

High Value Living



Lesson

Who is Jesus?

Two thousand years ago, Jesus appeared on the scene of history. He was born into the world and grew up just like every other person, but he was no ordinary man. He was called the "Son of God" (Luke 1:26-38) and the "Word of God".

"In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God...The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us. We have seen his glory, the glory of the one and only Son, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth" John 1:1-3.14.

The Mission of Jesus

Jesus was sent into the world to fulfill the wonderful plan God has for your life. The Bible tells us his mission was...

- * To rescue you (Colossians 1:13)
- * To destroy Satan's work (1 John 3:8)
- * To give you birth into God's family (John 1:12-13; 3:3)
- * To restore fellowship with God (2 Corinthians 5:18; 1 John 1:3)
- * To give you eternal life (1 John 5:11-12)

Jesus Represented God

"The Son is the radiance of God's glory and the exact representation of his being, sustaining all things by his powerful word..." Hebrews 1:3.

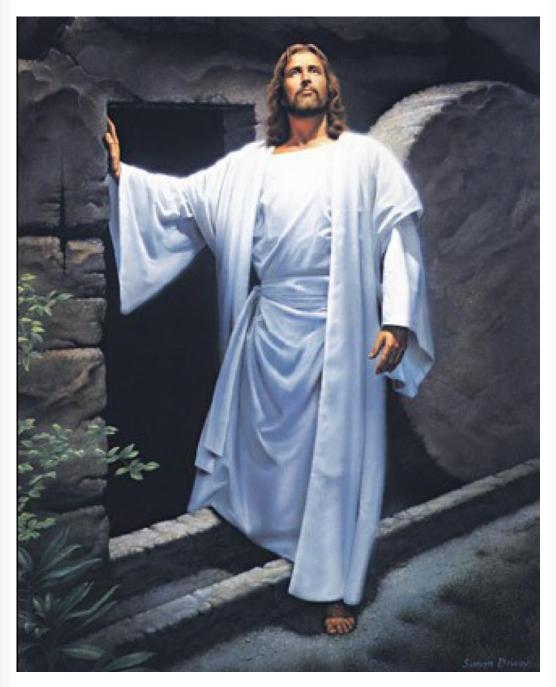
Jesus existed eternally before he took on human nature. As the Word of God, he communicated the heart of God to mankind. In Jesus, we see what God the Father is like (John 14:7-11; 1:18).

Jesus Represented You

In Jesus we not only see the perfect image of God, we also see the perfect image of mankind as God intended us to be. He shared totally in our humanity. He experienced all the troubles of life that we face and so understands how we feel (Matthew 8:17; Hebrews 4:15). He fulfilled the purpose of his coming to the earth. He opened the door to heaven for you and for me because...

- * He died for each one of us (Hebrews 2:9; Isaiah 53:5-6)
- * He was raised to life for each one of us (Ephesians 2:4-6)

Jesus came to rescue mankind



and give you a whole new life and future with God



Making the Truth Mine



Write in your own words what this lesson has meant to you and hov it will effect your life.	

You can make a difference!

For this study to have its full effect in your life, we encourage you to:

- * Read and digest the study meditate on the Word of God.
- * Put into action what you have learnt (James 1:22).
- * Share the Word of God with others.