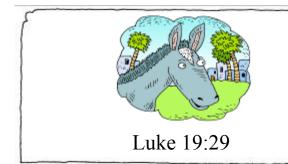
JESUS rides a donkey

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People in Israel, at this time, were waiting for a King to save them. When they saw Jesus riding into Jerusalem, they thought the King had come!



They found the little donkey where Jesus had said. They told the man who owned the donkey that Jesus needed it to go to Jerusalem and took the little donkey back to him.



Lots of people came along the road. They were so happy to see Jesus! People put their coats on the road for little donkey to walk on.



Everyone was happy to see Jesus. "Hosanna to the King," they shouted as Jesus went up the road into the city of Jerusalem.



Jesus was going to the temple at Jerusalem. He sent two helpers to get a little donkey that was tied up, beside its mother, in the town nearby.



They put their coats over donkey's back, for Jesus to sit on. Jesus sat on the donkey's back. He was going to the temple in Jerusalem.



Some people picked palm branches from palm trees growing by the road. They waved the branches as Jesus past by.



When they got there Jesus got off the little donkey and went into the big temple to pray to God.