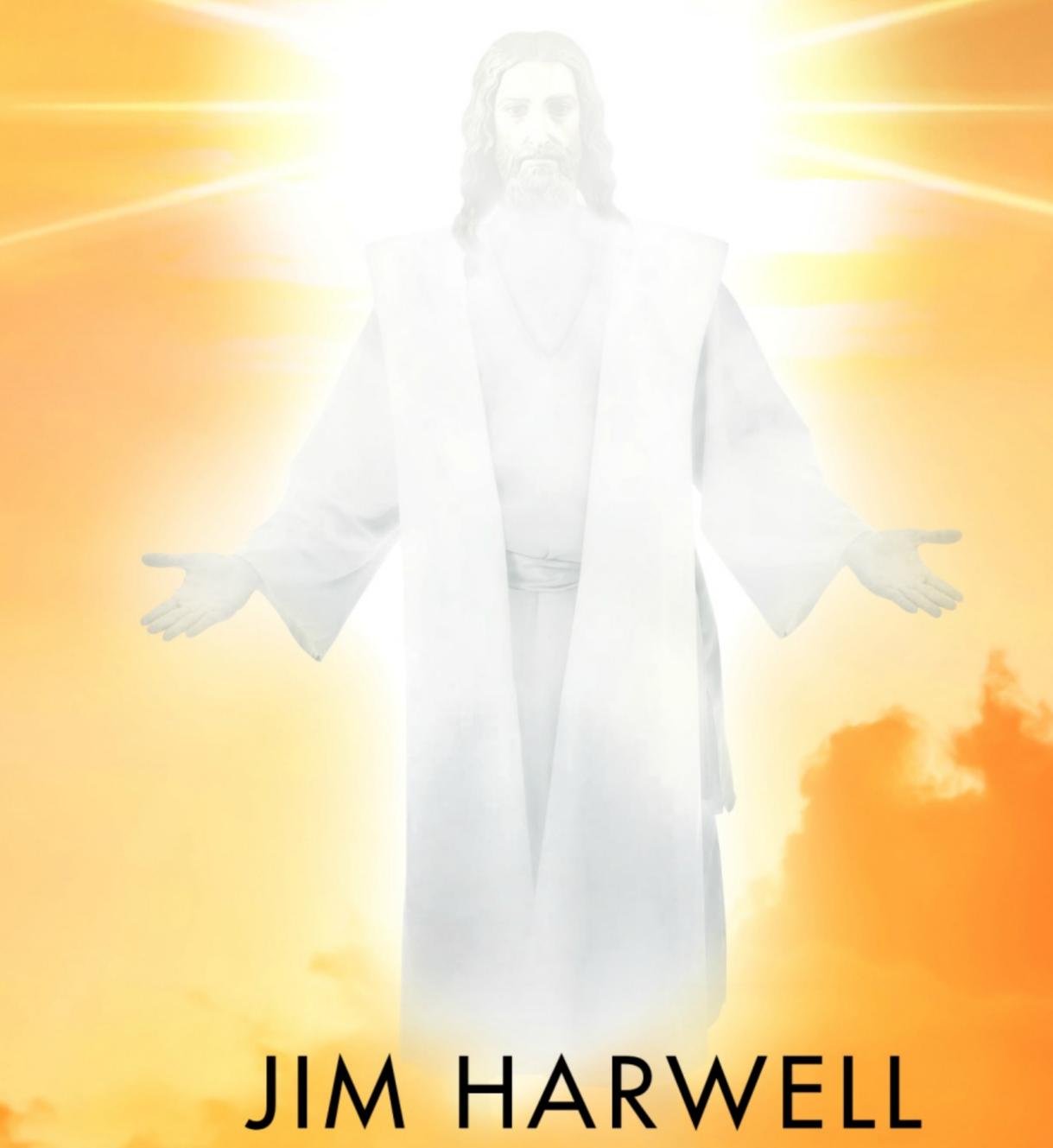
# JESUS CHRIST, GOD ALMIGHTY



# GOD CAME TO EARTH AS A MAN AND JUSTIFIED HIMSELF TO THE WORLD

The truth that Jesus is God is one of the most important revelations in the universe. Jesus Christ is both God and the Son of God – and much, much more.

God came to earth as a man and justified Himself to the world. Jesus Christ, God Almighty reveals the mystery and reality of the glorious revelation that Jesus Christ the Son of God is also Lord and God.

Jesus the Savior fulfilled more than 360 Old Testament prophecies, outlined in this booklet. For eternity, mankind will be in awe of God Almighty, who loves the world so much He sent His only Son to earth to die and save mankind – and exalted Him to the highest place. The Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit are all one.

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John 8:54-58

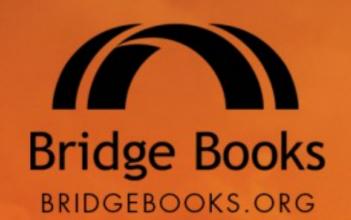
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John 12:45

Jesus said: "'He who has seen Me has seen the Father'"

John 14:9

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#### Introduction

Jesus Christ is God. Amen.

Jesus Christ is both God and . . . the Son of God.

This truth is one of the most significant and important revelations in the universe.

This truth is central to God Almighty's plan for humanity. It is more than central; it is center, source, and substance of God Almighty Himself.

He is the Creator and Sustainer of the Heavens and the Earth, the One True God, the Great and Awesome Lord God Almighty . . .

And His name is . . . Jesus Christ.

God came to earth as a man, and justified Himself to the world.

Amen!

For man, this truth is so important, vital, and central; it is so deep, profound, and vast; that those who make it to heaven will spend eternity in holy awe of this glorious revelation and the unsearchable, eternal revelations within it, related to it, and connected to it.

Those who make it to heaven will spend eternity in holy awe of Him . . . the Lord God Almighty . . . the Great and Awesome God . . . Yahweh . . . Jehovah Elohim . . . and His Son Jesus Christ, the Lord, Savior, and God. Amen.

Yes, Jesus Christ is also the Son of God – and much more!

The truth that He is both God and the Son of God is a mystery and a reality.

The truth that the Father God Almighty and His Son Jesus Christ are separate and yet one is a mystery and reality.

#### ONE

#### Jesus Christ is God

#### Jesus Reveals Himself

Jesus said: "He Who Has Seen Me Has Seen the Father" (John 14:9)

As with everything He does, Jesus spoke about His Deity perfectly.

Below are four (4) of the portions of scripture in which Jesus Himself reveals that He is indeed God Almighty:

"For the Father judges no one, but has committed all judgment to the Son, that all should honor the Son just as they honor the Father. He who does not honor the Son does not honor the Father who sent Him" (John 5:22-23).

"Jesus said to them, 'Most assuredly, I say to

you, before Abraham was, I AM" (John 8:54-58).

"He who believes in Me, believes not in Me but in Him who sent Me. And he who sees Me sees Him who sent Me" (John 12:44-45).

"If you had known Me, you would have known My Father also; and from now on you know Him and have seen Him."

"Philip said to Him, 'Lord, show us the Father, and it is sufficient for us.'

"Jesus said to him, 'Have I been with you so long, and yet you have not known Me, Philip? He who has seen Me has seen the Father; so how can you say, 'Show us the Father'? Do you not believe that I am in the Father, and the Father in Me? The words that I speak to you I do not speak on My own authority; but the Father who dwells in Me does the works. Believe Me that I am in the Father and the Father in Me, or else believe Me for the sake of the works themselves" (John 14:7-11)

#### Redemption - Jesus Christ

Humans will never be able to comprehend or fathom how significant, important, and deep this specific truth is: that Jesus Christ is God.

This truth is perhaps the central and primary message of the Bible and of God's relationship with mankind.

If the Bible is summed up in one word oth-

er than one of the many glorious names of our great and awesome God, it is: redemption.

If redemption is summed up in one word, it is: Jesus.

If redemption is summed up in two words, it is: Jesus Christ.

#### **TWO**

#### A Mystery and a Reality

The truth that Jesus is God is both a mystery and a reality. How is it both?

A mystery is something that cannot be explained or understood.

A reality is something that can be explained and understood – and even experienced.

These two words have opposite meanings.

How can this specific truth, or any truth, be both?

Everything related to God is both a mystery and a reality; both unexplainable and explainable; both profound and simple.

Everything with God is "both and," not "either or."

He is so big, so powerful, so awesome . . . that every aspect of Him is all-encompassing and all-consuming.

So, someone might ask, "Is this truth (that Jesus Christ is God) a mystery or a reality?"

The answer is, "Both."

In the same way, someone may ask, "Is Jesus Christ the Son of God or God?"

He is both!! Amen!!

#### The Kingdom

When God came to earth as a man, the subject He taught and preached about the most was "the kingdom." He called it the "kingdom of God" and the "kingdom of heaven."

What is the kingdom?

The kingdom is the presence of God – the presence of Jesus.

The kingdom is Him.

It is very simple. His kingdom is Him and what He does.

He is eternal, and everything He does is eternal.

Anything outside of Him is only temporary and has no real meaning. It will pass away.

He is life. Life is only found in Him (see John 6:35-58; also John 15:5).

Apart from Him is only death.

Apart from Him, a human being can do nothing. Jesus said, "Apart from Me you can do nothing" (John 15:5).

He is existence. The universe exists in Him.

Outside of Him, nothing truly exists.

Anything – anything – other than Him and His

work is not part of His kingdom. For example, man may do "work" for God, but if it is man doing it in his or her flesh, it does not "count." It is not eternal; it is earthly and temporary.

There are many "explanations" of what "the kingdom" is, such as: God's government, God's work on the earth, and so forth.

In reality, it is very simple – like everything related to God Almighty. The kingdom is God Himself – His glorious presence.

#### Jesus Speaks of "Mysteries" of the Kingdom

Jesus said that the kingdom has mysteries.

Already we see a mystery – in fact, many! – from the section above this one. In Psalms, David writes: "What is man that You are mindful of [remember, take thought of] him, and the son of man that You visit him?" (Psalm 8:3-4).

It is a mystery that though God Almighty made the universe and everything in it . . . that the universe exists in Him . . . and everything outside of Him is meaningless . . . that He alone is life . . . that He is so big, so powerful, and so awesome, that we cannot comprehend it . . . that He is holy . . . yet He still remembers and thinks of us, and even visits us!

More than just thinking of us, He knows everything about us (Matthew 10:30), loves us with an everlasting love (Jeremiah 31:3), and even sent His Son to die for us! Amen!

Wow! Glory to God! These are all mysteries.

Jesus called them the "mysteries of the kingdom" (Matthew 13:11). In some translations, the word for mysteries is "secrets." Also, some translations say "knowledge of the mysteries of the kingdom."

The kingdom is God's presence – the presence of Jesus Christ . . . His presence, His glory, His Person.

Jesus spoke about the "mysteries of the kingdom" at a very important time.

He had been teaching the people using parables, or stories. His disciples asked Him why He spoke in parables. In Mark 4:10, we read that "those around Him with [the disciples]" asked him. Jesus answered: "'Because it has been given to you to know the mysteries of the kingdom of heaven, but to them it has not been given" (Matthew 13:11).

#### God Gave the Disciples Knowledge of the Mysteries

If we look deeper at this statement, we see that God **gave** the disciples this "knowledge of the mysteries."

Jesus said: "To you it has been **given** . . . "

God is a giving God! Amen! John 3:16: "'For God so loved the world that He **gave** His only begotten Son . . ."

However, those who were not disciples – "them," or the general public – were not given this knowledge of the mysteries and secrets.

Also, the disciples were given "knowledge of the mysteries." It is not revealed to us how much of the knowledge they were given. Perhaps . . . it was up to the disciples how much they got and received . . .

As it is for us today . . . It is up to us what we receive from God. God offers and gives . . . man has to get and receive . . .

God gives . . . He does not make us receive from Him. That is pure common sense.

God leads . . . He does not push.

God made man into His own image. Man has a free will, just like God has. God cannot make anyone do anything. God cannot make anyone follow Him or receive from Him.

#### A Very Clear Example of a Mystery

A very clear example of a mystery of God is when Jesus spoke about being born of the spirit. He was teaching about being born again (also a mystery! In John 3) and born of the Spirit.

He compared someone who is born of the Spirit to the wind, which we can hear but cannot see. We cannot tell where the wind comes from or where it is going.

In other words, the blowing of the wind is a reality – you know it is there, you can hear it and feel it – and also a mystery, because you cannot tell where it comes from or where it is going.

He said: "'Most assuredly, I say to you, unless

one is born of water and the Spirit, he cannot enter the kingdom of God. That which is born of the flesh is flesh, and that which is born of the Spirit is spirit. Do not marvel that I said to you, 'You must be born again.' The wind blows where it wishes, and you hear the sound of it, but cannot tell where it comes from and where it goes. So is everyone who is born of the Spirit."' (John 3:5-8).

The mysteries of God are both knowable and unsearchable.

#### THREE

### Secrets . . . and the Secret Place

There are secrets and secret things with God. Moses said, "The secret things belong to the LORD our God, but those things which are revealed belong to us and to our children forever, that we may do all the words of this law" (Deuteronomy 29:29).

#### The Secret Place

Even more than mysteries and secrets, God Himself dwells in the secret place. Jesus taught about this secret place when teaching about how to pray.

Jesus said: "But you, when you pray, go into your room, and when you have shut your door,

pray to your Father who is in the secret place; and your Father who sees in secret will reward you openly" (Matthew 6:6).

One of the most famous portions of scripture is Psalm 91:1: "He who dwells in the secret place of the Most High shall abide under the shadow of the Almighty."

Related to the secret place, God Hides Himself. Isaiah 45:15 says: "Truly You are God, who hide Yourself, O God of Israel, the Savior!"

#### **Mysteries**

In the divine new life with Jesus Christ, there are innumerable mysteries.

What are some more examples?

It is truly a mystery that God Himself would send and give His only Son to die for mankind. For all eternity, mankind will be in awe of this mystery.

It is a mystery – yet also a reality – that God's Son, who lived on earth as a man just like us, is . . . Lord and God . . . the Lord God Almighty. Amen!

It is a mystery that when God's Son came to earth as a man – when God Himself came to earth – He was opposed, rejected, ridiculed, mocked, beaten, crucified, and killed. The One who created the universe, the earth, and the human race was crucified.

It is a mystery that, in the beginning – in the dateless, eternal past – God knew and predict-

ed that the Messiah, the Chosen One, would be slain and killed (see Revelation 13:8).

His understanding is unsearchable.

It is unsearchable that God placed more than 360 prophecies and foreshadowings of the Messiah, the Christ, the Bible. See pages 71-97 for the list.

It is a mystery – yet also a reality – that a human can go from death to life, from being lost to being saved, through Jesus and His sacrifice and blood. Glory to God!

It is a mystery that we tiny little humans have the opportunity to know God, to walk with Him, to become His child!

