

For Easter Day

Is it really only a week since we cheered? Oh how we cheered. We waved and shouted, ran ahead, smiling, laughing, cheering. THIS was our moment! The Romans couldn't touch us. Couldn't identify us. The Pharisees and the chief priests couldn't identify us either. There were so many of us. And we CHEERED! Hosanna! Blessed is he! Blessed is the coming kingdom! Hosanna to the Son of David! We cheered.

But it all went wrong. How did it go so wrong so quickly? We really thought HE WAS THE ONE. They turned against him of course. Made us afraid, doubting. Sent us into hiding. I can't believe it really. Passover joy? I don't think so. Not ever again. Yet.....Some still say HE IS NOT GONE! Can it be? It's not just the women either. Some steady followers are also saying it. HE IS ALIVE, It's not possible of course. But why would they say that? It fits with the things HE said. We believed the other things He said because we saw what He did. This fits with the other things He said. It does! It really does!

Is it really only a week? Cheers, jeers, tears. That's gone now. It IS time for cheering. HE IS WITH US, IT IS TRUE! Hosanna! Let's cheer and shout and sing praises. Hosanna.

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