



Matthew 16:13-16

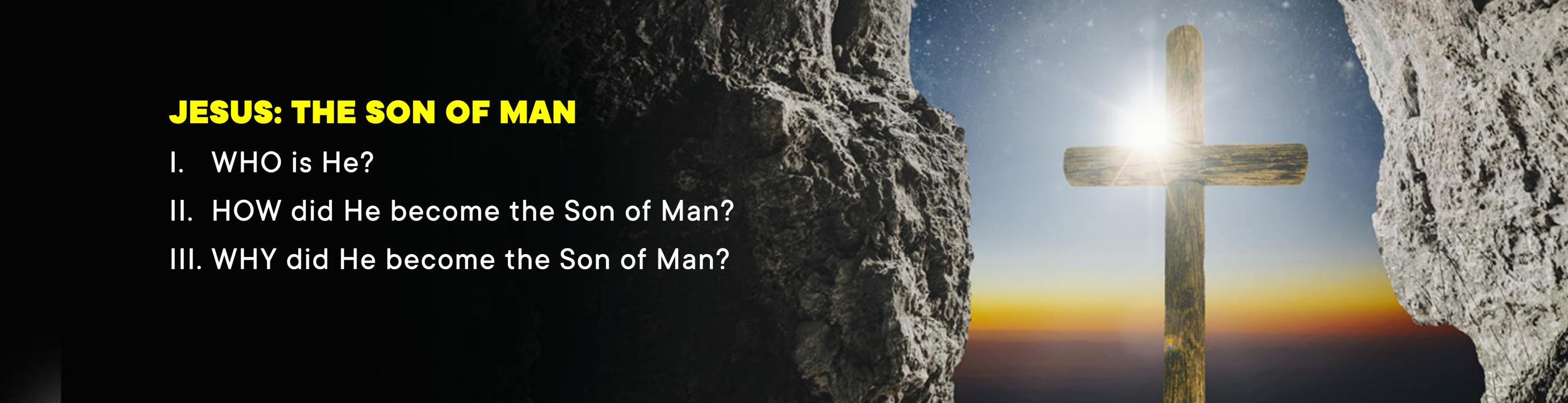
13 When Jesus came into the region of Caesarea Philippi, He asked

His disciples, saying, "Who do men say that I, the Son of Man, am?"

14 So they said, "Some say John the Baptist, some Elijah, and others Jeremiah or one of the prophets." 15 He said to them, "But who do you say that I am?"

16 Simon Peter answered and said, "You are the Christ, the Son of the living God."

Your experience of who Jesus is will change your life!



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1 John 4:2-3

2 By this you know the Spirit of God: Every spirit that confesses that Jesus Christ has come in the flesh is of God, 3 and every spirit that does not confess that Jesus Christ has come in the flesh is not of God. And this is the spirit of the Antichrist, which you have heard was coming, and is now already in the world.



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Daniel 7:13-14

13 "I was watching in the night visions, and behold, one like the Son of Man, coming with the clouds of heaven! He came to the Ancient of Days, and they brought Him near before Him. 14 Then to Him was given dominion and glory and a kingdom, that all peoples, nations, and languages should serve Him. His dominion is an everlasting dominion, which shall not pass away, and His kingdom the one which shall not be destroyed.

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Philippians 2:6-8

6 who, being in the form of God, did not consider it robbery to be equal with God, 7 but made Himself of no reputation, taking the form of a bondservant, and coming in the likeness of men. 8 And being found in appearance as a man, He humbled Himself and became obedient to the point of death, even the death of the cross.

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John 3:34 (NIV) For the one whom God has sent speaks the words of God, for God gives the Spirit without limit.

Romans12:3; Ephesians4:13

Acts 10:38 how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power, who went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with Him.

All miracles are done under The Anointing

1Corinthians12:3-11

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Genesis 3:15 And I will put enmity between you (satan) and the woman, and between your seed and her Seed; He (the Lord Jesus as the Son of Man) shall bruise your head, and you shall bruise His heel.



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Isaiah 9:6-7

6 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. 7 Of the greatness of his government and peace there will be no end. He will reign on David's throne and over his kingdom, establishing and upholding it with justice and righteousness from that time on and forever. The zeal of the Lord Almighty will accomplish this.

