

A DIFFERENT KIND OF KING

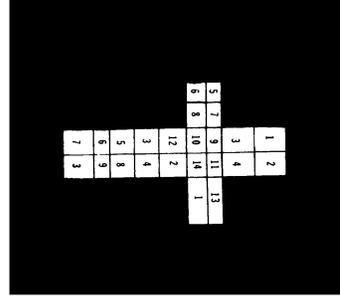
(Jerusalem) — Many people hoped that Jesus would be their new king. When they gave him a parade into the city and waved palm branches they thought he might go to Herod's palace and sit down on the king's throne.

Instead, Jesus turned out to be a different kind of king. He became a king who suffers with the people in his kingdom. The people had never heard of a king doing that before.

Jesus proved he was a suffering king when he died on the cross. Many people didn't realize that Jesus was really the king over death and evil. But one of the criminals who died next to Jesus knew it. He knew Jesus was going to heaven to rule over everybody. He asked Jesus to remember him when he got to heaven. Jesus told the criminal God would not forget him. It was a promise from a king.

Luke 23:33-43

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Hidden Message:
JESUS WAS AN UNUSUAL KING.

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Hidden Picture. When Jesus came to Jerusalem as a king, he didn't end up on a throne, but on something else instead. To see what it was, use your pencil or crayon to color or shade the parts of the puzzle below which have letters. Do not color or shade the spaces with numbers.

a	c	d	p	h	m	p	a	c	d	e	g	t
b	e	f	r	q	n	s	b	h	j	k	m	n
z	a	g	h	m	t	r	u	t	s	r	q	a
c	b	y	x	n	k	1	2	b	c	d	e	f
g	d	e	w	u	j	3	4	h	j	k	m	n
p	q	r	s	5	7	9	11	13	y	z	w	u
t	u	v	w	6	8	10	14	1	a	b	c	d
e	f	g	h	j	k	12	2	m	n	p	q	r
s	t	u	v	w	x	3	4	y	z	a	b	c
d	e	f	g	h	j	5	8	k	m	n	p	q
r	s	t	u	v	w	6	9	x	y	z	a	b
c	d	e	f	g	h	7	3	j	k	m	n	p
q	r	s	a	g	h	10	4	k	m	n	o	p
t	w	z	b	q	r	11	5	a	b	c	d	e
u	x	c	e	s	u	w	z	f	g	h	i	k
v	y	d	f	t	v	x	y	m	n	p	q	s

Hidden Message. Use the code below to spell a message about the kind of king Jesus was. Use the numbered letters to match the numbered spaces.

Code:

6 4 10 5 9 1 11 8 3 2 7
 K S G W E L A I J U N

3 9 4 2 4 5 11 4 11 7
 2 7 2 4 2 11 1 6 8 7 10

Make a Square. Play this fun game with a friend. Each of you takes turns connecting two lines together. When your line completes a square, you win that square. When you win a square, either write your initial in it or color it your color. Then you get another turn! The one with the most squares wins!

