

# Matthew 21:2

Authorized King James Version (KJV)

Saying unto them, Go into the village over against you, and straightway ye shall find an ass tied, and a colt with her: loose them, and bring them unto me.

## Analysis

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Reformed theology emphasizes the divine initiative evident in this text. The verse connects to broader biblical themes of covenant, redemption, and God's unchanging character. Understanding this passage requires recognizing both its historical context and its application to Christian life.

## Historical Context

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First-century Palestine was marked by religious fervor and political tension. The passage reflects interactions between Jesus and various groups: Pharisees, Sadducees, disciples, and crowds. Each audience received teaching tailored to their needs and spiritual condition.

## Related Passages

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**Romans 10:9** — Confession and belief for salvation

**Ephesians 2:8** — Salvation by grace through faith

**Matthew 25:31** — Final judgment

**Romans 2:1** — Judging others

## Study Questions

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1. How does this verse deepen your appreciation for Christ?
2. What false beliefs or practices does this text correct?
3. How should you share this truth with others?

## Interlinear Text

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λέγων	αὐτῆς·	Πορεύθητε	εἰς	τὴν	κώμην	τὴν	ἀπέναντι
<b>Saying</b>	<b>her</b>	<b>Go</b>	<b>into</b>	G3588	<b>the village</b>	G3588	<b>over against</b>
G3004	G846	G4198	G1519		G2968		G561
ὕμῶν	καὶ	εὐθέως	εὕρήσετε	ὄνον	δεδεμένην	καὶ	πῶλον
<b>you</b>	<b>and</b>	<b>straightway</b>	<b>ye shall find</b>	<b>an ass</b>	<b>tied</b>	<b>and</b>	<b>a colt</b>
G5216	G2532	G2112	G2147	G3688	G1210	G2532	G4454
μετ'	αὐτῆς·	λύσαντες	ἀγάγετέ	μοι			
<b>with</b>	<b>her</b>	<b>loose</b>	<b>them and bring</b>	<b>them unto me</b>			
G3326	G846	G3089	G71	G3427			

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