

The Calvary Chapel New Believers Bible Study Series

Study Number 4:

God: Jesus the Son

1. Jesus possesses all of the attributes of God

- Omnipresent - **Matthew 28:18-20**
- Omnipotent - **Matthew 28:18**
- Omniscient - **John 16:30**
- Eternal - **John 1:1, 2**
- Holy - **Acts 3:14**
- Creator - **Colossians 1:16, 17**

2. Jesus is called God in the New Testament

- **John 10:29-33; John 20:28**

Who is called God in **Hebrews 1:8**? _____

3. The uniqueness of Jesus (Webster's definition of unique "*being the only one*").

John 1:14

The words, "one and only Son" represents the Greek *monogenes*, which is derived from *genos*, which means "kind" or "species." It means "literally 'one of a kind,' 'only,' 'unique' (*unicus*), not 'only-begotten.' ... The emphasis is on the thought that, as the 'only' Son of God, He has no equal and is able fully to reveal the Father". God's personal revelation of himself in Christ has no parallel elsewhere, nor has it ever been repeated.

Unique in His virgin birth:

Prophesied in **Isaiah 7:14**

Fulfilled in **Matthew 1:18-25**

Unique in His sinless life - **Hebrews 4:14-16**

Unique in His death:

Why Did He die? - **1 Peter 3:18** _____

He was separated from the Father for the first time - **Matthew 27:46**.

Unique in His resurrection from the dead (Can not be disproved).

It is recorded in the Bible - **Matthew 28; Mark 16; Luke 24; John 20, 21**

Witnessed by over 500 people - **I Corinthians 15:1-8**

Because of His power over death and sin, we too have spiritual power in our lives.

– **I Corinthians 15:12-14, 56, Romans 5:10**

The Christian faith rests on His resurrection - **1 Corinthians 15:17**

4. Christ desires to live His Life through His children – **Galatians 2:20**

What do I receive in exchange for my life before Christ? _____

How do I allow Christ to live through me? _____

5. The only life that pleased the Father was that of His Son:

Luke 9:35 - The only way to the Father is through Jesus.

John 14:6 - There is only one life that pleased the Father - Jesus.

John 1:18 “No one has seen God at any time; the only begotten God who is in the bosom of the Father, He has explained {Him.}” – New American Standard Bible (1995)

6. Here is an aspect of Jesus that is absolutely important to all believers. So many of the questions about God can be answered by simply studying the Gospels and Jesus in their story line. As is written here in John 1, part of the reason Jesus came was to reveal God to the world. Or as is specifically said, “*exposit Him.*” Through Jesus we can see the heart of God, His compassion, His justice, His willingness to reach out to all of humanity in order to redeem us all back.

Notes or Questions _____

Assignment: Read **John 1**, memorize **John 3:16**, and pray for one another.
