

Standing in Humility  
Philippians 2:5-11

Intro: Same picture; different image

TRIUMPHAL ENTRANCE (John 12:12-19)

- A. Jesus enters Jerusalem triumphantly. He is seated on a donkey.
- B. Roman victors would enter astride a white steed.

HUMBLE OBEDIENCE (Philippians 2:5-11)

- A. Though Jesus was God, he did not count equality with God a thing to grasp.
- B. Jesus became human—one of us.
- C. As a man, Jesus was faithful and obedient to God the Father.
- D. Jesus continued in obedience even to his death.

LOVE

- A. Roman generals and politicians entered in pride and power; focused on themselves.
- B. Jesus entered in love; focused on God.
  - 1. Jesus is the incarnation of the love of the Father. (John 3:16)
  - 2. Jesus also loved the people.

HUMILITY

- A. Pride affects how you live your life.
- B. Pride affects the way you think, and what you say.
- C. At the cross, Jesus takes our pride, and gives us a divine humility.