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Matthew 1:1, 18, 21, 23

1 The book of the genealogy of Jesus Christ, the Son of David, the Son of Abraham.

18 Now the birth of Jesus Christ was as follows: After His mother Mary was betrothed to Joseph, before they came together, she was found with child of the Holy Spirit.

21 And she will bring forth a Son, and you shall call His name Jesus, for He will save His people from their sins."

23 "Behold, the virgin shall be with child, and bear a Son, and they shall call His name Immanuel," which is translated, "God with us."





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- God could have easily destroyed the devil but this would be unjust.
- WHY? Jeremiah9:23-24
 God is perfectly loving and just and righteous
- So Jesus came as the last Adam,
 as Man, to destroy the works of the evil one

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- He came to pay the penalty for all our sins when He died bodily as Man for us (Romans 6:23)
- He offers us abundant and eternal lives when we believe in our hearts and receive Him as Lord and Saviour (Romans 10:9-10; John 10:10b; John 3:16)

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- God created man to have a relationship with Him
- When the first Adam fell, amongst other things, he lost access to God (relationship) and dominion of the earth
- Satan used these 2 rights against mankind:
 - as accuser (Revelation 12:10; Job 1; Zechariah 3; Luke 22)
- to sway the world to sin and rebellion against God's laws (2Corinthians 4:4; Ephesians 2:2; 1 John 5:19)



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- Jesus, as Son of Man, the last Adam, redeemed these 2 rights for us
- Jesus, as Man, is the Mediator between God and Man
 - 1 Timothy 2:5 For there is one God and one Mediator between God and men, the Man Christ Jesus,



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John 3:16 For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life.

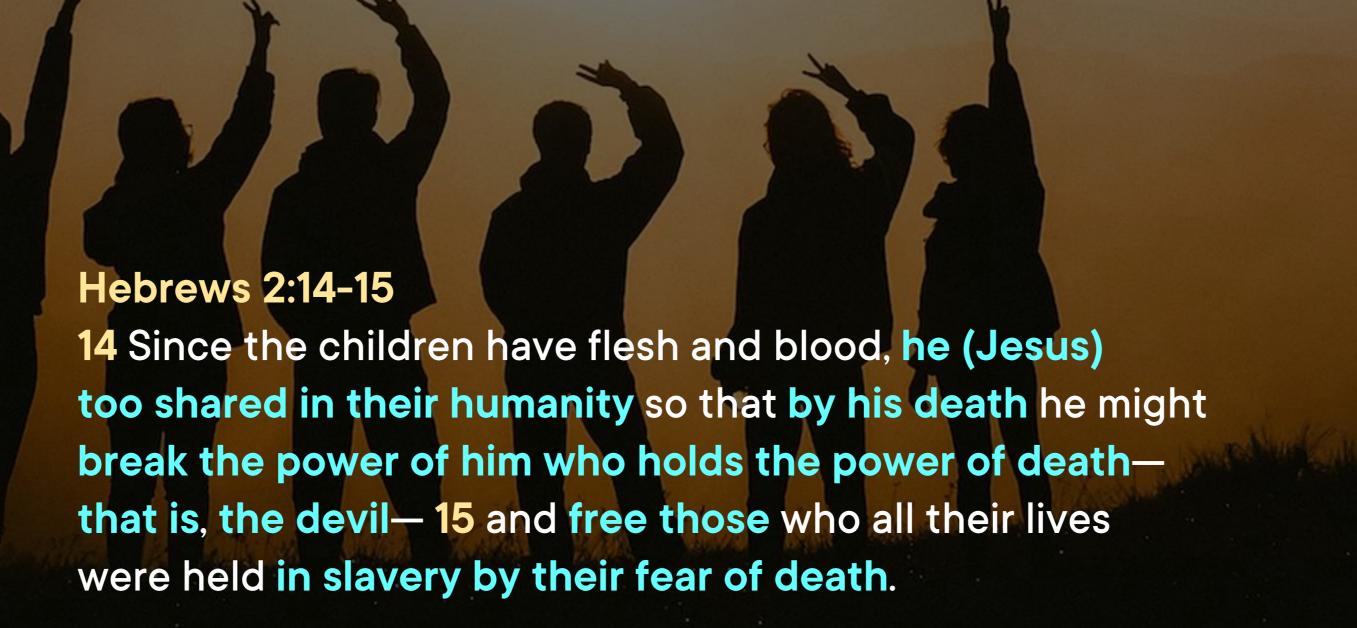
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2 Corinthians 5:18-19