It is truly a mystery that God would allow us to become what Jesus is . . . and to be such a vital and necessary part of His plan for humanity. Only humans can preach the gospel. Only humans can be vessels to allow the Lord Jesus do God's work. We humans may make mistakes and falter along the way, yet God in His mercy and grace continues to work with us – and allow us to be His children!

#### The Kingdom

It is a mystery that we are able to fellowship with Him!

Remember, the kingdom – the presence of God, who we can fellowship with – is the subject and topic Jesus taught and preached about the most.

Just check any good concordance, and "kingdom" is cited the most.

What is second? Faith.

If He taught and preached about the kingdom the most, IT IS IMPORTANT!

Indeed, His presence is everything and the only thing.

His glorious presence is another mystery.

It is a mystery that we can: know Him; walk with Him; experience Him; live in Him and He in us; and . . . fellowship with Him . . . Amen! . . . glory to God!

All of these glorious, unspeakable opportunities are made possible by Jesus through the Holy Spirit.

#### The Answer

This fellowship with God is the answer . . . the secret . . . what every person on earth was born to do . . . Yes, this fellowship is the secret.

His presence is the answer to the longing every person has for fulfillment, meaning, purpose and much more.

The true and complete answer is this glorious fellowship with Jesus Christ through His Spirit . . . the Spirit of Jesus Christ . . . fellowship with the Father, through Jesus Christ, through the Spirit. They are one and the same.

#### Jesus . . . and Jesus' Presence

There is a big difference between knowing about Jesus Christ and having a relationship with and spending time with Jesus Christ.

There is a big difference between believing that Jesus Christ is Lord . . . and having a personal relationship with Him; making Him Lord of your life.

It is a difference between believing in Him and relying on Him.

The devil and demons know all about Jesus Christ. They will spend eternity in hell.

Jesus half-brother James wrote about this difference in the Book of James. He wrote: "You believe that there is one God. You do well. Even the demons believe – and tremble!" (John 2:19)

A natural analogy would be two humans on earth. It is a big difference between knowing about another person and actually spending time with them in person, in their presence, and developing a relationship with them.

It is the same with God Almighty.

Jesus invites every person to actually fellowship with Himself.

His statements, teachings, stories, and more in the Gospels emphasized the unspeakable, glorious Presence of God Almighty available to every person.

He also speaks about it in Revelation:

Jesus said: "Look, I stand at the door [of your heart] and knock. If anyone hears My voice and

opens the door, I will come in to him and fellowship with him, and he with Me'' (Revelation 3:20).

#### What is Jesus like?

Someone may ask, what is Jesus like? What is the Holy Spirit like?

He is the most wonderful, most beautiful person in the universe.

This opportunity to fellowship with God is the secret . . . the truly incredible, unspeakable, and unsearchable mystery . . . and reality!

#### **FOUR**

#### **Realities**

While it is true that God's truths are mysteries, they are also realities.

Reality? What do you mean?

We can experience Jesus and this new, divine life every day and even every moment.

We can experience God Almighty all the time, in the practical matters of life, in the spiritual matters (of course!), in the daily ups and downs of living, and in, well, everything.

It is a new, glorious, eternal life. And while it is a mystery, it is also very practical, real, sensible, and commonsensical.

He wants to walk with us. We just have to humble ourselves and do things His way.

What is His way? It is right there in the Gospels and the rest of the New Testament. It is there in the Old Testament.

And it is common sense.

God has revealed Himself and His eternal power and Godhead in the natural world that we all rely on for our survival (see Romans 1:20).

Also, God has put eternity in every man's heart (see Ecclesiastes 3:11).

#### Profound . . . and Simple

God's truths and revelations are a wonder – they are profound, deep, and complex.

Yet, they are simple.

Let's look at salvation as an example.

On one hand, salvation is a mystery. It is spiritual and happens in the spirit realm. If a person is a follower of Jesus, salvation happens when they receive Jesus as personal Lord and Savior. And it also happens over the course of their lifetime. alvation is both instant and lasts an entire lifetime and eternity! Amen!

Man will spend eternity learning about the wonder of salvation: that God would send His Son to earth to die and save us. Glory!

Yet, salvation is simple, basic, and sensible.

We as humans know in our heart that there is a God and that there has to be more than just this earthly life. God has put eternity into every man's heart (Ecclesiastes 3:11).

When we look at the earth, the skies, the stars, the sun and moon, the seasons, and the unexplainable natural world (example: sowing and reaping crops for food; the abundance of wa-

ter on the earth to allow humans to survive); when we realize there are 7.4 billion people on the earth; and other unexplainable facets of the world; it is plain common sense that there must be a Higher Power beyond us; and that we ourselves are tiny little beings in need of this Higher Power.

Salvation is as simple as: 1.) humbling yourself before this God – which is normal and natural; 2.) honestly seeking the truth and the one true God; and 3.) genuinely asking God into your heart.

#### Every person can know and walk with God

It is fascinating that God – the God who made the universe and the human race, the God who is so awesome and holy we cannot comprehend it – has made Himself available to every person.

First, He came to earth as one of us.

Moreover, He suffered and died for the world, so that the world could be saved.

After He ascended to heaven and sent His Holy Spirit, He is available to every person, no matter who they are. It is a mystery and wonder beyond human comprehension.

In fact, He has made it so simple and easy, a person does not even have to actually hear the gospel or have a Bible to walk with Him.

Many people in the world (both now and in the past) do not and did not have a Bible.

It is estimated that today, approximately one

billion people in the world either do not have a Bible and/or do not know how to read.

They can just as easily find the one true God as those who do have a Bible and can read.

In fact, the poor, broken, and needy – the "have-nots" – have a much better chance of finding God than those who are "whole, complete, and educated" – the "haves." This fact is actually one of the main themes of the entire New Testament. Paul writes:

"But God has chosen the foolish things of the world to put to shame the wise, and God has chosen the weak things of the world to put to shame the things which are mighty; and the base things of the world and the things which are despised God has chosen, and the things which are not, to bring to nothing the things that are, that no flesh should glory in His presence" (1 Corinthians 1:27-29).

#### Jesus Will Not Cast a Person Out

Moreover, Jesus will accept anyone who genuinely comes to Him.

Jesus will not cast a person out.

Jesus said: "'All that the Father gives Me will come to Me, and the one who comes to Me I will by no means cast out" (John 6:37). The ESV version says, "... I will never cast out."

A person can choose to come to Jesus.

A person can refuse to come to Jesus.

A person can choose to leave Jesus.

But Jesus will never cast someone out.

#### It is Simple

When a person receives Jesus as Lord and Savior, that person does not understand it fully. But God Almighty through the Holy Spirit will lead that person step by step, day by day in the wonderful new life in Jesus. He will lead them into the unsearchable riches of Christ.

Man must walk with Him according to His rules, commandments, truths, laws, and more. For example, man must walk by faith. For a full explanation of this, see the book Faith is Easy.

On the simple side, man can in some ways grasp this truth through his mind. But to really comprehend it, man must receive it in his or her spirit.

God is a Spirit, and man must experience Him and worship Him in Spirit and in truth (John 4:24).

#### Jesus Christ is Lord and God

A truth God wants to reveal through His Spirit is that Jesus Christ is Lord and God.

This truth may be the secret key to . . . well, everything.

Why? For many reasons, of course!

A vital one is this: redemption! Because of this truth, mankind can be saved! Amen!

God became one of us and redeemed us.

He came to earth and died in our place.

He died so that we may have eternal life.

Jesus became what we are, so that we could become what He is

Because of Jesus' sacrifice, we can become what He is! This is an INCREDIBLE truth – far, far beyond anything we can comprehend.

We can now become a child of God, a son or a daughter of God!

We can receive eternal life and live FOREVER! We can live forever in glory in heaven! And so, so much more!

Jesus Christ's promises are innumerable and unsearchable.

You know what Jesus' final promise to mankind is? "'To him who overcomes I will grant to sit with Me on My throne, as I also overcame and sat down with My Father on His throne" (Revelation 3:21).

#### Jesus Christ: both man and God

It is so incredible and unsearchable that God became a man.

Wait: is Jesus God or man? He is both!

#### A Big Difference

There is a big difference between a man coming to earth to save mankind – and God Himself coming to earth to save mankind.

If a man tried to save mankind, then mankind

would only have the opportunity to be a man.

But Jesus Christ is Lord and God, the Lord God Almighty.

God came to earth as a man, so that we, His people and children, could become what He is. This is a glorious, holy, awesome, unspeakable, inexpressible truth and revelation.

We can try to put this truth into words. We can try to explain it and understand it fully. But again, it is a mystery – a divine, holy, sacred mystery.

Thank you Jesus! Glory to God!

#### **FIVE**

#### **Jesus Christ Crucified**

The sacrifice of Jesus is the reason we can be saved.

His sacrifice is the reason we can receive eternal life and all the incredible things God offers.

All because of Jesus.

The sacrifice we refer to is of course His sacrifice on the cross. For all eternity, we will be in awe of Jesus' incredible, unspeakable, matchless sacrifice of dying for the world.

He has sacrificed and continues to sacrifice in many, indeed unlimited, ways throughout mankind's history.

Just one example is that He left heaven and came to earth as a man.

#### His Death and Crucifixion

[The following is a short summary of Jesus Christ's death and crucifixion.]

God gave His only begotten Son and sent Him to the earth to save and redeem mankind.

God came to earth as a man and justified Himself to the world.

Yet, He was hated, betrayed, condemned, and rejected.

He was beaten, scourged, whipped, and flogged to the point of death.

A crown of thorns was placed on His head.

His head was beaten with a heavy wooden stick.

He was brutally whipped 39 times. The instrument had leather thongs with metal hooks, broken glass, and pottery shards, designed to tear the flesh to the bone.

He was mocked, ridiculed, spit upon, and slapped on the face.

He was reviled and blasphemed.

He was insulted and taunted.

They drove nails through his hands and feet.

He was crucified on a cross for six hours, one of the most brutal forms of execution.

He was killed.

He was executed.

Jesus Christ is the Lamb who was slain from the foundation of the world.

Whosoever relies on Him shall not perish but

have everlasting life.

Receive Jesus Christ as your Lord and Savior. He is the only way to life and heaven.

#### References:

God gave His only begotten Son and sent Him to the earth to save and redeem mankind (John 3:16-17, John 17:4).

God came to earth as a man and justified Himself to the world (the Gospels, the Bible).

Yet, He was hated (John 15:18), betrayed, condemned (Mark 10:33), and rejected (Isaiah 53:3,5,7-9, Matthew 21:42, Luke 17:25, John 1:11).

He was beaten, scourged, whipped, and flogged to the point of death (beaten again and again: Mark 15:19; Mark 10:33; John 19:1).

A crown of thorns was placed on His head (Matthew 27:29).

His head was beaten with a heavy wooden stick (Mark 15:19).

He was brutally whipped 39 times. The instrument had leather thongs with metal hooks, broken glass, and pottery shards, designed to tear the flesh to the bone (John 19:1).

He was mocked, ridiculed, spit upon, and slapped on the face (Matthew 27:27-31, Mark 10:34, Mark 15:20, Luke 22:63)

He was reviled (Matthew 27:44) and blasphemed (Matthew 27:39). Revile means criticize in an abusive or angrily insulting manner. Blaspheme means to speak irreverently about God or sacred things.

He was insulted and taunted (Matthew 27:39). They drove nails through his hands and feet

He was crucified on a cross for six hours, one of the most brutal forms of execution (Mark 15:25,33-37).

He was killed. He was executed (Mark 15:25,33-37).

Jesus Christ is the Lamb who was slain from the foundation of the world (Revelation 13:8).

Whosoever relies on Him shall not perish but have everlasting life (John 3:16).

Receive Jesus Christ as your Lord and Savior. He is the only way to life and heaven (John 14:6).

John 3:16-17, the Gospels, John 17:4, Isaiah 53:3,5,7-9, John 15:18, Mark 10:33, Matthew 21:42, Luke 17:25, John 1:11, Mark 15:19, Mark 10:33, John 19:1, Mark 10:34

John 19:3, Matthew 27:44, Matthew 27:39, John 20:25, Luke 24:39, Matthew 27:32-56, Mark 14:53-65, Luke 23:26-43, John 18:12-28, Mark 15:25,33-37, John 19:34, Revelation 13:8, Mark 16, Luke 24

Matthew 27:35-44, Mark 15:24-32, Luke 23:33-43, John 19:18-27

Matthew 26:17-27:61, Mark 14:12-15:47, Luke 22:7-23:56, John 13:1-19:42

And His sacrifice is also much more than that. His earthly sacrifice includes His entire earthly existence. He left heaven and the throne of God to go to earth a man. Think of it! It is beyond human comprehension. It is a mystery.

His sacrifice continues to today. Jesus Christ makes intercession for the saints.

Hebrews 7:25: "Therefore He is also able to save to the uttermost those who come to God through Him, since He always lives to make intercession for them."

#### SIX

# Three Phases of a Walk in the Spirit

Man receiving Jesus Christ as Savior is the first step and part of the salvation process.

Salvation is a lifelong and eternal process.

There are actually three main potential phases in a believer's relationship with God in the Spirit.

Jesus cited and taught about these three phases as recorded in the Book of John, Chapters 3, 4, and 7.

First, let's look at these three glorious portions of scripture.

### Three Phases of a Walk in the Spirit:

### First Phase:

"Unless one is born of water and the Spirit, he

cannot enter the kingdom of God" (John 3:5-8).

## Second phase:

"But the water that I shall give him will become in him a fountain of water springing up into everlasting life" (John 4:14).

### Third Phase:

"He who believes in Me, as the Scripture has said, out of his heart [spirit man, innermost being] will flow rivers of living water" (John 7:38).

Three Phases of a Walk in the Spirit				
1st	Born of water and the Spirit	John 3:5		
2nd	Drink living water, fountain springs up to everlasting life	John 4:14		
3rd	Rivers of living water flow from spirit man	John 7:38		

First phase: born of water and the Spirit, John 3:5-8

Second phase: drink living water, fountain springs up into everlasting life, John 4:13-14

Third phase: drink living water, rivers of living water will flow out of your innermost being, John 7:37-38

# Born Again: the Beginning of Salvation & New Life in Jesus Christ

Jesus prefaced these teachings with his fa

mous teaching and statement: "Most assuredly, I say to you, unless one is born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God" (John 3:3).

Note that Jesus said when a person is born again, he can "see the kingdom of God."

Let's rephrase it another way: "If a person is born again, he can see the kingdom of God."

Then, His next statement is: "Unless one is born of water and the Spirit, he cannot enter the kingdom of God" (John 3:5-8).

First, someone can "see" the kingdom.

Then, later, someone can "enter" the kingdom.

