

Here is Our King!

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"What Kind of King?"

Matthew 12:15 - 37

Background 12: 15 - 16

The crowds following Jesus were looking for a messiah-king who would:

- Liberate them from _____.
- Become their king and restore the _____.
- Lead the army of Israel to _____.

In addition, the Pharisees were looking for a messiah who would:

- Live according to their strict interpretation of _____.
- Preserve their position of _____.

At this time Jesus was very popular with _____, but the Pharisees _____.

Another kind of Messiah 12: 17 -21

Jesus fulfilled the prophecy of Isaiah 41:1-4 as a messiah who would:

- Have the _____.
- Bring _____.
- Show _____.
- Give hope to _____.

Another kind of Power 12: 22 – 29

- The people thought Jesus had power because he was the _____; but the Pharisees thought his

power came from _____.

- Jesus crushes their accusation by showing that they don't understand the _____, and turns their own words as _____ back on themselves.
- By casting out a demon Jesus showed that the _____ had come, and his battle was not with Rome, but with _____.

Another kind of Kingdom 12: 30 -37

- Everyone is already part of _____.
- There are eternal consequences for _____ against God and his kingdom.
- The words a person speaks will show whether there is _____ in their heart.

On the Day of Judgment, everyone will be judged according to _____.

August Memory Verse: Ephesians 1:6 (NLT) So we praise God for the wonderful kindness he has poured out on us because we belong to his dearly loved Son.