

## BRINGING BACK THE KING

### TEXT:

***2 Samuel 19:10: And Absalom, whom we anointed over us, is dead in battle. Now therefore why speak ye not a word of bringing the king back?***

### David in exile . . . Jesus

King David had fled from Jerusalem when his son, Absalom, tried to usurp his throne. Some time afterward Absalom was killed in battle, and the inhabitants of Jerusalem wanted David, their king, back.

***2 Samuel 19:9-12:***

***9 And all the people were at strife throughout all the tribes of Israel, saying, The king saved us out of the hand of our enemies, and he delivered us out of the hand of the Philistines; and now he is fled out of the land for Absalom.***

***10 And Absalom, whom we anointed over us, is dead in battle. Now therefore why speak ye not a word of bringing the king back?***

***11 And king David sent to Zadok and to Abiathar the priests, saying, Speak unto the elders of Judah, saying, Why are ye the last to bring the king back to his house? seeing the speech of all Israel is come to the king, even to his house.***

***12 Ye are my brethren, ye are my bones and my flesh: wherefore then are ye the last to bring back the king?***

So it was with Jesus:

***John 1:11: He came unto His Own, and His Own received Him not.***

The message of the Holy Spirit is summoning all saints to announce to the world that **Jesus is coming back again personally to assume the Throne of His Father David to reign in universal authority and power as KING OF KINGS AND LORD OF LORDS.**



We live in the midst of the last days, amidst the signs of His Coming which are signaling that it won't be long now.

Jesus is King not only of Jews — the words Pilate placed on His Cross — but also of all who will receive Him into their heart. Wise men still inquire about Him. Unlike the earthly kings, of His

Kingdom there shall be no end.

***Isaiah 9:7: Of the increase of His government and peace there shall be no end, upon the throne of David, and upon his kingdom, to order it, and to establish it with judgment and with justice from henceforth even for ever. The zeal of the LORD of hosts will perform this.***

He asserted this place temporarily during His triumphal entry to Jerusalem, allowing the multitudes and little children to cry:

***John 12:13b: Hosanna: Blessed is the King of Israel that cometh in the Name of the Lord.***

***Psalms 2:6: Yet have I set My king upon My Holy Hill of Zion.***



To be Israel's literal King, He is King of the saints, for the Kingdom of God is not meat and drink but righteousness . . .

***Romans 14:17: For the Kingdom of God is not meat and drink; but righteousness, and peace, and joy in the Holy Ghost.***

***Romans 14:11: For it is written, As I live, saith the Lord, every knee shall bow to Me, and every tongue shall confess to God.***

The Bible tells us that satan is the god of this world — the prince of the power of the air:

***Ephesians 2:2: Wherein in time past ye walked according to the course of this world, according to the prince of the power of the air, the spirit that now worketh in the children of disobedience:***

We are also told that satan rules over kingdoms here on earth:

***Daniel 10:13: But the prince of the kingdom of Persia [satan] withstood me [the angel Gabriel] one and twenty days: but, lo, Michael, one of the chief princes, came to help me; and I remained there with the kings of Persia.***

We know he has the power to give these earthly kingdoms to whomever he desires:

***Matthew 4:8-9:***

***<sup>8</sup> Again, the devil taketh Him [Jesus] up into an exceeding high mountain, and showeth Him all the kingdoms of the world, and the***

*glory of them;*

*<sup>9</sup> And saith unto Him, All these things will I give Thee, if Thou wilt fall down and worship me.*



Praise God, we are told satan will soon be dethroned:

***Romans 16:20a: And the God of peace shall bruise satan under your feet shortly.***

We are told in the Book of Daniel:

***Daniel 2:44: And in the days of these kings shall the God of Heaven set up a Kingdom, which shall never be destroyed: and the Kingdom shall not be left to other people, but it shall break in pieces and consume all these kingdoms, and it shall stand for ever.***

The Lord is coming back, and He is going to establish His Kingdom and will reign forever more.

**Question:** Why should we want to bring back Jesus as our King?

**Answer:** Because of the failure and cruelty of earthly kings who have made slaves out of precious souls. Millions suffer under the cruel hands of dictators, while helpless men, women, and children are caught in awful atrocities. Privation<sup>1</sup> and suffering occur because the devil reigns in the hearts of kings and rulers.



We need to bring back Jesus our King because He is the Prince of Peace. When He comes He will:

**bring an end to death,  
bring us our glorified bodies,  
restore the lost Paradise.**

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<sup>1</sup>Privation – a state in which things that are essential for human well-being such as food and warmth are scarce or lacking.