

GOD IS HERE – “The Son of God”

JOHN 1:14 – 18; 32 - 34

There is one major theme that runs through the Book of John: Jesus Christ is the Son of God, and if you commit yourself to Him, He will give you eternal life. The Gospel of John tells us those things we need to know about Jesus in order to believe that He is God and that He gives us eternal life.

John the Baptist is one of the most important persons in the New Testament. He is mentioned over 80 times. John, the Gospel-writer, summarizes, in verses 15-18, what John the Baptist had to say about Jesus Christ. In verse 34 John the Baptist says “This is the Son of God!”

1. Jesus is _____ (vs.15)

2. Jesus Christ has fullness of _____ and _____ (vs. 16-17)

- A. If God dealt with us only according to truth, none of us would survive; but He deals with us on the basis of grace AND truth.
- B. We are saved by _____ (Ephesians 2:8-9), but we also live by _____ (1 Corinthians 15:10) and depend on God’s grace in everything we do.

3. Jesus Christ _____ God to us (vs 18).

1 Timothy 1:17; Hebrews 11:27; Romans 1:20; Colossians 1:15; Hebrews 1:3.

A. As to His essence, God is invisible.

- 1. Man can see God revealed in Nature and in His mighty works in history; but he cannot see God himself.
- 2. Jesus Christ reveals God to us because He is “image of the invisible God” and “the express image of His person”.

3. We cannot understand God apart from knowing His Son, Jesus Christ.

- B. You will remember that John had as his purpose in writing to convince us that Jesus is the Son of God (John 20:31).
- C. Even the demons admitted that Jesus is the Son of God (Mark 3:11, Luke 4:41).
 - 1.) John the Baptist is one of six people named in the Gospel of John who gave witness that Jesus is God.
The others are:
 - 2.) N_____ – John 1:49
 - 3.) P_____ - John 6:69
 - 4.) The b_____ man who was healed – John 9:35-38
 - 5.) M_____ – John 11:27
 - 6.) T_____ – John 20:28.

Conclusion:

To say that Jesus is the Son of God is to admit that Jesus IS God.

Jesus is the ONLY God.

Jesus is the ONLY Savior.

Jesus is the ONLY Way.