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"THE Prophet has Come"

(Deuteronomy 18:14-20, Matthew 21:1-11)

Crowds of Praise

Expectations of freedom from oppression of <u>Rome</u> Crowd <u>desired</u> a king with <u>power</u>

Jesus the **Prophet**?

Expectations of freedom from oppression of sin (curse)

Jesus <u>destined</u> to be king of <u>peace</u>

Marks of THE prophet (Deut 18:14-20)

- Like Moses
- From among your own brothers
- Yahweh's words will be in his mouth

Response to the prophet

- <u>Listen</u> to Him

Implications

- Love <u>God</u>, love <u>others</u>
- How?
 - Love <u>God</u> = <u>Come</u> to me
 - Love <u>others</u> = <u>Go</u> to them
 - Spread my gospel, make disciples

"This is my Son, whom I love; with him I am well pleased. Listen to Him!" Matthew 17:5