Therefore, it could be – again, we are dealing with a glorious, holy mystery here, which cannot be "explained" – that there are actually four phases in a walk with God through Jesus.

Four Phases of a Walk with Jesus Christ					
Beginning	Born again	John 3:3			
First phase	Born of water & Spirit	John 3:5			
Second phase	Living H2O, fountain	John 4:13			
Third phase	Rivers of water flowing	John 7:37			

Four Phases in a Walk with Jesus Christ:

Beginning: born again

First phase: born of water and the Spirit

Second phase: living water becomes fountain springing up to everlasting life

Third phase: rivers of water flowing from spirit man

The very beginning of salvation is being "born again." A person is born, spiritually. They receive God – Jesus Christ – into their life and heart. Just like a person born in the natural, this person is just starting their new life in God through Jesus.

If a person is only born again on earth – and nothing more – they essentially just remain a "baby" spiritually, in terms of their spiritual age.

Our spiritual age is our real age in the spirit, in the hidden heart of man. Our spirit man (or spirit woman) is the real us, the part of us that is eternal.

Every person will exist for eternity, either in eternal life or eternal death.

The very first phase of a walk in the Spirit is when someone is born of water (Jesus, and the word) and the Spirit.

Let's look at all three phases of a walk in the Spirit.

# First Phase of a Walk in the Spirit: Born of Water & the Spirit

Jesus said that unless someone is born of water and the Spirit, he cannot enter the kingdom of God.

Let's rephrase Jesus' statement:

"If one is born of water and the Spirit, he can/is able to enter the kingdom of God."

Jesus spoke first about being born again (John

3:3).

Now He is speaking about being "born of water and the Spirit."

And if someone is born of water and the Spirit, he is able to enter the kingdom.

He does not say they will enter the kingdom.

He does not say they are in the kingdom.

He only says that they "can."

This lines up with everything and every aspect of our walk with God through Jesus: God offers, and we respond. It is completely up to us how deep and or shallow our relationship with Him is – or if we have no relationship with Him at all.

God offers the most incredible, unspeakable offer – His very life.

This offer is so wonderful, so incredible, it is almost beyond comprehension.

It is up to us to receive Him – and to receive all the amazing, glorious things He wants to give us.

God made man into His own image and gave him a complete free will. God cannot make anyone do anything.

That is why earlier, these three phases were called "potential" phases of a walk in the Spirit. Someone can be born again and stop right there. They are saved, which is fantastic. But they are missing out on the glorious walk in the Spirit God wants everyone to have.

#### The Real Results

The only real results with God are when the Holy Spirit does the work. Anything we do in our flesh and apart from the Spirit is rejected and dead. Jesus said, "Apart from Me you can do nothing" (John 15:5).

Jesus also said that apart from Him, we are dead.

Jesus said, "'Most assuredly, I say to you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink His blood, you have no life in you" (John 6:53).

Without Him, we are dead.

Apart from Him, we can do nothing.

In Him, we have life – to the depth and level that we continue on with Him. In Him, we can bear fruit – depending on how and to what level we abide in Him.

### **Born of Water**

Jesus says, "born of water and the Spirit." What water is He referring to?

Water here refers to the living water Jesus speaks about in John 4 and 7. Water also refers to the word of God (Ephesians 5:26).

The living water is of course Jesus Himself through the Holy Spirit.

Second Phase of a Walk in the Spirit: Living Water Becoming a Fountain of Water Springing Up to Eternal Life (John 4:10-14) Let's look at Jesus' description of the second phase of a walk in the Spirit.

Jesus is at a well and is weary from a journey. It is about noon. A Samaritan woman is drawing water, and Jesus asks her for a drink. Jews at that time had no dealings with Samaritans, so it was surprising Jesus would speak to the woman.

The woman responded: "'How is it that You, being a Jew, ask a drink from me, a Samaritan woman?" Then Jesus said:

"'If you knew the gift of God, and who it is who says to you, 'Give Me a drink,' you would have asked Him, and He would have given you living water.'

"The woman said to Him, 'Sir, You have nothing to draw with, and the well is deep. Where then do You get that living water? Are You greater than our father Jacob, who gave us the well, and drank from it himself, as well as his sons and his livestock?'

"Jesus answered and said to her, 'Whoever drinks of this water will thirst again, but whoever drinks of the water that I shall give him will never thirst. But the water that I shall give him will become in him a fountain of water springing up into everlasting life" (John 4:10-14).

Amen, glory to God!

# Third Phase of a Walk in the Spirit: Rivers of Living Water Flowing from Spirit Man (Innermost Being) (John 7:37-38)

Jesus revealed the third phase of a walk in the Spirit at the third Jewish Feast, the Feast of Tabernacles.

In John 7, we read about Jesus and his brothers (family) going to the Feast of Tabernacles in Judea, near Galilee. Jesus attended and taught the people there many great things.

He had to attend in secret. Jesus knew his enemies (the Pharisees and chief priests, v. 32) were trying to capture Him to kill Him; but "His hour had not yet come" (v. 8 and 30).

Therefore, this story occurred in the third year of Jesus' ministry.

In verses 1 through 36, we read glorious truths Jesus taught and revealed to those at the Feast.

Then, on the last day of the Feast, which is the "great day of the feast," (v. 37), Jesus revealed the third phase of a walk in the Spirit:

"On the last day, that great day of the feast, Jesus stood and cried out, saying, 'If anyone thirsts, let him come to Me and drink. He who believes in Me, as the Scripture has said, out of his heart [spirit man, innermost being] will flow rivers of living water" (John 7:37-38).

Glory to God!

#### **SEVEN**

# **Three Jewish Feasts**

It is glorious and significant that Jesus revealed the third phase of a walk in the Spirit while He was at the third Jewish Feast, the Feast of Tabernacles.

There are three main Jewish Feasts every year: 1.) Unleavened Bread, 2.) Weeks, and 3.) Tabernacles.

Celebrated in modern times, they would occur in the: 1.) Early spring, 2.) Spring, and 3.) Fall.

Three Jewish Feasts in the Old Testament				
Feast	Name	Time		
Unleavened Bread	Passover	Early spring		
Weeks	Pentecost	7 weeks later		
Tabernacles	Tishrei	Fall		

#### The Feast of Tabernacles

The Feast of Tabernacles (or Booths) lasts for seven days in (according to our modern calendar) the fall – around late September to mid-October.

Jesus waited until the third Feast, until the very last day of that Feast, to reveal this truth. John describes the actual day on which Jesus spoke the truth: "the last day, that great day of the feast" (John 7:37).

The Feast of Tabernacles celebrates the Tabernacle, which was the "dwelling place of God" on earth.

The word for Tabernacle in Hebrew is "mish-kan," which comes from the root meaning "to dwell." In Greek, the word for "dwell" can be translated "to tabernacle."

Let's read a truly glorious portion of the Bible, about the new heaven and new earth, when God will dwell with men. Notice verse 3. This portion is from Revelation 21, the second to last chapter in the Bible:

"Now I saw a new heaven and a new earth, for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away. Also there was no more sea. 2 Then I, John, saw the holy city, New Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. 3 And I heard a loud voice from heaven saying, 'Behold, the tabernacle of God is with men, and He will dwell with them, and they shall be His people. God Himself will be with them and be their God. 4 And God will wipe away every tear from their eyes; there shall be no more death, nor sorrow, nor crying. There shall be no more pain, for the former things have passed away" (Revelation 21:1-4).

# Three: The Number of Perfection and Completion

The three phases of a walk in the Spirit lines up with the significance of the number three.

We all know the primary divine uses of the number three, especially that God Himself is a Trinity (the Father, the Son, and Holy Spirit), and that man is a trinity (soul, body, and spirit). There are many. Just some are:

There are three patriarchs: Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob

Today, mankind is descended from Noah's three sons: Shem, Ham, and Japheth (Genesis 6:10)

The Tabernacle and Temple were divided into three sections: the Outer Court, the Holy Place, and the Holy of Holies (Exodus 26:33, 27:9)

There are three main Jewish Feasts (outlined above)

There are three heavens:

- 1.) the skies, our atmosphere (Genesis 6:7),
- 2.) the second heaven; what we call outer space:

sun, moon, stars, etc. (Deuteronomy 4:19), and,

3.) the third heaven, God's home and throne (1 Kings 8:27, 2 Corinthians 2:12, et al).

The Lord's prayer finishes with Jesus referring to three aspects of God Almighty. Jesus said: "'For Yours is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen" (Matthew 6:13).

There are many references to three in Jesus' life:

He was tempted three times (Matthew 4:1-11) His earthly ministry was about three years (Luke 3:1, Luke 13:6-9, John)

He was resurrected on the third day (Matthew 16:21 et al);

He was crucified at the third hour (Mark 15:25);

He said, "I am the way, the truth, and the life" (John 14:6)

# Jesus said: "I am the way, the truth, and the life"

Jesus said: "I am the way, the truth, and the life. No man comes to the Father except through Me" (John 14:6).

The three phases of a walk in the Spirit take on even deeper meaning when we understand the truths related to it.

In the Tabernacle, the three entry ways to the three sections were called "the way, the truth, and the life." Jesus is the fulfillment of the Tabernacle and the Temple; indeed, He is the Messiah.

A man of God once wrote, "Many find Jesus as the way. Some find Him as the truth. Few find Him as the life."

Salvation is a lifelong process. The three phases reveal that a walk with Jesus is indeed a process, with phases.

Again, these truths are mysteries. We understand only in part.

Someone can receive Jesus as Savior, and that is truly wonderful. They are born again. They can "see" the kingdom of God (John 3:3). But some people only receive that and do not enter into the first or any of the three phases of a walk with Jesus in the Spirit.

Knowing Jesus as Savior is the first part of the process and only part of the gospel.

The revelation of Jesus the Christ being God – the One and Only True God, the Father God Almighty – is a key to knowing God.

Why is this truth so important? For many reasons, of course.

The first is that Jesus is the only way to know God and have a relationship with Him. He said, "No man comes to the Father but by Me."

And when we know and have a relationship with Jesus, we are having a relationship with the Father. Because Jesus Christ is God. Jesus and the Father are one.

Humans often have a view of Jesus as the Son

of God only. Their perspective is that there is the Almighty God, the Creator of everything. And He sent His son Jesus to the earth. This is true. But it's not the whole truth.

Some believe that He was and is just a man. They see him as the man who came to the earth, died, and so forth. They are partly right. Jesus did come to the earth as a man.

They see Him as a man and stop right there. It is a partial truth.

As with everything, we need and must have the whole truth, not just part of the truth, halftruths, or similar.

### The Lord God, the Lord is One

Jesus said: "'The first of all the commandments is: 'Hear, O Israel, the Lord our God, the Lord is one" (Mark 12:29). What does He mean?

It is simple. God is One. He alone is God Almighty. There is only one God, and He is one Being. The Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit are all One Being.

"The first of all the commandments is: 'Hear, O Israel, the Lord our God, the Lord is one."

The Father and the Son are One (John 10:30). Amen.

Jesus Christ is the Father. The Father is Jesus Christ. They are one and the same. Yet they are separate. Amen.

## A Common Objection

Some people object to these truths.

They question and object to Jesus Christ being both the Son of God and God – the Son and the Father – at the same time.

They ask, "How can Jesus be both God and the Son of God? That is impossible! . . . There is no way that could be true . . ." and on and on.

Yet, many of those people objecting are themselves a father and a son. They are a father; they have a child or children. And they are a son; they have a father who may or may not still be alive on earth.

In the natural, they are one person. Yet, also in the natural, they are both a father and a son. The same applies to someone who is a mother and a daughter.

And they doubt and question whether or not God Himself – the Creator of the universe, the One and Only True God, who thought of and created the very concept of Father and Son and mother and daughter – could be One Being, and be both a Son and a Father.

Think of it! It is quite ironic that some people question and disagree that God Almighty could be a Father and a Son. Yet, they themselves are a father and a son or a mother and a daughter.

He is God, who we must fear and honor Him in every way. Instead of questioning, we should humble ourselves before Him. At times, we should accept things our natural, finite minds cannot grasp. And in reality, we need to get the revelation in our spirit man.

When we receive from the Holy Spirit the revelation that Jesus Christ is both the Son of God and God Almighty . . . Amen . . . It's a truly glorious revelation and truth that will transform our relationship with the Almighty God of the universe. It's a holy, sacred, glorious revelation and truth.

### Some aspects:

- 1. God is the perfect Father, elevating his son to be equal with Himself
- 2. It solves a need: redemption of mankind. Everything God does is perfect and is for a reason.
- 3. It's a necessity. God the Father is too big, powerful, and awesome to deal with tiny, mortal humans. He become one of us.

First, a few questions: Why? Why is this the case? Why is this truth so important? Why so much emphasis on Jesus Christ?

Well, these are questions and mysteries that we will spend eternity learning about. At the same time, there are some aspects of it we can understand now.

As we allow the Holy Spirit to reveal these mysteries to us, it should leave us in awe of our loving, glorious Father and Creator . . . and our

wonderful savior and Lord, Jesus the Christ . . . Amen.

Our great and awesome God of the Universe is the perfect Father God Almighty. He is the creator, sustainer and possessor of the heavens and the earth. For all eternity, we will be in awe of Him and His kingdom, power, and glory. Amen.

He created the Universe that scientists explain is expanding at the speed of light.

He created the five classes of angelic beings, all of them mighty, powerful, and glorious, just like Him.

He created the three heavens, which include the heaven that believers, according to the Bible, will inhabit for eternity. The heavens and earth, indeed the whole universe, are filled with His glory. Amen.

Think about it from a commonsense view. As the perfect Being over it all, He didn't keep it all for Himself. He gave it all to His Son and exalted His Son to be equal with Himself. Glory to God! Jesus Christ is both the son of God and God. Jehovah God is the three-in-one God, the Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

The four gospels – Matthew, Mark, Luke and John – all emphasize that Jesus Christ is Lord and God, the Messiah, the Anointed One, and the Savior. The Gospel of John especially focuses on this theme (two key verses are John 5:23 and 10:30).

# God's Plan before the Foundation of the World

Jesus was with the Father before the foundation of the world (John 17:5). He was and is the Only Begotten Son of God.

It seems God had a plan all along to create the human race on the earth, in His own image and after His likeness. Jesus Christ was the very first member of God's family.

Perhaps God even knew that man would sin and fall and that man would need to be redeemed. God knows the end from the beginning, and from ancient times things not yet done.

God planned a way for man to be redeemed through His only begotten son Jesus. At the appointed time, the Father sent Jesus to the earth as a man to redeem mankind (see John 3:16 and 17:3). Yet, even before the Father sent Jesus, the great and glorious God Almighty planned it. As John Wesley wrote, "God came to earth as a man and justified Himself to the world."

It seems that our great and awesome God and Father, the perfect, holy, sacred God of the Universe, does everything perfectly and does everything for a reason.

