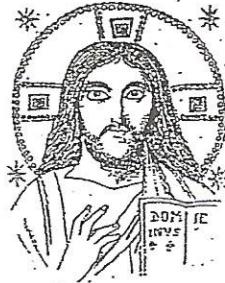


# The Uniqueness of the Lord Jesus Christ



## **He is the only One through Whom all things were made.**

John 1:3 All things were made by him; and without him was not any thing made that was made.

Col. 1:16 For by him were all things created, that are in heaven, and that are in earth, visible and invisible, whether they be thrones, or dominions, or principalities, or powers: all things were created by him, and for him.

## **He is the only Man whose birth, life, death and exaltation fulfilled hundreds of prophecies.**

Luke 24:44 And he said unto them, These are the words which I spake unto you, while I was yet with you, that all things must be fulfilled, which were written in the law of Moses, and in the prophets, and in the psalms, concerning me.

## **He is the only Man conceived miraculously, apart from any human father.**

Luke 1:35 And the angel answered and said unto her, The Holy Ghost shall come upon thee, and the power of the Highest shall overshadow thee: therefore also that holy thing which shall be born of thee shall be called the Son of God.

## **He is the only Man whose birth triggered a public celebration by multitudes of angels.**

Luke 2:13-14 <sup>13</sup> And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, and saying, <sup>14</sup> Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men.

## **He is the only Man who existed long before His birth.**

John 1:1 In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.

John 8:58 Jesus said unto them, Verily, verily, I say unto you, Before Abraham was, I am.

Mic. 5:2 But thou, Bethlehem Ephratah, though thou be little among the thousands of Judah, yet out of thee shall he come forth unto me that is to be ruler in Israel; whose goings forth have been from of old, from everlasting.

## **He is the only Man who never disobeyed God, but always did those things that were pleasing in His sight, and never committed even one act of sin.**

John 8:29 And he that sent me is with me: the Father hath not left me alone; for I do always those things that please him.

1 Pet. 2:22 Who did no sin, neither was guile found in his mouth:

## **He is the only Man who could claim to be equal with God without committing blasphemy.**

John 5:18 Therefore the Jews sought the more to kill him, because he not only had broken the sabbath, but said also that God was his Father, making himself equal with God.

## **He is the only Man who died for sinners as their sin-bearing substitutionary sacrifice.**

Isa. 53:5-6 <sup>5</sup> But he was wounded for our transgressions, he was bruised for our iniquities: the chastisement of our peace was upon him; and with his stripes we are healed.

<sup>6</sup> All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned every one to his own way; and the Lord hath laid on him the iniquity of us all.

Matt. 20:28 Even as the Son of man came not to be ministered unto, but to minister, and to give his life a ransom for many.

## **He is the only Man who knows us better than we do ourselves. 1 Cor. 4:5**

John 2:24-25 <sup>24</sup> But Jesus did not commit himself unto them, because he knew all men, <sup>25</sup> And needed not that any should testify of man: for he knew what was in man.

Mark 2:7-8 <sup>7</sup> Why doth this man thus speak blasphemies? who can forgive sins but God only?

<sup>8</sup> And immediately when Jesus perceived in his spirit that they so reasoned within themselves, he said unto them, Why reason ye these things in your hearts?

## **He is the only Man who is present everywhere at the same time.**

John 3:13 And no man hath ascended up to heaven, but he that came down from heaven, even the Son of man which is in heaven.

## **He is the only Man who was never in a hurry, never late, and fulfilled all his obligations.**

John 2:4 Jesus saith unto her, Woman, what have I to do with thee? mine hour is not yet come.

John 13:1 Now before the feast of the passover, when Jesus knew that his hour was come that he should depart out of this world unto the Father, having loved his own which were in the world, he loved them unto the end.

## **He is the only Man who will return to earth in power and great glory.**

Matt. 24:30 And then shall appear the sign of the Son of man in heaven: and then shall all the tribes of the earth mourn, and they shall see the Son of man coming in the clouds of heaven with power and great glory.