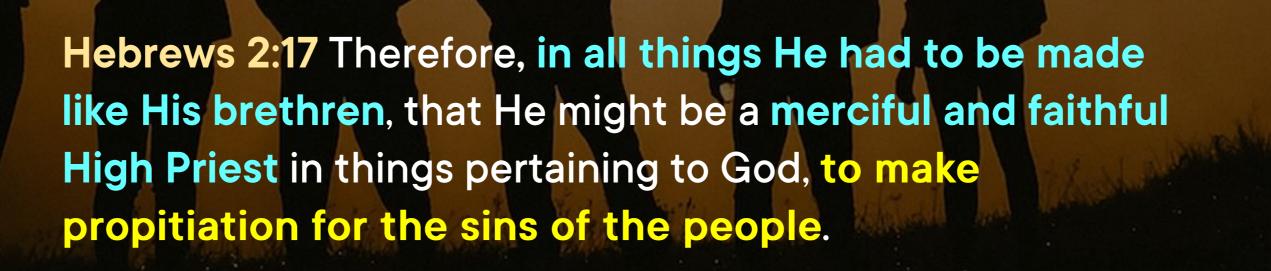
18 Now all things are of God, who has reconciled us to Himself through Jesus Christ ... 19 ... that God was in Christ reconciling the world to Himself, not imputing their trespasses to them ...



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Romans 10:9-10

9 that if you confess with your mouth the Lord Jesus and believe in your heart that God has raised Him (Jesus-Son of Man) from the dead, you will be saved. 10 For with the heart one believes unto righteousness, and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation.

We receive salvation, right standing with God, abundant life, etc.



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Isaiah 53:4-6

4 Surely He has borne our griefs and carried our sorrows; yet we esteemed Him stricken, smitten by God, and afflicted. 5 But He was wounded for our transgressions, He was bruised for our iniquities; the chastisement for our peace was upon Him, and by His stripes we are healed. 6 All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned, every one, to his own way; and the Lord has laid on Him the iniquity of us all. Galatians3:13-14

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Hebrews 4:15-16

15 For we do not have a High Priest who cannot sympathise with our weaknesses, but was in all points tempted as we are, yet without sin. 16 Let us therefore come boldly to the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy and find grace to help in time of need.



Matthew4; Luke4

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Access to and Abundance of Grace

- Romans 5:1-2 through Jesus we have access
- 2 Corinthians 9:8 all sufficiency for every work
- Romans 5:17b we reign in life with Christ
- 1 Peter 4:10 steward the Grace of God



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Anointing and Authority

- Acts 1:8 power
- Luke 4:18 speak, deliver, heal, wisdom
- Mark 16:15, 17-18 share Gospel, heal
- Matthew 28:18-20 make disciples, mentor
- Acts 26:18 bring salvation, deliverance
- Acts 10:38 do good, heal, deliver



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Acceptance and Approval

- Ephesians 1:6 we're accepted in the Beloved
- John 13:3 Jesus, knowing that the Father had given all things into His hands, and that He (Jesus) had come from God and was going to God ... Washed the disciples' feet
- Romans 8:14 spirit of sonship vs orphan spirit
- Philippians 2:5 have mind of Christ (John 5:19)



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We then overcome:

- the evil one via the 3 spiritual weapons (the Lord Jesus)
- the world by being plugged in the Father's love
- our self-life by the empowering of the Holy Spirit





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1 John 2:6 He who says he abides in Him ought himself also to walk just as He (The Son Of Man) walked.

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WHO IS JESUS? THE SON OF MAN BOTTOM-LINE: Luke 21:34-36

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34 But take heed to yourselves, lest your hearts be weighed down with carousing, drunkenness, and cares of this life, and that Day come on you unexpectedly. 35 For it will come as a snare on all those who dwell on the face of the whole earth. 36 Watch therefore, and pray always that you may be counted worthy to escape all these things that will come to pass, and to stand before the Son of Man."



John5:27, 12:47-48; Matthew25:31-32; Revelation 1