Who, What, When, Where, Why, How of the Christian Experience

<u>LESSON # 6</u> CHRISTIANS BELIEVE IN JESUS THE SON

OBJECTIVE: This class delves into the assertion that Jesus embodies all the attributes of God. It begins by exploring various attributes of divinity exhibited by Jesus, including omnipresence (Matthew 28:18-20), omnipotence (Matthew 28:18), omniscience (John 16:30), eternality (John 1:1, 2), holiness (Acts 3:14), and creatorship (Colossians 1:16, 17). The class then shifts to examining how Jesus is referred to as God in the New Testament, referencing passages like John 10:29-33, John 20:28, and Hebrews 1:8.

Another key topic is the uniqueness of Jesus, described using the Webster's definition of "unique" as being the sole instance of its kind. This uniqueness is seen in his virgin birth prophesied in Isaiah 7:14 and fulfilled in Matthew 1:18-25, his sinless life (Hebrews 4:14-16), his death, resurrection, and the spiritual power bestowed upon believers through his victory over death and sin.

The class further emphasizes Christ's desire to live through his followers (Galatians 2:20), and how Jesus' life was the only one that pleased the Father (Luke 9:35). The importance of faith in Jesus as the sole way to the Father is emphasized, along with the call for intercessory prayer among believers.

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(I) JESUS POSSESSES ALL THE <u>ATTRIBUTES OF GOD</u>

(A) Omnipresent - Matthew 28:18-20
(B) Omnipotent-Matthew 28:18
(C) Omniscient-John 16:30
(D) Eternal John 1:1, 2
(E) Holy-Acts 3:14
(F) Creator-Colossians 1:16, 17
(II) JESUS IS CALLED GOD IN THE NEW TESTAMENT
(A) John 10:29-33
(B) John 20:28
(C) Who is called God in Hebrews 1:8?

(III) THE UNIQUENESS OF JESUS

(A) Webster's definition of unique "being the only one".



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(B) Unique in His virgin birth: (C) Prophesied in Isaiah 7:14 (D) Fulfilled in Matthew 1:18-25 (E) Unique in His sinless life-Hebrews 4:14-16 (F) Unique in His death: 1) Why did He die? 1 Peter 3:18 (2) He was separated from the Father for the first time-Matthew 27:46. (G) Unique in His resurrection from the dead (<u>can not be disproved</u>). (1) It is recorded in the Bible-Matthew 28; (2) Mark 16; Luke 24; John 20, 21 (3) Witnessed by over 500 people-1 Corinthians 15:1-8 (4) Because of His power over death and sin, we too have spiritual power in our lives. (1 Corinthians 15:12-14, 56, Romans 5:10) (5) The Christian faith rests on His resurrection (1 Corinthians 15:17)

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(IV) CHRIST DESIRES TO LIVE HIS LIFE THROUGH HIS CHILDREN

- (A) Galatians 2:20
- (B) What do I receive in exchange for my life before Christ?
- (C) How do I allow Christ to live through me?

(V) THE ONLY LIFE THAT PLEASED THE FATHER WAS THE SON'S

- (A) Luke 9:35
- (B) The only way to the Father is through <u>Jesus</u>, John 14:6. There is only one life that pleased the Father Jesus.

Pray for one another.