Quite simply, Jesus is the Image of the Invisible God. If you want to know what the Father is like, look at Jesus.

When someone comes to God, He points to Jesus Christ, His son. He does this for our own

good. The Father knows what is best for us. He knows everything about us. He knows us better than we know ourselves. He formed and created us. He knows what we have need of before we ask. Before a word is on our tongue, He knows it altogether. He has counted and numbered the very hairs on our head. He has inscribed us on the palms of his hands. He keeps our holy tears, puts them in a bottle, and keeps them forever.

The holy, sacred Father God Almighty is . . . too much for a human being to approach . . . No man can look upon His face and live. Before the Age of Grace, when God Almighty was in certain places, if people came near Him, they would die.

He sits on the highest throne in the universe, and when people approach the throne, the glory is so powerful and strong that they fall on their faces and cannot continue. He is too big and powerful for us to approach Him. So, as the perfect, loving Father, He gave us the perfect way to approach Him: through His Son Jesus Christ, through the precious, gentle Holy Spirit. The Holy Spirit is the Spirit of the Father and the Spirit of Jesus Christ.

#### **EIGHT**

# Jesus Speaks about His Deity

How do we know that Jesus Christ is God? For one, when He was on earth as a man, He spoke about it often.

The following scriptures are some of Jesus' teachings about being God Almighty.

Summaries precede the scripture. The majority of the scriptures below are from the Book of John, chapters 5, 7, 8, 10, 12, 14, and 16.

Two additional eternally important truths are:

- 1.) The Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit are One.
- 2.) Jesus Became What We Are, So We Could Become What He Is.

He who receives Jesus receives the Father.

"'He who receives you receives Me, and he who receives Me receives Him who sent Me." Matthew 10:40

The Father has delivered all things to Jesus.

Only the Father knows the Son Jesus Christ.

The only ones who know the Father are: 1.) Jesus Christ, and 2.) the ones whom Jesus wills to reveal the Father.

"All things have been delivered to Me by My Father, and no one knows the Son except the Father. Nor does anyone know the Father except the Son, and the one to whom the Son wills to reveal Him." Matthew 11:26

"All things have been delivered to Me by My Father, and no one knows who the Son is except the Father, and who the Father is except the Son, and the one to whom the Son wills to reveal Him." Luke 10:22

He who rejects Jesus Christ rejects the Father.

"He who hears you hears Me, he who rejects you rejects Me, and he who rejects Me rejects Him who sent Me." Luke 10:16

Jesus Christ does nothing of Himself. Whatever the Father does, Jesus does in like manner.

The Father loves the Son and shows Jesus all things that the Father does.

The Father will show Jesus greater works than the ones Jesus did 2,000 years ago while Jesus was a man on the earth.

As the Father raises the dead and gives them life, even so Jesus gives life to whom He will.

The Father judges no one but has committed all judgment to Jesus, that all should honor Jesus just as they honor the Father.

If someone does not honor Jesus, they do not honor the Father.

"Most assuredly, I say to you, the Son can do nothing of Himself, but what He sees the Father do; for whatever He does, the Son also does in like manner. 20 For the Father loves the Son, and shows Him all things that He Himself does; and He will show Him greater works than these,

that you may marvel. 21 For as the Father raises the dead and gives life to them, even so the Son gives life to whom He will. 22 For the Father judges no one, but has committed all judgment to the Son, 23 that all should honor the Son just as they honor the Father. He who does not honor the Son does not honor the Father who sent Him." John 5:19-23

Jesus' doctrine is the Father's doctrine.

"Jesus answered them and said, 'My doctrine is not Mine, but His who sent Me." John 7:16

The Father sent Jesus. Jesus is from the Father and knows the Father.

"You both know Me, and you know where I am from; and I have not come of Myself, but He who sent Me is true, whom you do not know. 29 But I know Him, for I am from Him, and He sent Me." John 7:28-29

While Jesus was a man on the earth, Jesus was with the Father who sent Him.

"'And yet if I do judge, My judgment is true; for I am not alone, but I am with the Father who sent Me." John 8:16

While Jesus was a man on the earth, Jesus spoke to the world those things which He heard from the Father.

"I have many things to say and to judge concerning you, but He who sent Me is true; and I speak to the world those things which I heard from Him." John 8:26

Jesus does nothing of Himself. The Father taught Jesus what to say and speak. The Father is with Jesus. Jesus always does those things that please the Father.

"Then Jesus said to them, 'When you lift up the Son of Man, then you will know that I am He, and that I do nothing of Myself; but as My Father taught Me, I speak these things. 29 And He who sent Me is with Me. The Father has not left Me alone, for I always do those things that please Him." John 8:28-29

Jesus speaks what He has seen with His Father.

"'I speak what I have seen with My Father, and you do what you have seen with your father."" John 8:38

The Father sent Jesus. Jesus proceeded forth and came from God.

"Jesus said to them, 'If God were your Father, you would love Me, for I proceeded forth and came from God; nor have I come of Myself, but He sent Me." John 8:42

The Father honors Jesus. Jesus knows the Father and keeps His word.

Jesus is the I AM.

"Jesus answered, 'If I honor Myself, My honor is nothing. It is My Father who honors Me, of whom you say that He is your God. 55 Yet you have not known Him, but I know Him. And if I say, 'I do not know Him,' I shall be a liar like you; but I do know Him and keep His word.56 Your father Abraham rejoiced to see My day, and he saw it and was glad.'

57 "Then the Jews said to Him, 'You are not yet fifty years old, and have You seen Abraham?' 58 "Jesus said to them, 'Most assuredly, I say to you, before Abraham was, I AM.'" John 8:54-58

The Father and Jesus are One.

"'My sheep hear My voice, and I know them, and they follow Me. 28 And I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish; neither shall anyone snatch them out of My hand. 29 My Father, who has given them to Me, is greater than all; and no one is able to snatch them out of My Father's hand. 30 I and My Father are one." John 10:27-30

The Father is in Jesus Christ, and Jesus Christ is in the Father.

"'If I do not do the works of My Father, do not believe Me; 38 but if I do, though you do not believe Me, believe the works, that you may know and believe that the Father is in Me, and I in Him." John 10:37-38

He who believes in Jesus believes in the Father.

He who sees Jesus sees the Father.

The Father sent Jesus and gave Him a command, what Jesus should say and speak. Jesus speaks in exact accordance with the Father's instruction (second sentence, Amplified version).

"'He who believes in Me, believes not in Me but in Him who sent Me. 45 And he who sees Me sees Him who sent Me. 46 I have come as a light into the world, that whoever believes in Me should not abide in darkness, 47 And if anyone hears My words and does not believe, I do not judge him; for I did not come to judge the world but to save the world. 48 He who rejects Me, and does not receive My words, has that which judges him - the word that I have spoken will judge him in the last day. 49 For I have not spoken on My own authority; but the Father who sent Me gave Me a command, what I should say and what I should speak. 50 And I know that His command is everlasting life. Therefore, whatever I speak, just as the Father has told Me, so I speak." John 12:44-50

He who has seen Jesus has seen the Father.

Jesus is in the Father, and the Father is in Jesus.

The Father Who dwells in Jesus does the works.

"If you had known Me, you would have known My Father also; and from now on you know Him and have seen Him."

8 Philip said to Him, "Lord, show us the Father, and it is sufficient for us."

9 Jesus said to him, "Have I been with you so long, and yet you have not known Me, Philip? He who has seen Me has seen the Father; so how can you say, 'Show us the Father'? 10 Do you not believe that I am in the Father, and the Father in Me? The words that I speak to you I do not speak on My own authority; but the Father who dwells in Me does the works. 11 Believe Me that I am in the Father and the Father in Me, or else believe Me for the sake of the works themselves. John 14:7-11

He who hates Jesus hates His Father also.

"'If the world hates you, you know that it hated Me before it hated you. 19 If you were of the world, the world would love its own. Yet because you are not of the world, but I chose you out of the world, therefore the world hates you. 20 Remember the word that I said to you, 'A servant is not greater than his master.' If they

persecuted Me, they will also persecute you. If they kept My word, they will keep yours also. 21 But all these things they will do to you for My name's sake, because they do not know Him who sent Me. 22 If I had not come and spoken to them, they would have no sin, but now they have no excuse for their sin. 23 He who hates Me hates My Father also. 24 If I had not done among them the works which no one else did, they would have no sin; but now they have seen and also hated both Me and My Father. 25 But this happened that the word might be fulfilled which is written in their law, 'They hated Me without a cause.'" John 15:18-25

All things that the Father has are Jesus'.

"I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. 13 However, when He, the Spirit of truth, has come, He will guide you into all truth; for He will not speak on His own authority, but whatever He hears He will speak; and He will tell you things to come. 14 He will glorify Me, for He will take of what is Mine and declare it to you. 15 All things that the Father has are Mine. Therefore I said that He will take of Mine and declare it to you." John 16:12-15

Jesus came forth from the Father and went into the world. He left the world and went to the Father.

"These things I have spoken to you in figurative language; but the time is coming when I will no longer speak to you in figurative language, but I will tell you plainly about the Father. 26 In that day you will ask in My name, and I do not say to you that I shall pray the Father for you; 27 for the Father Himself loves you, because you have loved Me, and have believed that I came forth from God. 28 I came forth from the Father and have come into the world. Again, I leave the world and go to the Father." John 16:25-28

### **NINE**

# Prophecies about Jesus Christ

There are more than 400 prophecies and foreshadowings in the Old Testament about Jesus Christ.

### The Messiah

One of the central themes of the Old Testament is the coming Messiah.

The word "Messiah" or "Anointed One," or, in Greek, "Christ," is found in Psalm 2:2 and Daniel 9:25-26.

Psalm 2:2: "The kings of the earth set themselves, and the rulers take counsel together, against the LORD and against His Anointed, saying . . ."

Some scholars have found more than 400 portions of the Old Testament that refer to the coming Messiah.

Author Paul Humber has found 414 prophecies, appearances, or foreshadowings (PAFs) of Christ in the Old Testament. This chapter includes 365 Old Testament prophecies and references to Christ.

# Jesus Said He is the Messiah: "I who speak to you am He" (John 4:26)

In the Book of John, we read that Jesus said He is the Messiah.

In John 4:1-26, Jesus spoke with a Samaritan woman at Jacob's well. It took place in the city of Sychar in Samaria, while Jesus and His disciples traveled from Judea to Galilee.

Jesus broke tradition in speaking with the woman, as Jews had no dealings with Samaritans (v. 9). After asking her for a drink of water, Jesus then told the woman about the "gift of God" and the "living water" (v. 10) that He could give her. In verses 13 and 14, Jesus reveals to her the results of drinking the living water.

Then, Jesus revealed that He knew about the woman having five husbands and her current man not being her husband.

Following that, Jesus continued to reveal

to her deep truths and teachings. He told the woman about salvation being of the Jews and about God being a Spirit.

He finished the revelation about the Spirit with this: "'God is Spirit, and those who worship Him must worship in spirit and truth" (John 4:24).

Then, we read: "The woman said to Him, 'I know that Messiah is coming' (who is called Christ). 'When He comes, He will tell us all things.'

"Jesus said to her, 'I who speak to you am He" (John 4:25-26).

### **Primary Prophecies of Jesus Christ**

Some of the primary prophecies of Jesus Christ the Messiah are:

The Messiah would be the seed/offspring of a woman and would crush the head of Satan – Genesis 3:15

He would be from the tribe of Judah – Genesis 49:10

He would be born at Bethlehem of Judah – Micah 5:2

He would be born of a virgin – Isaiah 7:14

He would have a throne, a kingdom, and a dy-

nasty, or house, starting with King David, that will last forever – 2 Samuel 7:16

Messiah would be tortured to death – Psalm 22:1-31

He would be pierced for our transgression and crushed for our iniquities (Isaiah 53:5)

His life would match a particular description, including suffering, silence at his arrest and trial, death and burial in a rich man's tomb, and resurrection – Isaiah 52:13-53:12

He would die among the wicked ones but be buried with the rich – Isaiah 53:9

He would be resurrected from the grave, for God would not allow His Holy One to suffer decay – Psalm 16:10

# 365 Prophecies and Foreshadowings of Jesus Christ

- 1. Genesis 3:15.....Seed of a woman (virgin birth).....Luke 1:35, Matthew 1:18-20
- 2. Genesis 3:15.....He will bruise Satan's head.....Hebrews 2:14, 1 John 3:8
- 3. Genesis 5:24....The bodily ascension to heaven illustrated....Mark 6:19
- 4. Genesis 9:26-27...The God of Shem will be the Son of Shem...Luke 3:36

- 5. Genesis 12:3...As Abraham's seed, will bless all nations...Acts 3:25,26
- 6. Genesis 12:7...The Promise made made to Abraham's Seed...Galatians 3:16
- 7. Genesis 14:18...A priest after Melchizedek... Hebrews 6:20
  - 8. Genesis 14:18...A King also...Hebrews 7:2
- 9. Genesis 14:18...The Last Supper foreshadowed...Matthew 26:26-29
- 10. Genesis 17:19...The Seed of Isaac...Romans. 9:7
- 11. Genesis 21:12 ...Seed of Isaac...Romans 9:7, Hebrews 11:18
- 12. Genesis 22:8...The Lamb of God promised...John 1:29
- 13. Genesis 22:18...As Isaac's seed, will bless all nations...Galatians 3:16
- 14. Genesis 26:2-5...The Seed of Isaac promised as the Redeemer.... Hebrews 11:18
- 15. Genesis 49:10...The time of His coming... Luke 2:1-7; Galatians 4:4
- 16. Genesis 49:10...The Seed of Judah...Luke 3:33
- 17. Genesis 49:10......Called Shiloh or One Sent......John 17:3
- 18. Genesis 49:10...To come before Judah lost identity...John 11:47-52
- 19. Genesis 49:10...To Him shall the obedience of the people be...John 10:16
- 20. Exodus 3:13,14......The Great "I Am"...... John 4:26
  - 21. Exodus 12:5...A Lamb without blemish...1

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- 22. Exodus 12:13...The blood of the Lamb saves Romans wrath...Romans. 5:8
- 23. Exodus 12:21-27...Christ is our Passover...I Corinthians 5:7
- 24. Exodus 12:46...Not a bone of the Lamb to be broken...John 19:31-36
- 25. Exodus 13:2...Blessing to first born son... Luke 2:23
- 26. Exodus 15:2...His exaltation predicted as Yeshua...Acts 7:55, 56
- 27. Exodus 15:11...His Character-Holiness... Luke 1:35; Acts 4:27
- 28. Exodus 17:6...The Spiritual Rock of Israel...I Corinthians 10:4
- 29. Exodus 33:19...His Character-Merciful... Luke 1:72
- 30. Leviticus 14:11...The leper cleansed-Sign to priesthood..Luke5:12-14; Acts 6:7
- 31. Leviticus 16:15-17...Prefigures Christ's once-for-all death...Hebrews 9:7-14
- 32. Leviticus 16:27...Suffering outside the Camp...Matthew 27:33; Hebrews 13:11, 12
- 33. Leviticus 17:11...The Blood-the life of the flesh...Matthew 26:28; Mark 10:45
- 34. Leviticus 17:11...It is the blood that makes atonement...1 John 3:14-18
- 35. Leviticus 23:36-37...The Drink-offering: "If any man thirst." ..John 19:31-36
- 36. Numbers 9:12...Not a bone of Him broken...John 19:31-36
  - 37. Numbers 21:9...The serpent on a pole-