## **He is the only Man destined to be the world's King and only Potentate.**

Isa. 9:6-7 <sup>6</sup> For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given: and the government shall be upon his shoulder: and his name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, The mighty God, The everlasting Father, The Prince of Peace.

<sup>7</sup> Of the increase of his government and peace there shall be no end, upon the throne of David, and upon his kingdom, to order it, and to establish it with judgment and with justice from henceforth even for ever. The zeal of the Lord of hosts will perform this.

**He is the only Man who will judge all other men.**

John 5:22 For the Father judgeth no man, but hath committed all judgment unto the Son.

Acts 17:31 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.

**He is the only Man who will be the center of worship throughout time and eternity.**  
**“Worthy is the Lamb that was slain!”**

Rev. 5:11-12 <sup>11</sup> 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;

<sup>12</sup> 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.

**He is the only Person that men must trust in order to receive the gift of eternal life. There is no salvation apart from Him.**

John 3:16 For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.

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.

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**The Greatest Man in History had no servants,**  
yet they called Him Master.

**He had no degree,**  
yet they called Him Teacher.

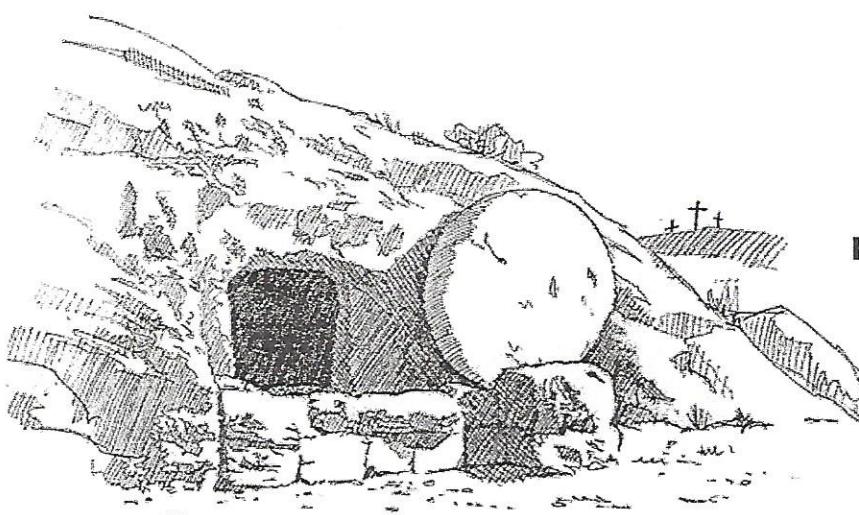
**He had no medicine,**  
yet they called Him Healer.

**He had no army,**  
yet kings feared Him.

**He won no military battles,**  
yet He conquered the world.

**He committed no crime,**  
yet they crucified Him.

**He was buried in a tomb,**  
yet He lives today.



# One Solitary Life

He was born in an obscure village  
The child of a peasant woman  
He grew up in another obscure village  
Where he worked in a carpenter shop  
Until he was thirty

He never wrote a book  
He never held an office  
He never went to college  
He never visited a big city  
He never travelled more than two hundred miles  
From the place where he was born  
He did none of the things  
Usually associated with greatness  
He had no credentials but himself

He was only thirty three

His friends ran away  
One of them denied him  
He was turned over to his enemies  
And went through the mockery of a trial  
He was nailed to a cross between two thieves  
While dying, his executioners gambled for his clothing  
The only property he had on earth

When he was dead  
He was laid in a borrowed grave  
Through the pity of a friend

Nineteen centuries have come and gone  
And today Jesus is the central figure of the human race  
And the leader of mankind's progress  
All the armies that have ever marched  
All the navies that have ever sailed  
All the parliaments that have ever sat  
All the kings that ever reigned put together  
Have not affected the life of mankind on earth  
As powerfully as that one solitary life

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