

JESUS IS GOD

Biblical Evidence and Answers to Objections

Part 2

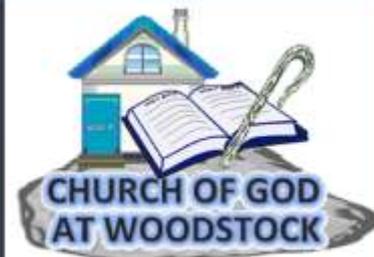


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Part 2 includes

- Why does it matter?
- Jesus as Creator.
 - Was Jesus created?
- Jesus as the First & Last / Alpha & Omega.
- Jesus Honored and Glorified.
- Summary and upcoming topics.



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**Jesus is God.
Why does this matter?**



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Many believe that Jesus was a...

- good teacher.
- great example of how to live.
- rebuker of the religious hypocrites.
- advocate for the oppressed.
- prophet.
- worker of miracles.
- fulfiller of prophecy.
- a real, historical person.

But balk at Jesus' death and resurrection.



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John 14:6

Jesus saith unto him, I am the way, the truth, and the life: **no man cometh unto the Father, but by me.**

Acts 4:12

Neither is there salvation in any other: for there is **none other name under heaven** given among men, whereby **we must be saved.**

1 John 2:23

Whosoever **denieth the Son, the same hath not the Father:** *(but) he that acknowledgeth the Son hath the Father also.*

[Heb 4:15, 10:10 2 Cor 5:21, 1 John 3:5, 4:15, 1 Peter 1:18-18, 1 Peter 2:22, Col 1:20-22]

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Romans 5:8-11

But God commendeth his love toward us, in that, while we were yet sinners, **Christ died for us**. Much more then, **being now justified by his blood**, we shall be saved from wrath through him. For if, when we were enemies, we were reconciled to God by **the death of his Son**, much more, being reconciled, **we shall be saved by his life**. And not only so, but we also joy in God through our **Lord Jesus Christ, by whom we have now received the atonement.**



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Acts 17:30–31

And the times of this ignorance God winked at; but now commandeth all men every where to repent: Because he hath appointed a day, in the which **he will judge the world in righteousness by that man whom he hath ordained**; whereof he hath given **assurance unto all men, in that he hath raised him from the dead.**



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Jesus as Creator



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Genesis 1:1

In the beginning **God created** the heaven and the earth.

Nehemiah 9:6

Thou, even thou, art **LORD** alone; **thou hast made heaven, the heaven of heavens, with all their host, the earth, and all things that are therein, the seas, and all that is therein, and thou preservest them all;** and the host of heaven worshippeth thee.



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Deuteronomy 32:15

But Jeshurun waxed fat, and kicked: thou art waxen fat, thou art grown thick, thou art covered with fatness; then he forsook **God which made him**, and lightly esteemed the **Rock of his salvation**.

1 Corinthians 10:4

And did all drink the same spiritual drink: for they drank of that spiritual Rock that followed them: and that **Rock was Christ**.



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John 1:1–3

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. The same was in the beginning with God. **All things were made by him; and without him was not any thing made that was made.**

John 1:14

And the Word was made flesh, and dwelt among us, (and we beheld his glory, the glory as of the only begotten of the Father,) full of grace and truth.



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Colossians 1:15–18

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Revelation 3:14

And unto the angel of the church of the Laodiceans write; These things saith the Amen, the faithful and true witness, **the beginning of the creation of God;**



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1 Corinthians 15:20–23

But **now is Christ risen from the dead**, and **become the firstfruits of them that slept**. For since by man came death, by man came also the resurrection of the dead. For as in Adam all die, even so in Christ shall all be made alive. But every man in his own order: **Christ the firstfruits; afterward they that are Christ's at his coming**.



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Isaiah 43:10–12

Ye are my witnesses, saith **the LORD**, and my servant whom I have chosen: that ye may know and believe me, and understand that **I am he: before me there was no God formed, neither shall there be after me.** I, even I, **am the LORD**; and beside me there is no saviour. I have declared, and have saved, and I have shewed, when there was no strange god among you: therefore ye are my witnesses, **saith the LORD, that I am God.**



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Deuteronomy 6:4

Hear, O Israel: **The LORD our God is one LORD:**

Psalms 90:2

Before the mountains were brought forth, or ever thou hadst formed the earth and the world, **even from everlasting to everlasting, thou art God.**



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1 Timothy 1:17

Now unto the King eternal, **immortal**, invisible, the only wise God, be honour and glory for ever and ever. Amen.

