"Hosanna! Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord!" (Mark 11: 9)



Hosanna! A word shouted by a large multitude to Jesus who entered Jerusalem riding on a donkey.

Hosanna means save us. It was a shout to Jesus from the mouth of the poor and the oppressed people. The people of God were suffering under the harsh rulers, and they found Jesus who did among them great miracles -healed the sick, opened the eyes of the blind, and raised the dead. So they called upon Him in a loud shout Hosanna! -save us now.

1) <u>They proclaim Jesus as Saviour</u>: They claim Jesus to be their king who will save them from sin and death. For "everyone who calls on the name of the LORD will be saved." (Romans 10: 13) They found Jesus, the promised Messiah, the King who came to save mankind. "Blessed is He who comes in the name of the LORD." 2) <u>They proclaim Jesus as God:</u> The people of God will not call to anyone 'save us,' unless He is God. The religious leaders murmured against Jesus when He openly forgave sin and did miracles, because no one can forgive sin except God. But Jesus, "He is the image of the invisible God." (Colossians 1:15)

Do you see who is coming? Hosanna! Hosanna! He is Jesus who saves! Do you cry out to Him for help; and proclaim Him as your Lord and King?



MY PRAYER

Father God in heaven, thank you for your Son Jesus who came to the world and die on the cross to save me from sin and death. Today I open the gate of my heart, Hossana! Jesus, be my King, reign over my life, and lead me into eternity. This is my prayer in Jesus' name, Amen.



"This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it." (Psalm 118: 24)

The Lord Is My Shepherd

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"O Lord, save us; O Lord grant us success." (Psalm 118: 25)