

A WEEK OF REALLY LIVING
Amazing Encounters With Jesus – Part 12
Palm Sunday, March 16, 2008

ACTION STEPS OF JESUS TO FOLLOW...

1. TAKE TIME FOR _____.

Matthew 20:30-34 (NRSV) *“There were **two blind men** sitting by the roadside. When they heard that Jesus was passing by, they **shouted**, ‘Lord, have mercy on us, Son of David!’³¹ The **crowd sternly ordered them to be quiet**; but **they shouted even more loudly**, ‘Have mercy on us, Lord, Son of David!’³² **Jesus stood still** and called them, saying, ‘What do you want Me to do for you?’³³ They said to Him, ‘Lord, let our eyes be opened.’³⁴ **Moved with compassion, Jesus touched their eyes. Immediately they regained their sight and followed Him.**”*

**PRAYER: “God, give me _____
to see people the way You see them.”**

2. TAKE TIME FOR _____.

Luke 19:28, 35-37, 39-40 (MSG) *“After saying these things, Jesus headed straight up to Jerusalem...³⁵ They brought the colt to Jesus. Then, throwing their coats on its back, they helped Jesus get on.³⁶ As He rode, the people gave Him a grand welcome, throwing their coats on the street.³⁷ Right at the crest, where Mount Olives begins its descent, the whole crowd of disciples burst into enthusiastic praise over all the mighty works they had witnessed:³⁹ Some **Pharisees** from the crowd **told Him**, ‘Teacher, **get Your disciples under control!**’⁴⁰ But He said, ‘**If they kept quiet, the stones would do it for them, shouting praise.**’”*

**PRAYER: “God, cause me to _____
what You’ve done for me.”**

3. TAKE TIME FOR _____.

Matthew 26:6-12 (NLT) “Meanwhile, Jesus was in Bethany at the home of Simon, a man who had leprosy. ⁷ During supper, a woman came in with a beautiful jar of expensive perfume and poured it over His head. ⁸ The disciples were indignant when they saw this. ‘What a waste of money,’ they said. ⁹ ‘She could have sold it for a fortune and given the money to the poor.’ ¹⁰ But Jesus replied, “**Why berate her for doing such a good thing to me?**” ¹¹ You will always have the poor among you, but I will not be here with you much longer. ¹² **She has poured this perfume on Me to prepare My body for burial.**”

PRAYER: “God, show me what’s _____
to You.”

4. TAKE TIME FOR _____.

Luke 22:39-41 (NCV) “Jesus left the city and went to the Mount of Olives, as He often did, and His followers went with Him. ⁴⁰ When He reached the place, He said to them, ‘**Pray for strength against temptation.**’” ⁴¹ Then Jesus went about a stone’s throw away from them. **He kneeled down and prayed...**”

PRAYER: “God, help me keep _____
with You all day.”

5. TAKE TIME FOR _____.

Luke 22:49-51 (TLB) “When the other disciples saw what was about to happen, they exclaimed, ‘Master, **shall we fight? We brought along the swords!**’” ⁵⁰ And **one of them slashed at the high priest’s servant and cut off his right ear.** ⁵¹ But Jesus said, ‘**Don’t resist anymore.**’ And **He touched the place where the man’s ear had been and restored it.**”

PRAYER: “God give me the _____
to love the unlovely.”