



BEHOLD

YOUR KING IS COMING

Matthew 21:1-11

21 As they approached Jerusalem and came to Bethphage on the Mount of Olives, Jesus sent two disciples, ² saying to them, “Go to the village ahead of you, and at once you will find a donkey tied there, with her colt by her. Untie them and bring them to me. ³ If anyone says anything to you, say that the Lord needs them, and he will send them right away.”

Matthew 21:1-11

⁴ This took place to fulfill what was spoken through the prophet:

⁵ “Say to Daughter Zion,
‘See, your king comes to you,
gentle and riding on a donkey,
and on a colt, the foal of a donkey.’ ”

Matthew 21:1-11

⁶ The disciples went and did as Jesus had instructed them. ⁷ They brought the donkey and the colt and placed their cloaks on them for Jesus to sit on. ⁸ A very large crowd spread their cloaks on the road, while others cut branches from the trees and spread them on the road.

Matthew 21:1-11

⁹ The crowds that went ahead of him and those that followed shouted,

“Hosanna to the Son of David!”

“Blessed is he who comes
in the name of the Lord!”

“Hosanna in the highest heaven!”

Matthew 21:1-11

¹⁰ When Jesus entered Jerusalem, the whole city was stirred and asked, “Who is this?”

¹¹ The crowds answered, “This is Jesus, the prophet from Nazareth in Galilee.”



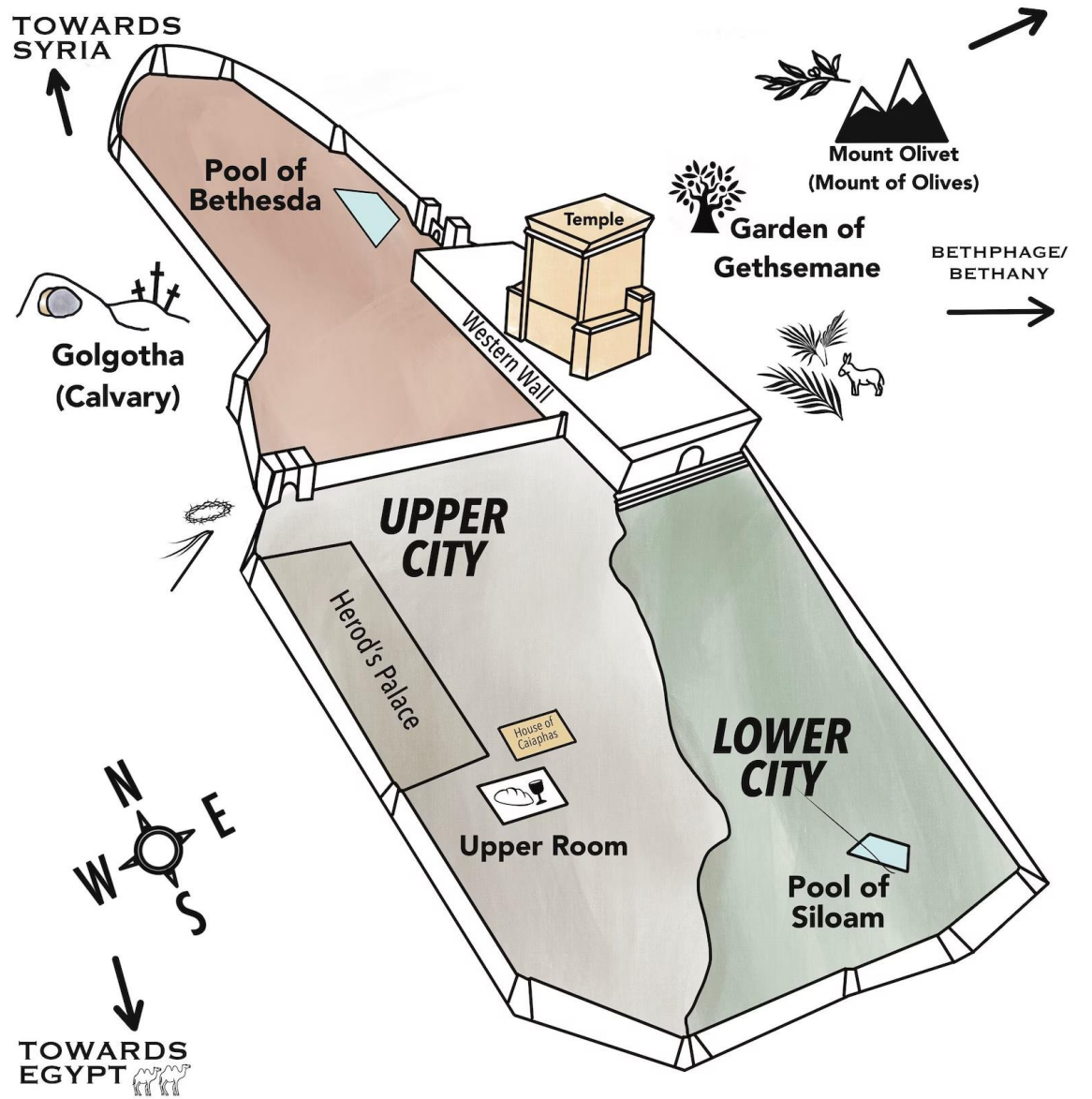
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The Holy Land in Jesus' time



