



Riverbluff Church Listening Guide
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FLOURISH part 6

FLOURISHING in the KINGDOM of the KING
John 12:12-18

John 12:1-2, 12-18 (ESV)

1 Six days before the Passover, Jesus therefore came to Bethany, where Lazarus was, whom Jesus had raised from the dead. 2 So they gave a dinner for Him there... 12 The next day the large crowd that had come to the feast heard that Jesus was coming to Jerusalem. 13 So they took branches of palm trees and went out to meet Him, crying out, "Hosanna! Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord, even the King of Israel!" 14 And Jesus found a young donkey and sat on it, just as it is written, 15 "Fear not, daughter of Zion; behold, your King is coming, sitting on a donkey's colt!" 16 His disciples did not understand these things at first, but when Jesus was glorified, then they remembered that these things had been written about Him and had been done to Him. 17 The crowd that had been with Him when He called Lazarus out of the tomb and raised him from the dead continued to bear witness. 18 The reason why the crowd went to meet Him was that they heard He had done this sign.

Mark 1:14-15 (ESV)

"Now after John was arrested, Jesus came into Galilee, proclaiming the gospel of God, and saying, "The time is fulfilled, and the Kingdom of God is at hand; repent and believe in the gospel."

Luke 8:1 (ESV)

"Soon afterward He went on through cities and villages, proclaiming and bringing the good news of the Kingdom of God. And the twelve were with Him..."

Luke 9:1-3 (ESV)

"And He called the twelve together and gave them power and authority over all demons and to cure diseases, and He sent them out to proclaim the Kingdom of God and to heal."

Luke 10:1-9 (ESV)

“After this the Lord appointed seventy-two others and sent them on ahead of Him, two by two, into every town and place where He himself was about to go... And He said to them...Heal the sick in it and say to them, The Kingdom of God has come near to you.’

Acts 1:3 (ESV)

“He presented Himself alive to them after His suffering by many proofs, appearing to them during forty days and speaking about the Kingdom of God.

Acts 28:30-31 (ESV)

“He lived there two whole years at his own expense, and welcomed all who came to him, proclaiming the Kingdom of God and teaching about the Lord Jesus Christ with all boldness...”

Genesis 1:27-28 (ESV)

“So God created man in His own image, in the image of God He created him; male and female He created them. And God blessed them. And God said to them, “Be fruitful and multiply and fill the earth and subdue it, and have dominion...”

As one created in the Image of GOD, you have a _____!

“Your kingdom is the range of your effective will!”

-Dallas Willard

Luke 4:5-7 (ESV)

“And the devil took Him up and showed Him all the kingdoms of the world in a moment of time, and said to Him, “To You I will give all this authority and their glory, for it has been delivered to me, and I give it to whom I will. If You, then, will worship me, it will all be Yours.”

All kingdoms of this world have been _____!

Romans 14:17 (ESV)

“For the Kingdom of God is not a matter of eating and drinking but of righteousness and peace and joy in the Holy Spirit.”

Galatians 5:21-23 (TLB)

“Let me tell you again, as I have before, that anyone living that sort of life will not inherit the Kingdom of God. But when the Holy Spirit controls our lives he will produce this kind of fruit in us: love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control...”

LEARNING TO LIVE IN, FOR, & FROM HIS KINGDOM

The goal of a CC is to build my Kingdom.

The goal of a Disciple is shifting to use my kingdom to

_____!

The great concern of a CC is to get out of here and get up there.

The growing concern of a Disciple is to participate in

_____!

A CC believes Jesus for getting them into heaven when they die.

A Disciple is growing to trust that Jesus is

_____!

A CC sporadically tries to do what Jesus did.

A Disciple enters a life of

_____!