

The Rocks Will Cry Out

As Jesus entered Jerusalem, the people were shouting, praising God, and irritating the Pharisees. Luke 19 gives us the account of this exciting event. The Bible says that “with a loud voice” the people shouted, “blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord; Peace in heaven and glory in the highest!” (Luke 19:38)

It's a sad fact that some choose to look at the worshiper and not God!

The Pharisees chose to look at the worshipers when Jesus entered Jerusalem!
“Teacher, rebuke Your disciples.” (Luke 19:39) The Pharisees missed it! They were concerned with the noise. In fact they may have been worried that Jesus, being called a King would bring Herod the King of Israel and the Romans down on them! They were looking at the situation, at the disciples, and the crowds. They looked everywhere except at Jesus, the Son of the living God!

Jesus answered the Pharisees by saying, “I tell you, if these become silent, the stones will cry out”. (Luke 19:40) Some might say that Jesus was being figurative by saying stones would cry out! Not so. In fact, the opposite is true. Worship of Jesus Christ must take place.

Issac Newton's third law of motion states that “for every action there is an equal and opposite reaction”. God created. God loved. God cares. So the natural and fundamental reaction is worship!

Jesus was not overstating the fact that the stones would cry out if worship did not take place.

Worship is the natural and the only response to Jesus Christ the King of Kings and the Lord of Lords.

All of creation, all peoples, and every Pharisee (past and present) will someday worship. Jesus is to be worshiped because of who he is.

If not, the rocks will cry out!