

III. THE GREAT LESSON OF PALM SUNDAY

The Lesson:

The way to the Crown is through the Cross!

1 Peter 5:6-10

Humble yourselves, therefore, under God's mighty hand, that He may lift you up in due time. 7 Cast all your anxiety on Him because He cares for you. 8 Be self-controlled and alert. Your enemy the devil prowls around like a roaring lion looking for someone to devour. 9 Resist him, standing firm in the faith, because you know that your brothers throughout the world are undergoing the same kind of sufferings. 10 And the God of all grace, who called you to His eternal glory in Christ, **after you have suffered a little while, will Himself restore you and make you strong, firm and steadfast.**

1 Peter 2:21

To this you were called, because **Christ suffered for you, leaving you an example, that you should follow in His steps.**

IV. THE PROBLEM WITH PALMS...

CONCLUSION

THE PROBLEM WITH PALMS

A Palm Sunday Message

March 16, 2008

INTRODUCTION

In Your Bible:

Mark 11:8-10

I. JESUS CAME AS A MIGHTY KING

In Your Bible:

Mark 11:1-7

1 Kings 1:32-35

King David said, "Call in Zadok the priest, Nathan the prophet and Benaiah son of Jehoiada." When they came before the king, 33 he said to them: "Take your lord's servants with you and **set Solomon my son on my own mule** and take him down to Gihon. 34 There have Zadok the priest and Nathan the prophet anoint him king over Israel. Blow the trumpet and shout, 'Long live King Solomon!' 35 Then you are to go up with him, and he is to come and sit on my throne and reign in my place. I have appointed him ruler over Israel and Judah."

II. JESUS CAME AS A SUFFERING SAVIOR

Heb 13:12-14

And so **Jesus also suffered outside the city gate** to make the people holy through His own blood. 13 Let us, then, go to Him outside the camp, bearing the disgrace He bore. 14 For here we do not have an enduring city, but we are looking for the city that is to come.