

Behold Your King!

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Introduction

1. John 19:12-14, 19
2. Misconceptions about the king and the kingdom abound in the first century and have continued until this day.
3. If we will accept Him as our king and be a citizen of His Kingdom great blessing will abound.
4. We must look at what the Bible has to say about this King and His Kingdom and not let Human philosophy invade our minds
5. Let us consider the if He is our King

II Discussion

1. The prophecies of His being King
 - a. 2 Samuel 7:12-19
 - b. Isaiah 9:6-7; 11:1
 - c. Zechariah 6:12-13; 9:9
 - d. Luke 1:30-33
 - e. Matthew 2:1-6
2. Prophecies of His Kingdom
 - a. Daniel 2:44
 - b. Mark 9:1; Mathew 16:28
 - c. Matthew 16:13-19
3. The apostles had some misunderstanding about the kingdom for a short time.
 - a. Acts 1:3-8
4. When the kingdom was established Jesus became King
 - a. The kingdom would come when the power and the Holy Ghost came Acts 2:1-4
 - b. We are translated into the kingdom of His dear Son Colossians 1:13
 - c. John was in the kingdom when he wrote Revelation 1:9
 - d. Philip preached Christ Acts 8:5; the kingdom of God 8:12 the results was their baptism.
5. The nature of this kingdom
 - a. It is not an earthly kingdom Luke 17:21; John 18:36
 - b. It is not ruled by force but willing obedience Romans 6:16-18; Hebrews 5:8-9
 - c. He is the only Potentate, King and Lord 1 Timothy 6:15

III Conclusion

1. Is Christ your King?
2. If you will submit to His authority and obey His laws He can be your king!
3. You can say He is your king, but unless you have obeyed He is not your king, the devil is controlling you.
4. Let Christ rule in your heart today.

Sources: Pulpit Helps 1994; Jesus is coming by W.E.B.