- Christ lifted up...John 3:14-18
- 38. Numbers 24:8... Flight to Egypt...Matthew 2:14
- 39. Numbers 24:17...Time: "I shall see him, but not now."...Galatians 4:4
- 40. Numbers 24:17-19...A star out of Jacob... Matthew 2:2, Luke 1:33,78, Revelation 22:16
- 41. Deuteronomy 18:15..."This is of a truth that prophet."...John 6:14
- 42. Deuteronomy 18:15-16..."Had ye believed Moses, ye would believe me."...John 5:45-47
- 43. Deuteronomy 18:18...Sent by the Father to speak His word...John 8:28, 29
- 44. Deuteronomy 18:19...Whoever will not hear must bear his sin...John 12:15
- 45. Deuteronomy 21:13-23...As a prophet... John 6:14; 7:40, Acts 3:22,23
- 46. Deuteronomy 21:23...Cursed is he that hangs on a tree...Galatians 3:10-13
- 47. Ruth 4:4-9...Christ, our kinsman, has redeemed us...Ephesians 1:3-7
- 48. 1 Samuel 2:10...Shall be an anointed King to the Lord...Matthew 28:18; John 12:15
- 49. 2 Samuel 7:12...David's Seed...Matthew 1:1
- 50. 2 Samuel 7:14a...The Son of God... Luke 1:32
- 51. 2 Samuel 7:16...David's house established forever...Luke 3:31; Revelation 22:16
- 52. 2 Samuel 23:2-4...would be the "Rock"...1 Corinthians 10:4
  - 53. 2 Samuel 23:2-4...would be as the "light of

- the morning"...Revelation 22:16
- 54. 2 Kings 2:11...The bodily ascension to heaven illustrated...Luke 24:51
- 55. 1 Chronicles 17:11...David's Seed...Matthew 1:1; 9:27
- 56. 1 Chronicles 17:12, 13a...To reign on David's throne forever...Luke 1:32, 33
- 57. 1 Chronicles 17:13a..."I will be His Father, He...my Son."...Hebrews 1:5
- 58. Job 19:23-27...The Resurrection predicted...John 5:24-29
- 59. Psalms 2:1-3...The enmity of kings foreordained...Acts 4:25-28
- 60. Psalms 2:2...To own the title, Anointed (Christ)...Acts 2:36
- 61. Psalms 2:6...His Character-Holiness... John 8:46; Revelation 3:7
- 62. Psalms 2:6...To own the title King...Matthew 2:2
- 63. Psalms 2:7...Declared the Beloved Son... Matthew 3:17
- 64. Psalms 2:7, 8...The Crucifixion and Resurrection intimated...Acts 13:29-33
- 65. Psalms 2:12...Life comes through faith in Him...John 20:31
- 66. Psalms 8:2...The mouths of babes perfect His praise...Matthew 21:16
- 67. Psalms 8:5, 6...His humiliation and exaltation...Luke 24:50-53; 1 Corinthians 15:27
- 68. Psalms 16:10...Was not to see corruption... Acts 2:31
  - 69. Psalms 16:9-11...Was to arise from the

- dead...John 20:9
- 70. Psalms 17;15...The resurrection predicted...Luke 24:6
- 71. Psalms 22:1...Forsaken because of sins of others...2 Corinthians 5:21
- 72. Psalms 22:1...Words spoken from Calvary, "My God..." Mark 15:34
- 73. Psalms 22:2...Darkness upon Calvary... Matthew 27:45
- 74. Psalms 22:7...They shoot out the lip and shake the head...Matthew 27:39
- 75. Psalms 22:8.." He trusted in God, let Him deliver Him "...Matthew 27:43
- 76. Psalms 22:9.....Born the Savior.....Luke 2:7
- 77. Psalms 22:14...Died of a broken (ruptured) heart...John 19:34
- 78. Psalms 22:14,15...Suffered agony on Calvary...Mark 15:34-37
- 79. Psalms 22:15......He thirsted......John 19:28
- 80. Psalms 22:16...They pierced His hands and His feet....John 19:34,37;20:27
- 81. Psalms 22:17,18...Stripped Him before the stares of men...Luke 23:34,35
- 82. Psalms 22:18.....They parted His garments.....John 19:23,24
- 83. Psalms 22:20,21...He committed Himself to God...Luke23:46
- 84. Psalms 22:20,21..Satanic power bruising the Redeemer's heel.. Hebrews 2:14
  - 85. Psalms 22:22.....His Resurrection de-

- clared.....John 20:17
- 86. Psalms 22:27...He shall be the governor of the nations...Col 1:16
- 87. Psalms 22:31....."It is finished"......John 19:30
- 88. Psalms 23:1...."I am the Good Shepherd"....John 10:11
- 89. Psalms 24:3.....His exaltation predicted.....Acts 1:11; Phil. 2:9
- 90. Psalms 27:12...Accused by false witnesses...Matthew 26:60,61, Mark 14:57,58
- 91. Psalms 30:3......His resurrection predicted......Acts 2:32
- 92. Psalms 31:5..."Into thy hands I commit my spirit"...Luke 23:46
- 93. Psalms 31:11...His acquaintances fled from Him...Mark 14:50
- 94. Psalms 31:13...They took counsel to put Him to death...John 11:53
- 95. Psalms 31:14,15..." He trusted in God, let Him deliver him"...Matthew 27:43
- 96. Psalms 34:20.....Not a bone of Him broken.....John 19:31-36
- 97. Psalms 35:11....False witnesses rose up against Him....Matthew 26:59
- 98. Psalms 35:19...He was hated without a cause...John 15:25
- 99. Psalms 38:11.....His friends stood afar off.....Luke 23:49
- 100. Psalms 40:2-5...The joy of His resurrection predicted...John 20:20
  - 101. Psalms 40:6-8....His delight-the will of

- the Father....John 4:34
- 102. Psalms 40:9....He was to preach the Righteousness in Israel....Matthew 4:17
- 103. Psalms 40:14...Confronted by adversaries in the Garden...John
- 104. Psalms 41:9.....Betrayed by a familiar friend.....John 13:18
- 105. Psalms 45:2...Words of Grace come from His lips.. Luke 4:22
- 106. Psalms 45:6...To own the title, God or Elohim...Hebrews 1:8
- 107. Psalms 45:7...A special anointing by the Holy Spirit...Matthew3:16; Hebrews1:9
- 108. Psalms 45:7,8...Called the Christ (Messiah or Anointed)...Luke 2:11
- 109. Psalms 49:15...His Resurrection...Acts 2:27; 13:35, Mark 16:6
- 110. Psalms 55:12-14...Betrayed by a friend, not an enemy...John 13:18
- 111. Psalms 55:15...Unrepentant death of the Betrayer...Matthew 27:3-5; Acts 1:16-19
- 112. Psalms 68:18...To give gifts to men... Ephesians 4:7-16
- 113. Psalms 68:18...Ascended into Heaven... Luke 24:51
- 114. Psalms 69:4...Hated without a cause... John 15:25
- 115. Psalms 69:8...A stranger to own brethren...Luke 8:20,21
- 116. Psalms 69:9...Zealous for the Lord's House...John 2:17
  - 117. Psalms 69:14-20...Messiah's anguish of

- soul before crucifixion...Matthew 26:36-45
- 118. Psalms 69:20..."My soul is exceeding sorrowful."...Matthew 26:38
- 119. Psalms 69:21...Given vinegar in thirst... Matthew 27:34
- 120. Psalms 69:26...The Savior given and smitten by God...John 17:4; 18:11
- 121. Psalms 72:10,11...Great persons were to visit Him...Matthew 2:1-11
- 122. Psalms 72:16...The corn of wheat to fall into the Ground...John 12:24
- 123. Psalms 72:17...His name, Yinon, will produce offspring...John 1:12,13
- 124. Psalms 72:17...All nations shall be blessed by Him...Acts 2:11,12,41
- 125. Psalms 78:1.2...He would teach in parables...Matthew 13:34-35
- 126. Psalms 78:2b...To speak the Wisdom of God with authority...Matthew 7:29
- 127. Psalms 88:8...They stood afar off and watched...Luke 23:49
- 128. Psalms 89:26...Messiah will call God His Father...Matthew 11:27
- 129. Psalms 89:27...Emmanuel to be higher than earthly kings...Luke 1:32,33
- 130. Psalms 89:35-37...David's Seed, throne, kingdom endure forever...Luke 1:32,33
- 131. Psalms 89:36-37...His character-Faithfulness...Revelation 1:5
- 132. Psalms 90:2...He is from everlasting (Micah 5:2)...John 1:1
  - 133. Psalms 91:11,12...Identified as Messianic;

- used to tempt Christ...Luke 4:10,11
- 134. Psalms 97:9...His exaltation predicted... Acts 1:11;Ephesians 1:20
- 135. Psalms 100:5...His character-Goodness... Matthew 19:16,17
- 136. Psalms 102:1-11...The Suffering and Reproach of Calvary...John 21:16-30
- 137. Psalms 102:16...Son of Man comes in Glory...Luke 21:24 Revelation 12:5-10
- 138. Psalms 102:25-27...Messiah is the Preexistence Son...Hebrews 1:10-12
- 139. Psalms 109:4...Prays for His enemies... Luke 23:34
- 140. Psalms 109:7,8...Another to succeed Judas...Acts 1:16-20
- 141. Psalms 109:25...Ridiculed...Matthew 27:39
- 142. Psalms 110:1...Son of David...Matthew 22:43
- 143. Psalms 110:1...To ascend to the right-hand of the Father...Mark16:19
- 144. Psalms 110:1...David's son called Lord... Matthew 22:44,45
- 145. Psalms 110:4...A priest after Melchize-dek's order...Hebrews 6:20
- 146. Psalms 112:4...His character-Compassionate, Gracious, et al... Matthew 9:36
- 147. Psalms 118:17,18...Messiah's Resurrection assured...Luke 24:5-7;1 Corinthians 15:20
- 148. Psalms 118:22,23...The rejected stone is Head of the corner...Matthew 21:42,43
  - 149. Psalms 118:26a...The Blessed One pre-

- sented to Israel...Matthew 21:9
- 150. Psalms 118:26b...To come while Temple standing...Matthew 21:12-15
- 151. Psalms 132:11...The Seed of David (the fruit of His Body)...Luke 1:32
- 152. Psalms 138:1-6...The supremacy of David's Seed amazes kings... Matthew 2:2-6
- 153. Psalms 147:3,6...The earthly ministry of Christ described...Luke 4:18
- 154. Psalms 1:23...He will send the Spirit of God... John 16:7
- 155. Proverbs 8:22-23...The Messiah would be from everlasting...John 17:5
- 156. Proverbs 30:4...Declared to be the Son of God...John 3:13, Romans 1:2-4, 10:6-9, 2 Peter 1:17
- 157. Song of Solomon 5:16...The altogether lovely One...John 1:17
- 158. Isaiah 2:2-4...Repentance for the nations... Luke 24:47
  - 159. Isaiah 4:2...Messiah reigning
- 160. Isaiah 5:1-6...Son of God's vineyard: a parable of judgment
- 161. Isaiah 6:1...When Isaiah saw His glory... John 12:40-41
- 162. Isaiah 6:9-10...Parables fall on deaf ears... Matthew 13:13-15
- 163. Isaiah 6:9-12...Blinded to Christ and deaf to His words...Acts 28:23-29
- 164. Isaiah 7:14...To be born of a virgin...Luke 1:35
  - 165. Isaiah 7:14...To be Emmanuel-God with

- us... Matthew 1:18-23
- 166. Isaiah 8:8...Called Emmanuel...Matthew 28:20
- 167. Isaiah 8:14...A stone of stumbling, a Rock of offense... 1 Pet. 2:8
- 168. Isaiah 9:1,2...His ministry to begin in Galilee...Matthew 4:12-17
- 169. Isaiah 9:6...A child born-Humanity... Luke 1:31
- 170. Isaiah 9:6...A Son given-Deity...Luke 1:32; John 1:14; 1 Tim. 3:16
- 171. Isaiah 9:6...Declared to be the Son of God with power... Romans. 1:3,4
- 172. Isaiah 9:6...The Wonderful One, Peleh... Luke 4:22
- 173. Isaiah 9:6...The Counselor, Yaatz...Matthew 13:54
- 174. Isaiah 9:6...The Mighty God, El Gibor... Matthew 11:20
- 175. Isaiah 9:6...The Everlasting Father, Avi Adth...John 8:58
- 176. Isaiah 9:6...The Prince of Peace, Sar Shalom...John 16:33
- 177. Isaiah 9:7...To establish an everlasting kingdom...Luke 1:32-33
  - 178. Isaiah 9:7...His Character-Just...John 5:30
- 179. Isaiah 9:7...No end to his Government, Throne, and Peace...Luke 1:32-33
- 180. Isaiah 11:1...Called a Nazarene-the Branch, Netzer...Matthew 2:23
- 181. Isaiah 11:1...A rod out of Jesse-Son of Jesse...Luke 3:23,32

- 182. Isaiah 11:2...The anointed One by the Spirit...Matthew 3:16,17
- 183. Isaiah 11:2...His Character-Wisdom, Understanding, et al....John 4:4-26
- 184. Isaiah 11:4...His Character-Truth...John 14:6
- 185. Isaiah 11:10...The Gentiles seek Him... John 12:18-21
- 186. Isaiah 12:2...Called Jesus-Yeshua (salvation)...Matthew 1:21
- 187. Isaiah 16:4,5...Reigning in mercy...Luke 1:31-33
- 188. Isaiah 22:21-25...Peg in a sure place... Revelation 3:7
- 189. Isaiah 25:8...The Resurrection predicted...I Corinthians 15:54
- 190. Isaiah 26:19...His power of Resurrection predicted...John 11:43,44
- 191. Isaiah 28:16...The Messiah is the precious corner stone...Acts 4:11,12
- 192. Isaiah 29:13...He indicated hypocritical obedience to His Word...Matthew 15:7-9
- 193. Isaiah 29:14...The wise are confounded by the Word...I Corinthians 1:18-31
- 194. Isaiah 32:2...A Refuge-A man shall be a hiding place...Matthew 23:37
- 195. Isaiah 33:22...Son of the Highest...Luke 1:32; 1 Timothy 1:17 6:15
- 196. Isaiah 35:4...He will come and save you... Matthew 1:21
- 197. Isaiah 35:5...To have a ministry of miracles...Matthew 11:4-6

