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ZACCHAEUS WAS HUNGRY

¹ Jesus entered Jericho and was passing through. ² A man was there by the name of Zacchaeus; he was a chief tax collector and was wealthy. ³ He wanted to see who Jesus was, but because he was short, he could not see over the crowd.









⁴ So he ran ahead and climbed a sycamore tree to see him, since Jesus was coming that way.





JAMES 4:6

"God opposes the proud but shows favor to the humble."





LUKE 1:51-52

"He has scattered those who are proud in their inmost thoughts. He has brought down rulers from their thrones but has lifted up the humble."





<u>1 JOHN 1:8-10</u>

If we claim to be without sin, we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins...





<u>1 JOHN 1:8-10</u>

...and purify us from all unrighteousness. If we claim we have not sinned, we make Him out to be a liar and His word is not in us.







ZACCHAEUS WAS HOSPITABLE

⁵ When Jesus reached the spot, he looked up and said to him, "Zacchaeus, come down immediately. I must stay at your house today."
⁶ So he came down at once and welcomed him gladly.





REVELATION 3:20

Here I am! I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears my voice and opens the door, I will come in and eat with him, and he with me.



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⁷ All the people saw this and began to mutter, "He has gone to be the guest of a sinner."









ZACCHAEUS WAS MADE HOLY

⁸ But Zacchaeus stood up and said to the Lord, "Look, Lord! Here and now I give half of my possessions to the poor, and if I have cheated anybody out of anything, I will pay back four times the amount."



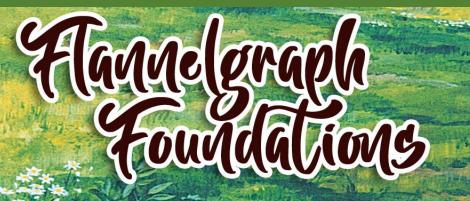


⁹ Jesus said to him, "Today salvation has come to this house, because this man, too, is a son of Abraham.





¹⁰ For the Son of Man came to seek and to save the lost.





ROMANS 3:23

for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God.



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