Titus 1:2

In hope of eternal life, which God, that cannot lie, promised **before the world began**;



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Jesus as The First & Last The Alpha and Omega



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Revelation 1:7–8

Behold, he cometh with clouds; and every eye shall see him, and they also which **pierced** him: and all kindreds of the earth shall wail because of him. Even so, Amen. **I am Alpha and Omega, the beginning and the ending,** saith the Lord, which is, and which was, and which is to come, the Almighty.



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Revelation 1:11

Saying, **I am Alpha and Omega, the first and the last**: and, What thou seest, write in a book, and send it unto the seven churches which are in Asia; unto Ephesus, and unto Smyrna, and unto Pergamos, and unto Thyatira, and unto Sardis, and unto Philadelphia, and unto Laodicea.



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Revelation 1:17–18

And when I saw him, I fell at his feet as dead. And he laid his right hand upon me, saying unto me, Fear not; **I am the first and the last: I am he that liveth, and was dead; and, behold, I am alive for evermore**, Amen; and have the keys of hell and of death.

[Rev 2:8, 22:13]



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Isaiah 48:12–13

Hearken unto me, O Jacob and Israel, my called; **I am he; I am the first, I also am the last.** Mine hand also hath laid the foundation of the earth, and my right hand hath spanned the heavens: when I call unto them, they stand up together.

[Is 41:4, 44:6]



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Jesus Honored and Glorified



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Matthew 5:16

Let your light so shine before men, that they may see **your good works**, and **glorify your Father which is in heaven**.

Isaiah 42:8

I am the LORD: that is my name: and **my glory will I not give to another**, neither my praise to graven images.



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John 17:1

These words spake Jesus, and lifted up his eyes to heaven, and said, **Father, the hour is come; glorify thy Son**, that thy Son also may glorify thee:

John 17:4–5

I have glorified thee on the earth: I have finished the work which thou gavest me to do. And now, O Father, **glorify thou me with thine own self with the glory which I had with thee before the world was.**



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Isaiah 45:22–25

Look unto me, and be ye saved, all the ends of the earth: **for I am God, and there is none else**. I have sworn by myself, the word is gone out of my mouth in righteousness, and shall not return, That **unto me every knee shall bow, every tongue shall swear**. Surely, shall one say, in the LORD have I righteousness and strength: even to him shall men come; and all that are incensed against him shall be ashamed. **In the LORD shall all** the seed of Israel be justified, and shall **glory**.

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Philippians 2:9-11

Wherefore God also hath highly exalted him, and given him a name which is above every name: That **at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of things in heaven, and things in earth, and things under the earth; And that every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.**

[Rom 14:7-9]



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Revelation 5:11-12

And I beheld, and I heard the **voice of many angels round about the throne and the beasts and the elders**: and the number of them was ten thousand times ten thousand, and thousands of thousands; Saying with a loud voice, **Worthy is the Lamb that was slain** to receive power, and riches, and wisdom, and strength, and honour, and glory, and blessing.



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Revelation 5:13

And every creature which is in heaven, and on the earth, and under the earth, and such as are in the sea, and all that are in them, heard I saying, Blessing, and honour, and glory, and power, be unto him that sitteth upon the throne, and unto the Lamb for ever and ever.



