

Luke 19 Homework

1. What was the function of a chief tax collector? What was so remarkable that Jesus would tell Zaccheus that He must stay at his house today?
2. Why did the people grumble about Jesus going to be a guest of Zaccheus? The restitution made by Zaccheus greatly exceeded what was required by Jewish law. Quote the law requirements and state what such restitution said about the spiritual state of Zaccheus.
3. What did Jesus mean by saying that Zaccheus was a son of Abraham? Are we descendants of Abraham also?
4. What was the purpose of the parable Jesus told to the people? What was the purpose of the nobleman giving the gifts to the slaves?
5. How does the nobleman demanding an accounting of the use of the gifts relate to a judging we will receive one day?
6. What was the meaning of Jesus obtaining the colt of a donkey rather than of a horse?
7. How did the crowd interpret this triumphal entry of Jesus? How would His entrance been different if He had ridden in on a great white horse? Why did Luke report that Jesus also said “peace in heaven”?
8. Why did the Pharisees want Jesus to rebuke His disciples in verse 39? Why did Jesus weep over Jerusalem?
9. What is the meaning of “the time of your visitation”? How does that statement relate to people today?
10. What are the two OT verses mentioned in verse 46. Briefly discuss their meaning at the time of the quotes and at the time of Jesus.
11. What was Jesus spending most of His time doing during His last week on earth? If you knew that this was your last week on earth how would you spend your time?
12. Why were the chief priests, the scribes, and the leading men trying to destroy Jesus?