

#### The Son Of God

#### A Claim That Matters!

Defines Jesus, who He was, and what He did.

Determines the validity of our faith and hope.

Demands our acknowledgement of His deity in order to have fellowship with the Father.

A Claim Jesus Himself Made!

John 5:17-23 John 8:48-59

John 14:1-7 John 19:6,7

A Claim John The Baptist Made! (John 1:19-34)

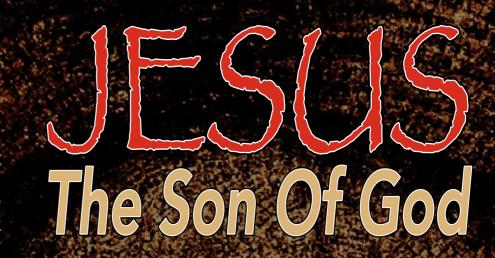
A Claim Supported By Jesus's Miracles!

A Claim Supported By God The Father!



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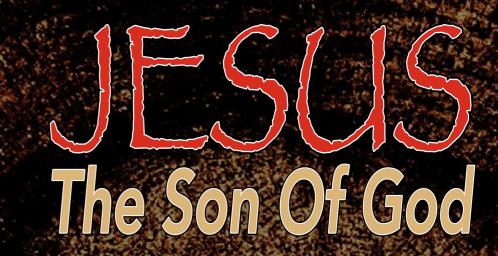
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Old Testament foretold of the coming of God's Messiah who would be a blessing to all people.

This Messiah would come in order to provide a deliverance for mankind from the curse of sin.

- √ "I will put hostility between you and the woman, and between your offspring and her offspring. He will strike your head, and you will strike his heel." (Genesis 3:15)
- √ "I will bless those who bless you, I will curse anyone who
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  will be blessed through you." (Genesis 12:3)



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- √ "The next day John saw Jesus coming toward him and said, "Here is the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world!" (John 1:29)
- √ "The one who commits sin is of the devil, for the devil has sinned from the beginning. The Son of God was revealed for this purpose: to destroy the devil's works." (I John 3:8)



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√ "See, the virgin will become pregnant and give birth to a son, and they will name him Immanuel, which is translated "God is with us." (Matthew 1:23 —> Isaiah 7:14)



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√ "'...I will raise up after you your descendant, who will come from your body, and I will establish his kingdom...I will establish the throne of his kingdom forever. ... Your house and kingdom will endure before me forever, and your throne will be established forever.'" (II Samuel 7:11-16)



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This Messiah would suffer, be killed, and be resurrected.

- ✓ The entirety of Isaiah 53.
- √ The crucifixion accounts found within the Gospels.



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✓ "I always let the Lord guide me. Because he is at my right hand, I will not be shaken. Therefore my heart is glad and my whole being rejoices; my body also rests securely. For you will not abandon me to Sheol; you will not allow your faithful one to see decay. You reveal the path of life to me; in your presence is abundant joy; at your right hand are eternal pleasures." (Psalm 16:8-11)



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✓ "Brothers and sisters, I can confidently speak to you about the patriarch David: He is both dead and buried, and his tomb is with us to this day. Since he was a prophet, he knew that God had sworn an oath to him to seat one of his descendants on his throne. Seeing what was to come, he spoke concerning the resurrection of the Messiah: He was not abandoned in Hades, and his flesh did not experience decay." (Acts 2:29-31)



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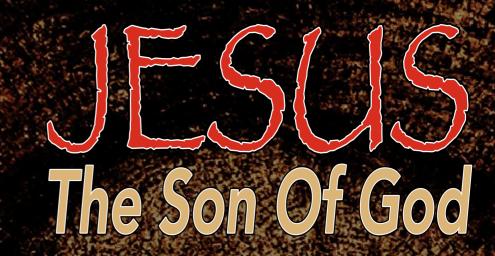
Testify to specific characteristics of the Messiah that He had no ability to purposefully fulfill.



Old Testament foretold of specific characteristics that He would have no ability to fulfill or influence.

He was to be born of a virgin woman.

- ✓ "Therefore, the Lord himself will give you a sign: See,
  the virgin will conceive, have a son, and name him
  Immanuel." (Isaiah 7:14)
- √ "...The virgin's name was Mary. And the angel came to her... You will conceive and give birth to a son, and you will name him Jesus..." (Luke 1:25-36)



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He would be of the Abrahamic bloodline.

- ✓ "I will bless those who bless you, I will curse anyone who treats
  you with contempt, and all the peoples on earth will be blessed
  through you." (Genesis 12:3)
- ✓ "An account of the genealogy of Jesus Christ, the Son of David,
  the Son of Abraham..." (Matthew 1:1)
- ✓ "Now the promises were spoken to Abraham and to his seed. He does not say "and to seeds," as though referring to many, but referring to one, and to your seed, who is Christ." (Galatians 3:16)



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He would be of the Davidic bloodline.

- ✓ "...I will raise up after you your descendant, who will come from your body, and I will establish his kingdom..." (II Samuel 7:11)
- ✓ "He will be great and will be called the Son of the Most High, and the Lord God will give him the throne of his father David. He will reign over the house of Jacob forever, and his kingdom will have no end." (Luke 1:32,33)



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He would be born in Bethlehem.

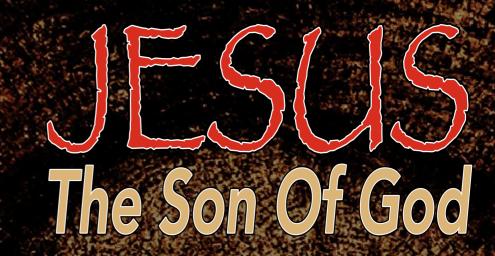
- ✓ "Bethlehem Ephrathah, you are small among the clans of Judah; one will come from you to be ruler over Israel for me. His origin is from antiquity, from ancient times." (Micah 5:2)
- ✓ "After Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea in the days of King Herod, wise men from the east arrived in Jerusalem, saying, 'Where is he who has been born king of the Jews? For we saw his star at its rising and have come to worship him.'" (Matthew 2:1,2)



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He would be killed alongside sinners.

- ✓ "Therefore I will give him the many as a portion, and he will receive the mighty as spoil, because he willingly submitted to death, and was counted among the rebels; yet he bore the sin of many and interceded for the rebels." (Isaiah 53:12)
- √ "Two others—criminals—were also led away to be executed with him. When they arrived at the place called The Skull, they crucified him there, along with the criminals, one on the right and one on the left." (Luke 23:32,33)



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He would be raised from the dead.

- ✓ "Therefore my heart is glad and my whole being rejoices; my body also rests securely. For you will not abandon me to Sheol; you will not allow your faithful one to see decay." (Psalm 16:9,10)
- ✓ "When they entered the tomb, they saw a young man dressed in a white robe sitting on the right side; they were alarmed. 'Don't be alarmed,' he told them. 'You are looking for Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified. He has risen! He is not here. See the place where they put him.'" (Mark 16:5,6)



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