



Follow the **DONKEY**



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To follow I must be willing to **sacrifice**

To follow I must be **redeemed**

To follow I must **submit** to God's **authority** and not my **desires**

To follow I must seek **mercy** and not **justice**

To follow I must actually **go** on the **mission**

To follow I must show **compassion** for my **neighbor**

To follow I must **show** Jesus to the **world**



1 KINGS 13:1-25

The Man of God From Judah

1. By the word of the LORD a man of God came from Judah to Bethel, as Jeroboam was standing by the altar to make an offering.
2. He cried out against the altar by the word of the LORD: "O altar, altar! This is what the LORD says: 'A son named Josiah will be born to the house of David. On you he will sacrifice the priests of the high places who now make offerings here, and human bones will be burned on you.'"
3. That same day the man of God gave a sign: "This is the sign the LORD has declared: The altar will be split apart and the ashes on it will be poured out."



**YOU MUST CHOOSE
TO FOLLOW!**



A SAD ENDING

The prophet said to his sons, “Saddle the donkey for me,” and they did so. Then he went out and found the body lying on the road, with the donkey and the lion standing beside it. The lion had neither eaten the body nor mauled the donkey. So, the prophet picked up the body of the man of God, laid it on the donkey, and brought it back to his own city to mourn for him and bury him. Then he laid the body in his own tomb, and they mourned over him and said, “Alas, my brother!”

Kings 13:27-30



FOLLOW THE DONKEY

You have received a message worth sharing

You know God's power demonstrated by God through the “Easter story” (*Matthew 28:5-7*)

You have heard the lie (*Matthew 28:11-15*)

You must choose what is next in your story





Who will You
FOLLOW?

Will You Follow the Messiah?