- 198. Isaiah 40:3,4...Preceded by forerunner... John 1:23
- 199. Isaiah 40:9..."Behold your God."...John 1:36;19:14
- 200. Isaiah 40:11...A shepherd-compassionate life-giver...John 10:10-18
- 201. Isaiah 42:1-4...The Servant-as a faithful, patient redeemer... Matthew 12:18-21
- 202. Isaiah 42:2...Meek and lowly... Matthew 11:28-30
- 203. Isaiah 42:3...He brings hope for the hopeless
- 204. Isaiah 42:4...The nations shall wait on His teachings... John 12:20-26
- 205. Isaiah 42:6...The Light (salvation) of the Gentiles...Luke 2:32
- 206. Isaiah 42:1,6...His is a Worldwide compassion... Matthew 28:19,20
- 207. Isaiah 42:7...Blind eyes opened... John 9:25-38
- 208. Isaiah 42:13-25...Messiah's actions at His second coming...Revelation
- 209. Isaiah 43:11...He is the only Savior... Acts 4:12
- 210. Isaiah 44:3...He will send the Spirit of God... John 16:7,13
- 211. Isaiah 45:23...He will be the Judge... John 5:22;Romans 14:11
- 212. Isaiah 48:12...The First and the Last... John 1:30; Revelation 1:8,17
- 213. Isaiah 48:17...He came as a Teacher... John 3:2

- 214. Isaiah 49:1...Called from the womb-His humanity...Matthew 1:18
- 215. Isaiah 49:5...A Servant from the womb... Luke 1:31; Phil. 2:7
- 216. Isaiah 49:6...He is Salvation for Israel... Luke 2:29-32
- 217. Isaiah 49:6...He is the Light of the Gentiles...Acts 13:47
- 218. Isaiah 49:6...He is Salvation unto the ends of the earth... Acts 15:7-18
- 219. Isaiah 49:7...He is despised of the Nation... John 8:48-49
- 220. Isaiah 50:3...Heaven is clothed in black at His humiliation... Luke 23:44,45
- 221. Isaiah 50:4...He is a learned counselor for the weary... Matthew 11:28,29
- 222. Isaiah 50:5...The Servant bound willingly to obedience... Matthew 26:39
- 223. Isaiah 50:6a..."I gave my back to the smiters."... Matthew 27:26
- 224. Isaiah 50:6b...He was smitten on the cheeks... Matthew 26:67
- 225. Isaiah 50:6c...He was spat upon... Matthew 27:30
- 226. Isaiah 52:4-5...Suffered vicariously... Mark 15:3,4,27,28; Luke 23:1-25,32-34
- 227. Isaiah 52:7...To publish good tidings of peace... Luke 4:14,15
- 228. Isaiah 52:13...The Servant exalted...Acts 1:8-11; Ephesians 1:19-22
- 229. Isaiah 52:13...Behold, My Servant... Matthew 17:5; Phil. 2:5-8

- 230. Isaiah 52:14...The Servant shockingly abused... Luke 18:31-34; Matthew 26:67,68
- 231. Isaiah 52:15...Nations startled by message of the Servant... Romans. 15:18-21
- 232. Isaiah 52:15...His blood shed to make atonement for all... Revelation 1:5
- 233. Isaiah 53:1...His people would not believe Him... John 12:37-38
- 234. Isaiah 53:2a...He would grow up in a poor family.... Luke 2:7
- 235. Isaiah 53:2b...Appearance of an ordinary man... Phil. 2:7-8
  - 236. Isaiah 53:3a...Despised.... Luke 4:28-29
- 237. Isaiah 53:3b...Rejected... Matthew 27:21-23
- 238. Isaiah 53:3c...Great sorrow and grief... Luke 19:41-42
- 239. Isaiah 53:3d...Men hide from being associated with Him... Mark 14:50-52
- 240. Isaiah 53:4a...He would have a healing ministry... Luke 6:17-19
- 241. Isaiah 53:4b...He would bear the sins of the world... 1 Pet. 2:24
- 242. Isaiah 53:4c...Thought to be cursed by God... Matthew 27:41-43
- 243. Isaiah 53:5a...Bears penalty for mankind's transgressions... Luke 23:33
- 244. Isaiah 53:5b...His sacrifice would provide peace between man and God... Col. 1:20
- 245. Isaiah 53:5c...His back would be whipped... Matthew 27:26
  - 246. Isaiah 53:6a...He would be the sin-bearer

- for all mankind...Galatians 1:4
- 247. Isaiah 53:6b...God's will that He bear sin for all mankind... 1 John 4:10
- 248. Isaiah 53:7a...Oppressed and afflicted... Matthew 27:27-31
- 249. Isaiah 53:7b...Silent before his accusers... Matthew 27:12-14
  - 250. Isaiah 53:7c...Sacrificial lamb... John 1:29
- 251. Isaiah 53:8a...Confined and persecuted... Matthew 26:47-27:31
- 252. Isaiah 53:8b...He would be judged... John 18:13-22
  - 253. Isaiah 53:8c...Killed.... Matthew 27:35
- 254. Isaiah 53:8d...Dies for the sins of the world... 1 John 2:2
- 255. Isaiah 53:9a...Buried in a rich man's grave... Matthew 27:57
- 256. Isaiah 53:9b...Innocent and had done no violence... Mark 15:3
- 257. Isaiah 53:9c...No deceit in his mouth... John 18:38
- 258. Isaiah 53:10a...God's will that He die for mankind... John 18:11
- 259. Isaiah 53:10b...An offering for sin... Matthew 20:28
- 260. Isaiah 53:10c...Resurrected and live forever.... Mark 16:16
- 261. Isaiah 53:10d...He would prosper... John 17:1-5
- 262. Isaiah 53:11a...God fully satisfied with His suffering... John 12:27
  - 263. Isaiah 53:11b...God's servant... Romans.

- 5:18-19
- 264. Isaiah 53:11c...He would justify man before God... Romans. 5:8-9
- 265. Isaiah 53:11d...The sin-bearer for all man-kind... Hebrews 9:28
- 266. Isaiah 53:12a...Exalted by God because of his sacrifice... Matthew 28:18
- 267. Isaiah 53:12b...He would give up his life to save mankind... Luke 23:46
- 268. Isaiah 53:12c...Grouped with criminals... Luke 23:32
- 269. Isaiah 53:12d...Sin-bearer for all man-kind... 2 Corinthians 5:21
- 270. Isaiah 53:12e...Intercede to God in behalf of mankind... Luke 23:34
- 271. Isaiah 55:1...Every one come who is thirsty...New Testament
- 272. Isaiah 55:3...Resurrected by God... Acts 13:34
  - 273. Isaiah 55:4...A witness... John 18:37
- 274. Isaiah 55:5...Foreign nations come to God...Acts
- 275. Isaiah 59:15-16a...He would come to provide salvation... John 6:40
- 276. Isaiah 59:15-16b...Intercessor between man and God... Matthew 10:32
- 277. Isaiah 59:20...He would come to Zion as their Redeemer... Luke 2:38
- 278. Isaiah 60:1-3...Nations walk in the light... Luke 2:32
- 279. Isaiah 61:1-2a...The Spirit of God upon him... Matthew 3:16-17

- 280. Isaiah 61:1-2b...The Messiah would preach the good news... Luke 4:17-21
- 281. Isaiah 61:1-2c...Provide freedom from the bondage of sin and death... John 8:31-32
- 282. Isaiah 61:1-2...Proclaim a period of grace... John 5:24
- 283. Isaiah 62:1-2...Called by an new name... Luke 2:32, Revelation 3:12
- 284. Isaiah 62:11...Thy King Cometh, Entered Jerusalem on Colt...Matthew 21:7
- 285. Isaiah 63:1-3...A vesture dipped in blood... Revelation 19:13
- 286. Isaiah 63:8,9...Afflicted with the afflicted...Matthew 25:34-40
- 287. Isaiah 65:9...The elect shall inherit...Romans 11 5-7, Hebrews 7:14, Revelation 5:5
- 288. Isaiah 65:17-25...New heaven/New Earth...2 Peter 3:13, Revelation 21:1
- 289. Isaiah 66:18-19...All nations come to God...New Testament
- 290. Jeremiah23:5-6a...Descendant of David... Luke 3:23-31
- 291. Jeremiah 23:5-6b...The Messiah would be God... John 13:13
- 292. Jeremiah 23:5-6c...The Messiah would be both God and Man... 1 Tim. 3:16
- 293. Jeremiah 30:9...Born a King...John 18:37, Revelation 1:5
- 294. Jeremiah 31:15...Massacre of infants... Matthew 2:16-18
- 295. Jeremiah 31:22...Born of a virgin... Matthew 1:18-20

- 296. Jeremiah 31:31...The Messiah would be the new covenant... Matthew 26:28
- 297. Jeremiah 33:14-15...Descendant of David... Luke 3:23-31
- 298. Ezekiel 17:22-24...Descendant of David... Luke 3:23-31
- 299. Ezekiel 21:26,27...The humble exalted... Luke 1:52
- 300. Ezekiel 34:23-24...Descendant of David... Matthew 1:1
- 301. Daniel 2:34-35... Stone cut without hands... Acts 4:10-12
- 302. Daniel 2:44,45...His Kingdom Triumphant...Luke 1:33, 1 Corinthians 15:24, Revelation 11:15
- 303. Dan. 7:13-14a...He would ascend into heaven... Acts 1:9-11
- 304. Dan. 7:13-14b...Highly exalted... Ephesians 1:20-22
- 305. Dan. 7:13-14c...His dominion would be everlasting... Luke 1:31-33
- 306. Daniel 7:27...Kingdom for the Saints... Luke 1:33, 1 Corinthians 15:24, Revelation 11:15
- 307. Dan. 9:24a...To make an end to sins... Galatians 1:3-5
- 308. Dan. 9:24b...He would be holy... Luke 1:35
- 309. Dan. 9:25...Announced to his people 483 years, to the exact day, after the decree to rebuild the city of Jerusalem... John 12:12-13
  - 310. Dan. 9:26a...Killed... Matthew 27:35
  - 311. Dan. 9:26b...Die for the sins of the world...

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- 312. Dan. 9:26c...Killed before the destruction of the temple... Matthew 27:50-51
- 313. Dan. 10:5-6...Messiah in a glorified state... Revelation 1:13-16
- 314. Hosea 3:5...Israel restored...John 18:37, Romans 11:25-27
- 315. Hosea 11:1, Numbers 24:8...Flight to Egypt...Matthew 2:14
- 316. Hosea 13:14...He would defeat death... 1 Corinthians 15:55-57
- 317. Joel 2:28-32...Promise of the Spirit...Acts 2:17-21, Romans 10:13
- 318. Joel 2:32...Offer salvation to all mankind... Romans. 10:12-13
- 319. Micah 2:12-13...Israel Regathered...John 10:14,26
- 320. Micah 4:1-8...The Kingdom established place of Birth Bethlehem...Luke 1:33, Matthew 2:1, Luke 2:4,10,11
- 321. Micah 5:2a...Born in Bethlehem... Matthew 2:1-2
  - 322. Micah 5:2b...God's servant... John 15:10
  - 323. Micah 5:2c...from everlasting... John 8:58
- 324. Haggai 2:6-9...He would visit the second Temple... Luke 2:27-32
- 325. Haggai 2:23...Descendant of Zerubbabel... Luke 3:23-27
- 326. Joel 2:28-32...Promise of the Spirit...Acts 2:17-21, Romans 10:13
- 327. Amos 8:9...The Sun Darkened...Matthew 24:29, Acts 2:20, Revelation 6:12

- 328. Amos 9:11-12...Restoration of tabernacle...Acts 14:16-18
- 329. Habakkuk 2:14...Earth filled with knowledge of the glory of the Lord...Romans 11:26, Revelation 21:23-26
- 330. Zechariah 2:10-13...The Lamb on the Throne...Revelation 5:13, 6:9, 21:24
  - 331. Zechariah 3:8...God's servant... John 17:4
- 332. Zechariah 6:12-13...Priest and King... Hebrews 8:1
- 333. Zechariah 9:9a...Greeted with rejoicing in Jerusalem... Matthew 21:8-10
- 334. Zechariah 9:9b...Beheld as King... John 12:12-13
- 335. Zechariah 9:9c...The Messiah would be just... John 5:30
- 336. Zechariah 9:9d...The Messiah would bring salvation... Luke 19:10
- 337. Zechariah 9:9e...The Messiah would be humble... Matthew 11:29
- 338. Zechariah 9:9f...Presented to Jerusalem riding on a donkey... Matthew 21:6-9
- 339. Zechariah 10:4...The cornerstone... Ephesians 2:20
- 340. Zechariah 11:4-6a...At His coming, Israel to have unfit leaders... Matthew 23:1-4
- 341. Zechariah 11:4-6b...Rejection causes God to remove His protection.. Luke 19:41-44
- 342. Zechariah 11:4-6c...Rejected in favor of another king... John 19:13-15
- 343. Zechariah 11:7...Ministry to "poor," the believing remnant... Matthew 9:35-36

- 344. Zechariah 11:8a...Unbelief forces Messiah to reject them... Matthew 23:33
- 345. Zechariah 11:8b...Despised... Matthew 27:20
- 346. Zechariah 11:9...Stops ministering to the those who rejected Him... Matthew 13:10-11
- 347. Zechariah 11:10-11a...Rejection causes God to remove protection... Luke 19:41-44
- 348. Zechariah 11:10-11b...The Messiah would be God... John 14:7
- 349. Zechariah 11:12-13a...Betrayed for thirty pieces of silver... Matthew 26:14-15
- 350. Zechariah 11:12-13b...Rejected... Matthew 26:14-15
- 351. Zechariah 11:12-13c...Thirty pieces of silver thrown into the house of the Lord... Matthew 27:3-5
- 352. Zechariah 11:12-13d...The Messiah would be God... John 12:45
- 353. Zechariah 12:10a...The Messiah's body would be pierced... John 19:34-37
- 354. Zechariah 12:10b...The Messiah would be both God and man... John 10:30
- 355. Zechariah 12:10c...The Messiah would be rejected... John 1:11
- 356. Zechariah 13:7a...God's will He die for mankind... John 18:11
- 357. Zechariah 13:7b...A violent death... Matthew 27:35
- 358. Zechariah 13:7c...Both God and man.. John 14:9
  - 359. Zechariah 13:7d...Israel scattered as a re

- sult of rejecting Him... Matthew 26:31-56
- 360. Malachi 3:1a...Messenger to prepare the way for Messiah... Matthew 11:10
- 361. Malachi 3:1b...Sudden appearance at the temple... Mark 11:15-16
- 362. Malachi 3:1c...Messenger of the new covenant... Luke 4:43
- 363. Malachi 3:3...Our Sins Are Purged...Luke 1:78, John 1:9; 12:46, 2 Peter 1:19, Revelation 2:28; 19:11-16; 22:16
- 364. Malachi 4:5...Forerunner in the spirit of Elijah... Matthew 3:1-2
- 365. Malachi 4:6...Forerunner would turn many to righteousness... Luke 1:16-17

#### **TEN**

# Jesus Christ's Names, Titles, Descriptions & Truths

Jesus Christ's more than 400 names, titles, offices, roles, characters, descriptions, and more, reveal Him and His Deity.

