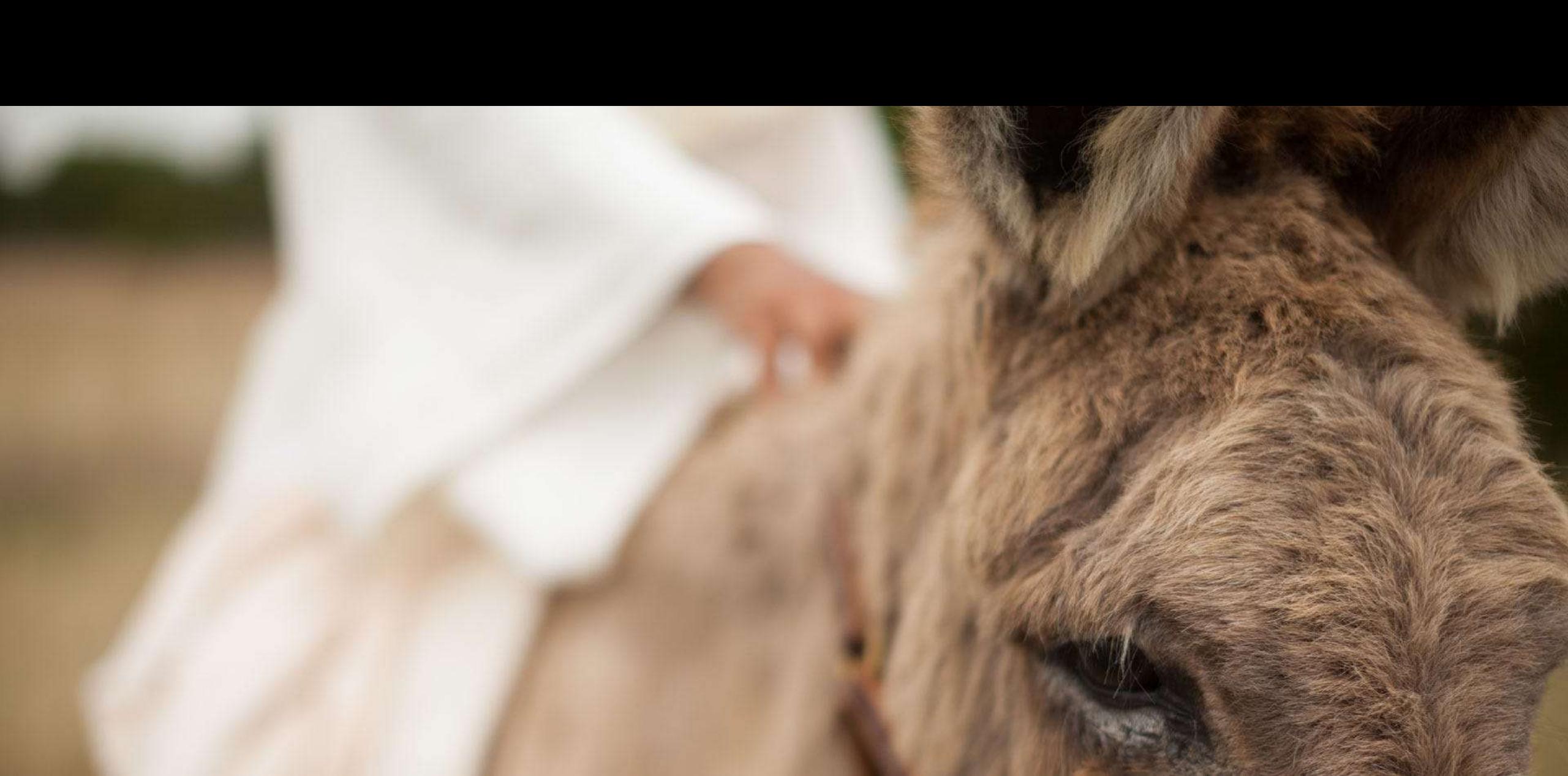
Are you sure?



Israel's kings all
left her disappointed



Are we the same?



The next day, the news that Jesus was on the way to Jerusalem swept through the city. A large crowd of Passover visitors took palm branches and went down the road to meet him.

Joh 12:12-19 NLT



They shouted, “Praise God!
Blessings on the one who
comes in the name of the
LORD! Hail to the King of
Israel!”

Joh 12:12-19 NLT



Jesus found a young donkey
and rode on it, fulfilling the
prophecy that said: “Don’t be
afraid, people of Jerusalem.
Look, your King is coming,
riding on a donkey’s colt.”

Joh 12:12-19 NLT



Hosanna

a Hebrew term that translates to "Save, please!" or "Grant salvation!". It's a cry of praise, adoration, and a plea for salvation, often used to welcome the Messiah or express gratitude for God's deliverance.



Jesus was
not the king
the wanted



Their hope was destroyed

- Cleared the temple
- Woe to the religious leaders
- Pay tax to Ceaser
- Teaching on Israel's judgement
- Jesus was silent before the Romans
- Jesus died





Jesus, the King of Kings,
was fighting a different battle

If the King has come,
our longing for other kings
must end

Jesus answered, “My Kingdom is not an earthly kingdom. If it were, my followers would fight to keep me from being handed over to the Jewish leaders. But my Kingdom is not of this world.”

Joh 18:36 NLT



They wove thorn branches into a crown and put it on his head, and they placed a reed stick in his right hand as a scepter. Then they knelt before him in mockery and taunted, “Hail! King of the Jews!”

Mat 27:29 NLT



... raised Christ from the dead and seated him in the place of honor at God's right hand in the heavenly realms.

Now he is far above any ruler or authority or power or leader or anything else—not only in this world but also in the world to come.

Eph 1:20-21 NLT



which king
do you turn to?



I urge, then, first of all, that petitions, prayers, intercession and thanksgiving be made for all people— for kings and all those in authority, that we may live peaceful and quiet lives in all godliness and holiness.

1 Tim 2:1-2 NIV





Our Victorious King

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But thank God! He gives us victory over sin and death through our Lord Jesus Christ.

1 Co 15:57 NLT



Our Victorious King

But in that coming day
no weapon turned
against you will
succeed. You will
silence every voice
raised up to accuse
you.

Isa 54:17 NLT



Our Victorious King

These benefits are enjoyed by the servants of the LORD; their vindication will come from me. I, the LORD, have spoken!

Isa 54:17 NLT



Our Victorious King

But those who trust in the LORD will find new strength. They will soar high on wings like eagles. They will run and not grow weary. They will walk and not faint.

Isa 40:31 NLT



Our Victorious King

A psalm of David. The LORD is my light and my salvation—so why should I be afraid? The LORD is my fortress, protecting me from danger, so why should I tremble?

Psa 27:1 NLT



Our Victorious King

No, despite all these things, overwhelming victory is ours through Christ, who loved us.

Rom 8:37 NLT



In Christ,
our King
We are victorious

