

## **“Last Words of Christ: The Disciples and the Donkey”**

### **Palm Sunday**

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**What** One of the disciples struggles with the assignment they’ve been given by Jesus—to get a donkey. The other reminds him of the miracles Jesus has performed, and ultimately convinces his fellow disciple that they can trust Jesus, even if they don’t understand why He’s asking them to do this.

**Themes:** Palm Sunday, Easter, Miracles, Triumphal Entry, Trust, Belief

**Who** Disciple 1  
Disciple 2

**When** Bible times with a modern twist

**Wear  
(Props)** Casual clothes

**Why** Matthew 21:1-11

**How** Keep the dialogue conversational and the pacing energetic. It might be fun to perform this in an aisle as you move towards the stage.

The Title Card can be displayed on your screen before the monologue begins.

For more ideas on how to perform this script, watch “Last Words of Christ: The Adulteress” at [SkitGuys.com](http://SkitGuys.com).

**Time** Approximately 3 minutes

**TITLE CARD:**

"Then Jesus, calling out with a loud voice, said, 'Father, into your hands I commit my spirit!'" Luke 23:46

*Disciple 1 and Disciple 2 hurry on their way, in a real rush to get something, stirred up in conversation.*

**Disciple 2:** Look, this is a no brainer. We do exactly what he said. Go into town, find the donkey and her colt and we take—

**Disciple 1:** *(grabs Disciple 2's arm)* I just don't understand why Jesus asked us to commit a crime. We're supposed to steal a donkey.

**Disciple 2:** What? No! Not steal. Borrow.

**Disciple 1:** Just casually stroll up, untie the donkey and—

**Disciple 2:** —say exactly what he told us to say—

**Disciple 1:** —that the Lord has need of it and will—

**Disciple 2:** —send it back shortly.

**Disciple 1:** What does that even mean? The Lord has need of it.

**Disciple 2:** It's self-explanatory. Why are you being so...so...

**Disciple 1:** So, me? We all know I'm the rule follower of the bunch. Why didn't he send Peter?

**Disciple 2:** *(under his breath)* I'm asking myself the same question.

**Disciple 1:** *(ranting on)* This is right up Peter's alley. Steal a donkey, cause an uprising. That's his thing. Peter's the reason they chain pens at the bank.

*Disciple 2 just looks at him. There are no words.*

**Disciple 1:** I DON'T WANNA GO TO JAIL! You know how I feel about one-ply toilet paper.

**Disciple 2:** Would you lower your voice?! Jesus said we'll return it. What could go wrong here?

**Disciple 1:** What could go wrong? A cracked rib. A busted lip. The kind of name calling that takes you into therapy down the road.

**Disciple 2:** *(losing it)* Stop freaking out! Just stop it! Stop it! Stop talking! Stop whining! Stop all of it!

**Disciple 1:** I mean...not judging here but there seems to be a log in your eye.

*Disciple 2 grabs Disciple 1 by the collar and shakes him.*

**Disciple 2:** You have trust issues! Serious trust issues!

**Disciple 1:** Do you know how many germs are in a jail cell???

**Disciple 2:** *(still high strung)* Look! I don't know why he wants the donkey. I also don't know why everyone is gathering branches and lining the streets. It just seems like an important moment, like something big is about to happen!

**Disciple 1:** Wait a minute.

*They stop.*

**Disciple 2:** *(excited)* Right? See...?

**Disciple 1:** What do you mean, I have trust issues?

**Disciple 2:** Fine. Sure. We'll focus on you. Here it is. We've seen Jesus heal a blind man. Cure leprosy. Raise people from the dead. The dead. I can't even raise you from a nap. Don't you think you can trust him to work out the donkey situation?

**Disciple 1:** *(he's slowly getting it)* You know...I see the way Jesus trusts the Father. *(points up)* He trusts Him more than I trust the ground I'm standing on. *(emotional beat)* To have that kind of trust...hard to imagine.

**Disciple 2:** But if you're going to trust anyone, He's the one, right?

*Disciple 1 smiles and nods. He's come around.*

**Disciple 1:** Let's do this. I'm ready. We got this. *(beat)* You go first.

**Disciple 2:** *(patting him on the back)* Baby steps.

*They walk a little bit.*

**Disciple 1:** Hey, when we get there and we grab said donkey, maybe I could leave a Benjamin—

**Disciple 2:** No.

Disciple 1: A 20 spot?

Disciple 2: No.

Disciple 1: A thank you card.

Disciple 2: Stop it. *(walks off)*

Disciple 1: *(it hurts, but...)* Alright, I'll trust Him!

*They exit. Lights out.*

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