### The Four Gospels

Four of Jesus' offices are revealed in the four gospels. The offices are: King, Son of Man, Savior, and Son of God.

In Matthew, He is the King. In Mark, He is the Son of Man.

In Luke, He is the Savior.

In John, He is the Son of God.

The Four Gospels: Jesus' Offices		
Gospel	Office	Revelation
Matthew	King	King
Mark	Son of Man	Man
Luke	Savior	Messiah
John	Son of God	God

## The Actual Meaning of the Name "Jesus Christ"

The name "Jesus" in Hebrew literally means "God saves." The name "Jesus" in Hebrew is "Yeshua."

The English name "Jesus" comes from the Greek name "lesous," which is a rendition of the Hebrew "Yeshua." The name is related to the Hebrew verb root "rescue" and one of its noun forms, yesua, "deliverance."

In the New Testament, which was written in Greek, "Christ" in the Greek is the word "christos," which means "anointed."

In the Old Testament, which was written in Hebrew, the word for "Messiah" is "mashiach," which also means "anointed."

Therefore, the Greek word for Christ, "christos," is the Greek equivalent for the Hebrew word for Messiah, "mashiach."

Therefore, His name could properly be written and spoken as, "Jesus the Anointed One."

## Names of Jesus Christ

Below are two sections with names of Jesus Christ.

The first section includes 50 names of Jesus.

The second section has 24 sections with more than 400 names, titles, descriptions, and truths of and about Jesus Christ.

### 50 Names of Jesus Christ

- 1. Almighty One "...who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty." Rev. 1:8
- 2. Alpha and Omega "I am the Alpha and the Omega, the First and the Last, the Beginning and the End." Rev. 22:13
- 3. Advocate "My dear children, I write this to you so that you will not sin. But if anybody does sin, we have an advocate with the Father--Jesus Christ, the Righteous One." 1 John 2:1
- 4. Author and Perfecter of Our Faith "Fixing our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfecter of faith, who for the joy set before Him endured the cross, despising the shame, and has sat down at the right hand of the throne of God." Heb. 12:2
- 5. Authority "Jesus said, 'All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me." Matt. 28:18
- 6. Bread of Life "Then Jesus declared, 'I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will nev-

er go hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty." John 6:35

- 7. Beloved Son of God "And behold, a voice from heaven said, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased." Matt. 3:17
- 8. Bridegroom "And Jesus said to them, "Can the wedding guests mourn as long as the bridegroom is with them? The days will come when the bridegroom is taken away from them, and then they will fast." Matt. 9:15
  - 9. Chief Cornerstone "The stone which the builders rejected has become the chief corner stone." Ps. 118:22
- 10. Deliverer "And to wait for his Son from heaven, whom he raised from the dead, Jesus who delivers us from the wrath to come." 1 Thess.1:10
- 11. Faithful and True "I saw heaven standing open and there before me was a white horse, whose rider is called Faithful and True. With justice he judges and wages war." Rev. 19:11
- 12. Good Shepherd "I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep." John 10:11
- 13. Great High Priest "Therefore, since we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus the Son of God, let us hold fast our confession." Heb. 4:14
- 14. Head of the Church "And he put all things under his feet and gave him as head over all things to the church." Eph. 1:22
  - 15. Holy Servant "...and grant that Your

bond-servants may speak Your word with all confidence, while You extend Your hand to heal, and signs and wonders take place through the name of Your holy servant Jesus." Acts 4:29-30

- 16. I Am "Jesus said to them, "Truly, truly, I say to you, before Abraham was, I am." John 8:58
- 17. Immanuel "...She will give birth to a son and will call him Immanuel, which means 'God with us.'" Is. 7:14
- 18. Indescribable Gift "Thanks be to God for His indescribable gift." 2 Cor. 9:15
- 19. Judge "...he is the one whom God appointed as judge of the living and the dead." Acts 10:42
- 20. King of Kings "These will wage war against the Lamb, and the Lamb will overcome them, because He is Lord of lords and King of kings, and those who are with Him are the called and chosen and faithful." Rev. 17:14
- 21. Lamb of God "The next day John saw Jesus coming toward him and said, "Look, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world!" John 1:29
- 22. Light of the World "I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness, but will have the light of life." John 8:12
- 23. Lion of the Tribe of Judah "Weep no more; behold, the Lion of the tribe of Judah, the Root of David, has conquered, so that he can open the scroll and its seven seals." Rev. 5:5

- 24. Lord of All "For this reason also, God highly exalted Him, and bestowed on Him the name which is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee will bow, of those who are in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and that every tongue will confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father." Phil. 2:9-11
- 25. Mediator "For there is one God, and one mediator between God and men, the man Christ Jesus." 1 Tim. 2:5
- 26. Messiah "We have found the Messiah" (that is, the Christ)." John 1:41
- 27. Mighty One "Then you will know that I, the Lord, am your Savior, your Redeemer, the Mighty One of Jacob." Is. 60:16
- 28. One Who Sets Free "So if the Son sets you free, you will be free indeed." John 8:36
- 29. Our Hope "...Christ Jesus our hope." 1 Tim. 1:1
- 30. Peace "For he himself is our peace, who has made the two groups one and has destroyed the barrier, the dividing wall of hostility," Eph. 2:14
- 31. Prophet "And Jesus said to them, "A prophet is not without honor, except in his hometown and among his relatives and in his own household." Mark 6:4
- 32. Redeemer "And as for me, I know that my Redeemer lives, and at the last He will take His stand on the earth." Job 19:25
  - 33. Risen Lord "...that Christ died for our

- sins according to the Scriptures, that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day according to the Scriptures." 1 Cor. 15:3-4
- 34. Rock "For they drank from the spiritual Rock that followed them, and the Rock was Christ." 1 Cor. 10:4
- 35. Sacrifice for Our Sins "This is love: not that we loved God, but that he loved us and sent his Son as an atoning sacrifice for our sins." 1 John 4:10
- 36. Savior "For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, who is Christ the Lord." Luke 2:11
- 37. Son of Man "For the Son of Man came to seek and to save the lost." Luke 19:10
- 38. Son of the Most High "He will be great and will be called the Son of the Most High. The Lord God will give him the throne of his father David." Luke 1:32
- 39. Supreme Creator Over All "By Him all things were created, both in the heavens and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities-- all things have been created through Him and for Him. He is before all things, and in Him all things hold together...." 1 Cor. 1:16-17
- 40. Resurrection and the Life "Jesus said to her, "I am the resurrection and the life. The one who believes in me will live, even though they die." John 11:25
- 41. The Door "I am the door. If anyone enters by me, he will be saved and will go in and

out and find pasture." John 10:9

- 42. The Way "Jesus answered, "I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me." John 14:6
- 43. The Word "In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God." John 1:1
- 44. True Vine "I am the true vine, and My Father is the vinedresser." John 15:1
- 45. Truth "And you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free." John 8:32
- 46. Victorious One "To the one who is victorious, I will give the right to sit with me on my throne, just as I was victorious and sat down with my Father on his throne." Rev. 3:21
- 47. 50. Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace "For to us a child is born, to us a son is given, and the government will be on his shoulders. And he will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace." Is. 9:6

# 24 Sections with 400+ Names, Titles, Descriptions, and Truths of and about Jesus Christ

I.—And Simon Peter answered and said, 'You are the Christ, the Son of the Living God.' Mat 16:16

The Son 1 Jo 4:14 The Son of God Jhn 1:34 The Son of the living God Mat 16:16 His only begotten Son Jhn 3:16

The Son of the Father 1Jo 1:3

The only begotten of the Father Jhn 1:14

The only begotten Son, which is in the bosom of the Father Jhn 1:18

The first-born of every creature Col 1:15

His own Son Rom 8:32

A Son given Isa 9:6

One Son (his well-beloved) Mar 12:6

My Son Psa 2:7

His dear Son (or the Son of his love) Col 1:13

The Son of the Highest Luk 1:32

The Son of the Blessed Mar 14:61

Secret Jdg 13:18

Wonderful Isa 9:6

Testimony borne to the Son by the Father, by Jesus Himself, by the Spirit, by Angels, saints, men and devils.

The Father, "My Beloved Son." Mat 17:5

Jesus Himself, "I am the Son of God." Jhn 10:36

The Spirit, "The Son of God." Mar 1:1

Gabriel, "The Son of God." Luk 1:35; 2:11

John Baptist, "This is the Son of God." Jhn 1:34

John, Apostle, "The Christ, the Son of God." Jhn 20:31

Paul, Apostle, "He is the Son of God." Act 9:20 Disciples, "You are the Son of God." Mat 14:33

Nathaniel, "Rabbi, you are the Son of God." Jhn 1:49

Martha, "The Christ, the Son of God." Jhn 11:27

Eunuch, "Jesus Christ is the Son of God." Act 8:37

Centurion, "Truly this was the Son of God." Mar 15:39

Unclean spirits, "You are the Son of God." Mar 3:11

The Legion, "You Son of the Most High God." Mar 5:7

II.—But to the Son He says: "Your throne, O God, is forever and ever." Hbr 1:8

God Jhn 1:1; Mat 1:23; Isa 40:3

Thy throne, O God, is for ever and ever Hbr 1:8

The Mighty God Isa 9:6

The Everlasting God Isa 40:28

The True God 1Jo 5:20

My Lord and my God Jhn 20:28

God my Saviour Luk 1:47

Over all, God blessed for ever. Amen Rom 9:5

The God of the whole earth Isa 54:5

God manifest in the flesh 1Ti 3:16

Our God and Savior 2Pe 1:1

The great God and our Saviour, Jesus Christ Tts 2:13

Emanuel, God with us Mat 1:23

The God of Abraham, The God of Isaac, The God of Jacob Exd 3:2, 6

The Highest Luk 1:76

III.—Truly, truly, I say to you, Before Abraham was, I am. Jhn 8:58. Holy, Holy, Holy is the

Lord of Hosts. Isa 6:3

Jehovah Isa 40:3

The Lord Jehovah Isa 40:10

Jehovah my God Zec 14:5

Jehovah of Hosts Isa 6:3; Jhn 12:41

Jehovah, God of Hosts Hsa 12:4, 5; Gen 32:24

The King, Jehovah of Hosts Isa 6:5

The Strong and Mighty Jehovah Psa 24:8

Jehovah, mighty in battle Psa 24:8

The Man, Jehovah's Fellow Zec 13:7

Jehovah-tsidkenu (the Lord our righteousness) Jer 23:6

The Lord Rom 10:13; Joe 2:32

The Lord of Glory 1Cr 2:8

The Same Hbr 1:12; Psa 102:27

I am Exd 3:14; Jhn 8:24

I am (before Abraham was) Jhn 8:58

I am (whom they sought to kill) Jhn 18:5, 6

I am (the Son of Man lifted up) Jhn 8:28

I am (the Resurrection and the Life) Jhn 11:25

IV.—He is before All things, and by Him all things consist. Col 1:17

The Almighty, which is, and which was, and which is to come Rev 1:8

The Creator of all things Col 1:16

The Upholder of all things Hbr 1:3

The Everlasting Father (or Father of Eternity) Isa 9:6

The Beginning Col 1:18

The Beginning and the Ending Rev 1:8

The Alpha and the Omega Rev 1:8

The First and the Last Rev 1:17

The Life 1Jo 1:2

Eternal Life 1Jo 5:20

That Eternal Life which was with the Father 1Jo 1:2

He that liveth Rev 1:18

V.—No one has seen God at any time. The only begotten Son, who is in the bosom of the Father, He has declared Him. . Jhn 1:18

The Word Jhn 1:1

The Word was with God Jhn 1:1

The Word was God Jhn 1:1

The Word of God Rev 19:13

The Word of Life 1Jo 1:1

The Word was made flesh Jhn 1:14

The Image of God 2Cr 4:4

The Image of the Invisible God Col 1:15

The Express Image of his Person Hbr 1:3

The Brightness of his Glory Hbr 1:3

Wisdom Pro 8:12, 22

The Wisdom of God 1Cr 1:24

The Power of God 1Cr 1:24

My Messenger Isa 42:19

The Messenger of the Covenant Mal 3:1

The Angel of Jehovah Gen 22:15

The Angel of God Gen 31:11, 13; Exd 14:19

The Angel of his presence Isa 63:9

VI.—You have made Him a little lower than the angels. Hbr 2:7

The Man Jhn 19:5

The Man Christ Jesus 1Ti 2:5

A Man approved of God Act 2:22

The Second Man, the Lord from heaven 1Cr 15:47

The Son of Man Mar 10:33

The Son of Abraham Mat 1:1

The Son of David Mat 1:1

The Son of Mary Mar 6:3

The Son of Joseph (reputed) Jhn 1:45

The Seed of the Woman Gen 3:15

The Seed of Abraham Gal 3:16, 19

Of the Seed of David Rom 1:3

VII.—Behold, I have come to do your will, O God. Hbr 10:9

The Babe Luk 2:12

The Child Isa 7:16

The Young Child Mat 2:20

A Child Born Isa 9:6

The Child Jesus Luk 2:43

Her First-Born Son Luk 2:7

The Sent of the Father Jhn 10:36

The Apostle Hbr 3:1

A Prophet Act 3:22, 23

A Great Prophet Luk 7:16

The Prophet of Nazareth Mat 21:11

A Prophet mighty in deed and word Luk 24:19

A Servant Phl 2:7

The Servant of the Father Mat 12:18

My Servant, O Israel Isa 49:3

My Servant, the Branch Zec 3:8

My Righteous Servant Isa 53:11

A Servant of Rulers Isa 49:7

A Nazarene, or Nazarite Mat 2:23

The Carpenter Mar 6:3

The Carpenter's Son (reputed) Mat 13:55

He Humbled Himself unto death Phl 2:8

A Stranger and an Alien Psa 69:8

A Man of Sorrows Isa 53:3

A Worm, and no Man Psa 22:6

Accursed of God (or the Curse of God) Deu 21:23

VIII.—God has given Him a name which is above every name. Phl 2:9, 10

Jesus Mat 1:21

Jesus Himself Luk 24:15

I, Jesus Rev 22:16

A Saviour, Jesus Act 13:23

The Saviour of the World 1Jo 4:14

A Saviour, which is Christ the Lord Luk 2:11

Jesus Christ Rev 1:5

The Lord Jesus Christ Col 1:2

Our Lord Jesus Christ Himself 2Th 2:16

Jesus the Christ Mat 16:20

Jesus Christ our Lord Rom 5:21

Jesus Christ the Righteous 1Jo 2:1

Jesus Christ, the same yesterday, to-day and for ever Hbr 13:8

Jesus of Nazareth Act 22:8

Jesus Christ of Nazareth Act 4:10

Lord Jesus Act 7:59

Christ Jesus 1Ti 1:15

Christ Mat 23:8

Messiah, which is called Christ Jhn 4:25

Anointed Psa 2:2; Act 4:27

Christ the Lord Luk 2:11

The Lord Christ Col 3:24

The Christ of God Luk 9:20

The Lord's Christ Luk 2:26

The Christ, the Son of the Blessed Mar 14:61

The Christ, the Saviour of the World Jhn 4:42

IX.—Worthy is the Lamb who was slain to receive power, riches, wisdom, strength, honor, glory and blessing. Rev 5:12

