

# Jesus Christ (Part 1)

## Lesson 26- Spiritual Discipleship and Growth

**Intro:** This study is about the ONE Who is the sum and substance, the center and essence of Bible Christianity.

If we take Buddha from Buddhism, if we take Mohamed from Islam, if we take Smith from Mormonism, we are still left with systems of belief. But, if we take Jesus Christ from Christianity, then we have NOTHING!

Christianity is not a system of beliefs, but a Person. We are not saved through rules, rites, but through a Person.

In this study we are going to focus on two things concerning Jesus:

1. Who He is.

2. What He has done.

### **A. Jesus Christ is the Perfect Man:**

- a. Galatians 4:4. Jesus was born of a \_\_\_\_\_.
- b. Luke 2:5. Mary underwent a normal human pregnancy, she was \_\_\_\_\_ with child.
- c. Luke 2:40. Throughout His childhood, Jesus \_\_\_\_\_ in a normal way.

Read: Luke 2:40-52

- d. John 4:7-9. To the woman of Samaria, Jesus looked like a typical \_\_\_\_\_.
- e. Isaiah 53:2. This prophetic description of Jesus Christ tells us He had no \_\_\_\_\_ or attractive \_\_\_\_\_.

Note: The "religious art" portraits of Christ depicting Him with blue eyes, long straight golden hair, and fair complexion are far from reality. Our Lord no doubt looked like a very average Jew. He most likely had

olive skin, brown eyes, and short black hair. He did have a beard.

- f. John 4:6 Jesus experienced \_\_\_\_\_.
- g. Matthew 8:24. Jesus required \_\_\_\_\_.
- h. Matthew 21:18. Jesus got \_\_\_\_\_.
- i. Luke 22:44. Jesus suffered painful \_\_\_\_\_.
- j. Hebrews 4:15. Jesus was \_\_\_\_\_ in all things, just like you and I.
- k. 2 Corinthians 5:21. Jesus knew \_\_\_\_\_ sin.
- l. John 19:33. Jesus died a physical \_\_\_\_\_.

### **B. Jesus Christ is God:**

- a. John 1:14. Who is "The Word?" \_\_\_\_\_.
- b. John 1:1. The Word \_\_\_\_\_ God.
- c. John 5:18. Why did the Jews try to kill Jesus? \_\_\_\_\_.
- d. John 5:23. How does this verse relate the Father and the Son? \_\_\_\_\_.
- e. John 10:30. Jesus said He and the Father were \_\_\_\_\_.
- f. John 10:31-33. How did the Jews interpret John 10:30? \_\_\_\_\_.
- g. John 14:9. When we see Jesus we see the \_\_\_\_\_.

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h. John 20:28. What did Thomas say concerning Jesus? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.

Did Jesus rebuke Thomas for saying this? \_\_\_\_\_.

i. Hebrews 1:8. To whom is the title, "O God" given? The \_\_\_\_\_.

j. 1 John 5:20. Who is the true God and eternal life? \_\_\_\_\_.

k. Compare Titus 1:3 and Titus 1:4. Who is referred to in each verse as "our Savior?" \_\_\_\_\_.

l. Compare Genesis 1:1 with John 1:3. What is the inescapable conclusion concerning Jesus Christ? \_\_\_\_\_.

### **C. Jesus Christ was Born of a Virgin:**

From the verses that we looked at above we can see that the Lord Jesus Christ is a man and He is God. He is not 50% human and 50% God, but 100% perfect in His humanity and 100% perfect in His deity.

How can this be?!? **The God-Man!**

Although we cannot fully comprehend this truth, it is a fact clearly taught in the Bible.

a. 1 Timothy 3:16. This verse says that Jesus is God manifested in the \_\_\_\_\_.

Remember back when we looked at the Bible teaching of One God manifested in Three Persons? In the study of the Lord Jesus, we must appreciate the fact of One Person with Two natures. A divine nature, and a human nature. While we will never understand this truth, we can see how it was accomplished in the miracle of the Virgin Birth of Christ.

1. If Jesus had a human mother and a human father, He would be just another sinful man, needing to be saved, and totally incapable of saving Himself, let alone others.

2. If Jesus had no human mother and no human father, He would be unapproachable as God. Holy, and dwelling in light inaccessible.

3. The Bible teaches Jesus to be the Son of Man (because Mary was His mother) and the Son of God.

b. Isaiah 7:14. This Old Testament prophecy of Christ declared that a \_\_\_\_\_ would conceive.

c. Matthew 1:18. When Jesus was conceived in the womb of Mary, she was \_\_\_\_\_ (engaged) to Joseph; but they had not become \_\_\_\_\_ as husband and wife in marriage.

d. Luke 1:35. The conception of Jesus in the womb of Mary was the miraculous work of the \_\_\_\_\_.

The birth of Jesus Christ is indeed supernatural!

**Closing:** Everything looked at in today's lesson is under attack. Again if you can take Christ out of Christianity then we have nothing. Even though we may not fully comprehend everything in today's lesson. The Bible does teach that Christ was 100% man, 100% God and born of a virgin. All miracles accomplished by our LORD.!