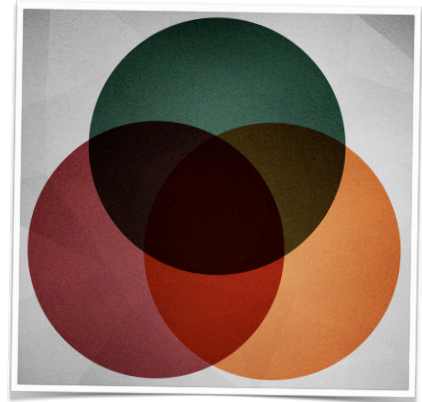


God the **Father** had a wonderful plan to send God the **Son** to save us and God the Spirit to guide us. God is **ABOVE** us and **FOR** us. In what way? Can you find **John 1** in your Bible?

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was _____ God, and the Word _____ God. He was in the beginning with God. All things were made through him, and without him was not any thing made that was made. In him was life, and the life was the light of men. (John 1:1-4)

And the Word became _____ and dwelt among us, and we have seen his glory, glory as of the only _____ from the Father, full of grace and truth. (John 1:14)

“**The Word**”—**God’s** own **Son**—was there, in the beginning. In **Colossians 1:16-17** we’re told that “All things were created through him and _____ him.”



But **God’s Son** has also played a **BIG** role in God’s wonderful plan to save us from our sins. **God the Son** was willing to “partake” of “flesh and blood” (**Hebrews 2:14**). He was born as a baby, just like you were! He grew up, just like you’re growing up. He is “**Immanuel**” (**Matthew 1:23**). Do you know what that means? “Immanuel” means “God _____ us.” **God the Son** is **FOR** us. He lived **for** us and was willing to give his own life **for** us, “that through death he might destroy the one who has the power of death, that is, the _____” (**Hebrews 2:14**).

“Though he was in the form of God” and “did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped,” **God the Son** “emptied himself, by taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men” (**Philippians 2:5-8**). At the heart of the “good news” message of the gospel is Jesus “delivered up according to the definite plan and foreknowledge of God” (**Acts 2:22-24**). **But he has conquered death!** “All authority in heaven and on earth,” he says in **Matthew 28:18**, “has been given to me.”

FOUNDATION STONES

Let's get our Bibles out and ready! We're going to go around the room, looking at several Bible passages about **Jesus—God the Son**.



What are these verses telling us about Jesus? Who **IS** he? What do we see about him in...

- ✿ Matthew 16:16 -
- ✿ Ephesians 1:22-23 -
- ✿ Colossians 1:13 -
- ✿ Hebrews 8:1 -
- ✿ 1 Timothy 2:5 -
- ✿ 1 Corinthians 15:20-26 -
- ✿ John 5:28-29 -
- ✿ 2 Corinthians 5:10 -
- ✿ 1 Thessalonians 4:17 -