Jerusalem in Jesus' time



Psalm 121:1

¹ I lift my eyes **up** to the mountains, where does my help come from?

Psalm 24:

³ Who may **ascend** the mountain of the Lord? Who may stand in his holy place? ⁴ The one who has clean hands and a pure heart, who does not trust in an idol or swear by a false god.”

Exodus 12:14 | The Passover

¹⁴ “This is a day you are to commemorate; for the generations to come you shall celebrate it as a festival to the LORD—a lasting ordinance.

Exodus 12:17

¹⁷ “Celebrate the Festival of Unleavened Bread, because it was on this very day that I brought your divisions out of Egypt. Celebrate this day as a lasting ordinance for the generations to come.



TIMELINE

HOLY WEEK

PALM SUNDAY

MATTHEW 21:1-11
Jesus triumphantly enters Jerusalem

TUESDAY

MATTHEW 21:23-46
Jesus rebukes the Pharisees.

MAUNDY THURSDAY

MATTHEW 26:20-75
The Last Supper, Judas betrays Jesus; Petr denies Jesus.

SILENT SATURDAY

MATTHEW 21:1-11
Jesus was dead.

MONDAY

MATTHEW 21:12-19
Jesus cleanses the Temple.

WEDNESDAY

MATTHEW 26:1-16
Judas decides to betray Jesus.

GOOD FRIDAY

MATTHEW 27:1-61
Jesus Christ is crucified.

EASTER SUNDAY

MATTHEW 28
Jesus lives!
Great Commission.

GOD DOESN'T FORGET
WHAT HE HAS PROMISED.

OT Prophecy Fulfilled in Jesus

The Messiah would:

- be born of a virgin (Isaiah 7:14)
- inherit an everlasting kingdom (2 Sam. 7:12–13; Psalm 89:29; Isaiah 9:7)
- proclaim good news to the poor (Isaiah 61:1; Micah 3:8)
- offer healing (Isaiah 35:5-6; 42:7-18; 53:5)
- ride a donkey (Zechariah 9:9)
- be betrayed (Psalm 41:9; Zechariah 11:12-13)
- atone for sin (Isaiah 52:15-53:5-12; Malachi 3:3)

REDEMPTION IS FOUND IN
NONE OTHER THAN JESUS.

2 Corinthians 5:21

God made him who had no sin to be sin for us, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.

John 14:6

“I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.”

Acts 4:12

Salvation is found in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given to mankind by which we must be saved.

JESUS CALLS US OUT OF
THE WORLD AND INTO HIS
UPSIDE-DOWN KINGDOM

The Upside-Down Kingdom of Christ

- Where the master washes the feet of His disciples. (John 13:14-15)
- Where forgiveness is given not seven times, but seven times seventy times. (Matthew 18: 21-22)
- Where faith as small as a mustard seed can move mountains. (Matthew 13:31-32)
- Where weakness and dependency are signs of strength. (2 Corinthians 12:10)

The Upside-Down Kingdom of Christ

- Where Kings enter their city not on war horses, but on lowly Donkeys—proclaiming peace. (Zechariah 9:9)
- Where debts are paid in full—but not by the one who incurred them. (Matthew 18:21-35)
- Where prisoners are set free. (Zechariah 9:11)
- Where rebels and enemies are adopted as sons and daughters. (Ephesians 2:19)

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