The Lamb of God Jhn 1:29

A Lamb without blemish and without spot 1Pe 1:19

The Lamb that was slain Rev 5:12

A Lamb as it had been slain Rev 5:6

The Lamb in the midst of the throne Rev 7:17

The Bridegroom Mat 9:15; Rev 21:9

The Lamb (the Temple of the City) Rev 21:22

The Lamb (the Light of the City) Rev 21:23

The Lamb (the Overcomer) Rev 17:14

X.—I will set up One Shepherd over them, and he will feed them. Eze 34:23

One Shepherd Jhn 10:16

Jehovah's Shepherd Zec 13:7

The Shepherd of the Sheep Hbr 13:20

The Way Jhn 14:6

The Door of the Sheep Jhn 10:7

The Shepherd of Israel Eze 34:23

The Shepherd and Bishop of Souls 1Pe 2:25

The Good Shepherd (that laid down his life) Jhn 10:11

The Great Shepherd (that was brought again from the dead) Hbr 13:20

The Chief Shepherd (that shall again appear) 1Pe 5:4

XI.—The Tree of Life in the midst of the Paradise of God. Rev 2:7

The Root of Jesse Isa 11:10

The Root of David Rev 5:5

The Root and Offspring of David Rev 22:16

A Rod out of the stem of Jesse Isa 11:1

A Branch out of his roots Isa 11:1

The Branch Zec 6:12

The Branch of the Lord Isa 4:2

The Branch of Righteousness Jer 33:15

A Righteous Branch Jer 23:5

The Branch strong for thyself Psa 80:15

The Vine Jhn 15:5

The True Vine Jhn 15:1

The Tree of Life Rev 2:7

The Corn of Wheat Jhn 12:24

The Bread of God Jhn 6:33

The True Bread from Heaven Jhn 6:32

The Bread which came down from Heaven Jhn 6:41

The Bread which cometh down from Heaven Jhn 6:50

The Bread of Life Jhn 6:35

The Living Bread Jhn 6:51

The Hidden Manna Rev 2:17

A Plant of Renown Eze 34:29

The Rose of Sharon Sgs 2:1

The Lily of the Valley Sgs 2:1

A Bundle of Myrrh Sgs 1:13

A Cluster of Camphire Sgs 1:14

XII.— I am the Light of the world; he who follows me shall posses the Light of life. Jhn 8:12

The Light Jhn 12:35

The True Light Jhn 1:9

A Great Light Isa 9:2

A Light came into the world Jhn 12:46

The Light of the world Jhn 8:12

The Light of men Jhn 1:4

A Light to lighten the Gentiles Luk 2:32

A Light of the Gentiles Isa 42:6

A Star Num 24:17

The Morning Star Rev 2:28

The Bright and Morning Star Rev 22:16

The Day Star 2Pe 1:19

The Day-spring from on High Luk 1:78

The Sun of Righteousness Mal 4:2

XIII.—The name of the Lord is a Strong Tower. Pro 18:10

The Strength of the children of Israel Joe 3:12-16

A Strength to the Poor Isa 25:4

A Strength to the needy in distress Isa 25:4

A Refuge from the Storm Isa 25:4

A Covert from the Tempest Isa 32:2

The Hope of his people Joe 3:12-16

## A Horn of Salvation Luk 1:69

XIV.—They drank of that spiritual Rock that followed them, and that Rock was Christ. 1Cr 10:4

The Rock Mat 16:18
My Strong Rock Psa 31:2
The Rock of Ages Isa 26:4
The Rock that is higher than I Psa 61:2
My Rock and my Fortress Psa 31:3
The Rock of my Strength Psa 62:7
The Rock of my Refuge Psa 94:22
A Rock of Habitation Psa 71:3
The Rock of my Heart Psa 73:26
The Rock of my Salvation 2Sa 22:47
My Rock and my Redeemer Psa 19:14
That Spiritual Rock 1Cr 10:4
The Rock that followed them 1Cr 10:4
A Shadow from the Heat Isa 25:4

XV.—For no other foundation can anyone lay than that which is laid, which is Jesus Christ. 1Cr 3:11

The Builder Hbr 3:3; Mat 16:18

The Foundation 1Cr 3:11

A Sure Foundation Isa 28:16

A Stone Isa 28:16

A Living Stone 1Pe 2:4

A Tried Stone Isa 28:16

A Chief Corner-stone 1Pe 2:6

An Elect Stone 1Pe 2:6

A Precious Stone 1Pe 2:6

The Head Stone of the Corner Psa 118:22

A Stone cut out without hands Dan 2:34, 45

But unto them which are disobedient, –

A Stone of Stumbling 1Pe 2:8

A Rock of Offense 1Pe 2:8

XVI.—And in His temple everyone says, "Glory!". Psa 29:9

The Temple Rev 21:22

A Sanctuary Isa 8:14

The Minister of the Sanctuary and of the True Tabernacle Hbr 8:2

Minister of the Circumcision Rom 15:8

The Veil (his flesh) Hbr 10:20

The Altar Hbr 13:10

The Offerer Hbr 7:27

The Offering Eph 5:2

The Sacrifice Eph 5:2

A Ransom (his life) Mar 10:49

The Lamb Rev 7:9

The Lamb Slain Rev 13:8

Within the Veil--

The Forerunner (for us entered, even Jesus) Hbr 6:20

The Mercy-seat (or Propitiation) Rom 3:25

The Priest Hbr 5:6

The High Priest Hbr 3:1

The Great High Priest Hbr 4:14

The Mediator 1Ti 2:5

The Daysman Job 9:33

The Interpreter Job 33:23

The Intercessor Hbr 7:25

The Advocate 1Jo 2:1 The Surety Hbr 7:22

XVII.—A present is a precious stone in the eyes of its possessor;

Wherever he turns, he prospers. . Pro 17:8

The Gift of God Jhn 4:10; 3:16

His Unspeakable Gift 2Cr 9:15

My Beloved, in whom my soul is well pleased Mat 12:18

Mine Elect, in whom my soul delighteth Isa 42:1

The Holy Child Jesus Act 4:27

The Chosen of God Luk 23:35

The Salvation of God Luk 2:30

The Salvation of the daughter of Zion Isa 62:11

The Redeemer Isa 59:20

The Shiloh (Peace-Maker) Gen 49:10

The Consolation of Israel Luk 2:25

The Blessed Psa 77:17

The Most Blessed for ever Psa 21:6

XVIII.—who was faithful to Him who appointed Him . Hbr 3:2

The Truth Jhn 14:6

The Faithful and True Rev 19:11

A Covenant of the people Isa 42:6

The Testator or Covenanter Hbr 9:16, 17

The Faithful Witness Rev 1:5

The Faithful and True Witness Rev 3:14

A Witness to the People Isa 55:4

The Amen Rev 3:14

XIX.—He that is Holy, he that is True. Rev 3:7
The Just 1Pe 3:18
The Just One Act 7:52
Thine Holy One Act 2:27
The Holy One and the Just Act 3:14
The Holy One of Israel Isa 49:7
The Holy One of God Mar 1:24
Holy, Holy, Holy Isa 6:3; Jhn 12:41

XX.—That in all things He might have the Pre-Eminence. Col 1:18

The Beginning of the Creation of God Rev 3:14 My First-Born Psa 89:27

The First-Born from the dead Col 1:18

The First-Begotten of the dead Rev 1:5

The First-Born among many Brethren Rom 8:29

The First-Fruits of them that slept 1Cr 15:20

The Last Adam 1Cr 15:45

The Resurrection Jhn 11:25

A Quickening Spirit 1Cr 15:45

The Head (even Christ) Eph 4:15

The Head of the Body, the Church Col 1:18

The Head over all things to the Church Eph 1:22

The Head of every Man 1Cr 11:3

The Head of all Principality and Power Col 2:10

XXI.—Gird your sword upon your thigh, O Mighty One, with your glory and your majesty.

Psa 45:3

The Captain of the Host of the Lord Jos 5:14

The Captain of Salvation Hbr 2:10

The Author and Finisher of Faith Hbr 12:2

A Leader Isa 55:4

A Commander Isa 55:4

A Ruler Mic 5:2

A Governor Mat 2:6

The Deliverer Rom 11:26

The Lion of the Tribe of Judah Rev 5:5

An Ensign of the People Isa 11:10

The Chiefest among Ten Thousand (in an army) Sgs 5:10

A Polished Shaft Isa 49:2

The Shield Psa 84:9

XXII.—All Power in heaven and on earth is given to Me. Mat 28:18

The Lord 1Cr 12:3

One Lord Eph 4:5

God hath made that same Jesus both Lord and Christ Act 2:36

Lord of Lords Rev 17:14

King of Kings Rev 17:14

Lord both of the dead and living Rom 14:9

Lord of the Sabbath Luk 6:5

Lord of Peace 2Th 3:16

Lord of all Act 10:36

Lord over all Rom 10:12

XXIII.—Him God has exalted to His right hand to be Prince and Savior . Act 5:31

The Messiah the Prince Dan 9:25

The Prince of Life Act 3:15

A Prince and a Saviour Act 5:31

The Prince of Peace Isa 9:6

The Prince of Princes Dan 8:25

The Prince of the Kings of the earth Rev 1:5

A Prince (among Israel) Eze 34:24

The Glory of thy people Israel Luk 2:32

He who fills all in all Eph 1:23

XXIV.—He will reign for ever and ever. Rev 11:15

The Judge Act 17:31

The Righteous Judge 2Ti 4:8

The King Zec 14:16

The King of Kings Rev 19:16

Lord of Lords Rev 19:16

A Scepter (out of Israel) Num 24:17

The King's Son Psa 72:1

David their King Jer 30:9

The King of Israel Jhn 1:49

King of the daughter of Zion Jhn 12:15

The King of the Jews (born) Mat 2:2; 15:2

The King of the Jews (crucified) Jhn 19:19

The King of Saints or King of Nations Rev 15:3

King over all the Earth Zec 14:4, 5, 9

The King of Righteousness Hbr 7:2

The King of Peace Hbr 7:2

The King of Glory Psa 24:10

The King in his beauty Isa 33:17

He sits King for ever Psa 29:10

Crowned with a Crown of Thorns Jhn 19:2

Crowned with Glory and Honor Hbr 2:9

Crowned with a Crown of Pure Gold Psa 21:3

Crowned with many Crowns Rev 19:12

Allusions, Characteristics and Epithets

As a Refiner's Fire. As Fuller's Soap Mal 3:2

As the Light of the Morning when the sun riseth, a morning without clouds. As the Tender Grass by clear shining after rain 2Sa 23:4

As a Tender Plant (to God). As a Root out of a dry ground (to man) Isa 53:2

As Rain upon the mown grass. As Showers that water the earth Psa 72:6

As Rivers of Water in a dry place. As the Shadow of a great Rock in a weary land. As an Hiding-place from the wind Isa 32:2

As Ointment poured forth Sgs 1:3

Fairer than the Children of Men Psa 45:2

A glorious high Throne from the beginning is the place of our sanctuary Jer 17:12

For a Glorious Throne to his father's house Isa 22:23

A Crown of Glory and Beauty Isa 28:5

A Stone of Grace Pro 17:8

Nail fastened in a sure place Isa 22:23

A Brother born for adversity Pro 17:17

A Friend sticks closer than a brother Pro 18:24

A Friend loves at all times Pro 17:17

His Countenance is as the sun Rev 1:16

His Countenance is as Lebanon Sgs 5:15

Yea. He is altogether lovely. This is my beloved and my Friend Sgs 5:16

Consider Him

He was Obedient Phl 2:8

He was Meek, Lowly Mat 11:29

He was Guileless 1Pe 2:22

He was Tempted Hbr 4:15

He was Oppressed Isa 53:7

He was Despised Isa 53:3

He was Rejected Isa 53:3

He was Betrayed Mat 27:3

He was Condemned Mar 14:64

He was Reviled 1Pe 2:23

He was Scourged Jhn 19:1

He was Mocked Mat 27:29

He was Wounded Isa 53:5

He was Bruised Isa 53:5

He was Stricken Isa 53:4

He was Smitten Isa 53:4

He was Crucified Mat 27:35

He was Forsaken Psa 22:1

He is Merciful Hbr 2:17

He is Faithful Hbr 2:17

He is Holy, Harmless Hbr 7:26

He is Undefiled Hbr 7:26

He is Separate Hbr 7:26

He is Perfect Hbr 5:9

He is Glorious Isa 49:5

He is Mighty Isa 63:1

He is Justified 1Ti 3:16

He is Exalted Act 2:33

He is Risen Luk 24:6

He is Glorified Act 3:13

The Lord is my Portion

My Maker, Husband Isa 54:5

My Well-beloved Sgs 1:13

My Saviour 2Pe 3:18

My Hope 1Ti 1:1

My Brother Mar 3:35

My Portion Jer 10:16

My Helper Hbr 13:6

My Physician Jer 8:22

My Healer Luk 9:11

My Refiner Mal 3:3

My Purifier Mal 3:3

My Lord, Master Jhn 13:13

My Servant Luk 12:37

My Example Jhn 13:15

My Teacher Jhn 3:2

My Shepherd Psa 23:1

My Keeper Jhn 17:12

My Feeder Eze 34:23

My Leader Isa 40:11

My Restorer Psa 23:3

My Resting-place Jer 50:6

My Meat (his flesh) Jhn 6:55

My Drink (his blood) Jhn 6:55

My Passover 1Cr 5:7

My Peace Eph 2:14

My Wisdom 1Cr 1:30

My Righteousness 1Cr 1:30

My Sanctification 1Cr 1:30

My Redemption 1Cr 1:30

My All in All Col 3:11

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