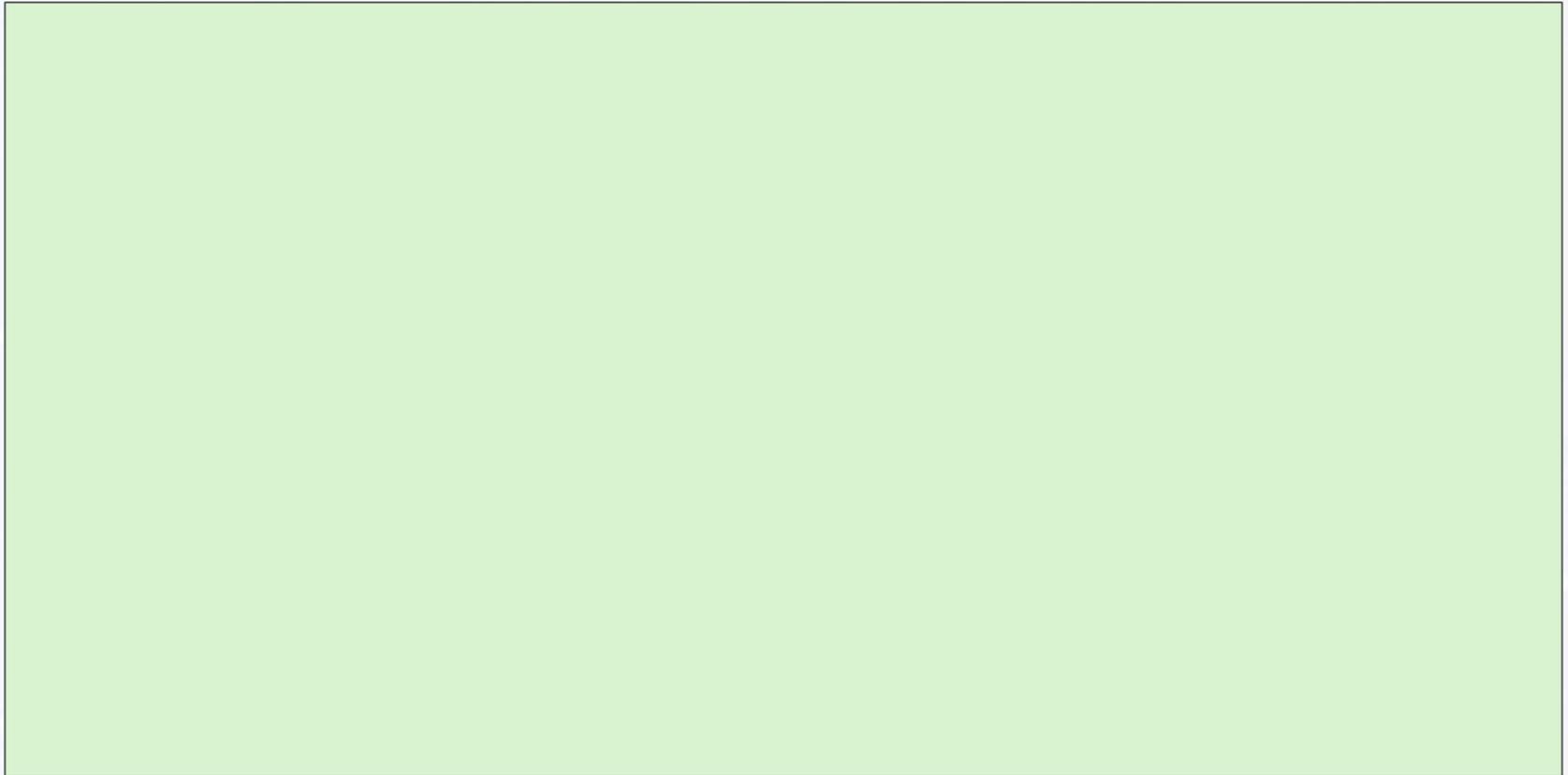
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Summary



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List of verses where Jesus says, “**I am God**”,
or someone else says “**Jesus is God**”



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Summary (Part 1)

- Those who were familiar with the early Christians understood them to believe Jesus is God
- The early Christians believed Jesus is God
- The Biblical authors believed Jesus is God
- Jesus said He is God
- Jesus is shown to be **The Son of God** – thus equal with God, thus God.



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Summary (Part 2)

- Jesus is shown to be **The Creator** – a title exclusive to God.
- Jesus is shown to be **The First & The Last / The Alpha & The Omega** – a title exclusive to God.
- Jesus is worthy of and **receives Worship, Glory and Honor** – as only God is due.



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Upcoming topics

- King of Kings
- Redeemer
- Types / Shadows
- In the beginning was the Word
- Why doesn't The Bible make it 100% clear that Jesus is God?
- How can 'one god' be obedient to 'another god'?
- There is none good but God...
- And more...



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For other foundation can no man lay than that is laid, which is Jesus Christ. 1 Cor 3:11



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