

Christ Revealed – John 1:1-8

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John 1:1-18

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. He was in the beginning with God. – **John 1:1-2**

The Word is Jesus Christ

He is clothed in a robe dipped in blood, and the name by which he is called is The Word of God. – **Revelation 19:13**

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“I am the Alpha and the Omega,” says the Lord God, “who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty.” – **Revelation 1:8**

And he said to me, “It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end. To the thirsty I will give from the spring of the water of life without payment. – **Revelation 21:6**

“Behold, I am coming soon, bringing my recompense with me, to repay each one for what he has done. I am the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end.”

– **Revelation 22:12-13**

Three Persons One Essence

The Word was God

The Word was with God

Created Through Christ

All things were made through him, and without him was not any thing made that was made. – **John 1:3**

The World Rejected Him

In him was life, and the life was the light of men. The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it. – **John 1:4-5**

There was a man sent from God, whose name was John. He came as a witness, to bear witness about the light, that all might believe through him. He was not the light, but came to bear witness about the light. – **John 1:6-8**

The true light, which gives light to everyone, was coming into the world. He was in the world, and the world was made through him, yet the world did not know him. He came to his own, and his own people did not receive him. – **John 1:9-11**

He answered, "I was sent only to the lost sheep of the house of Israel." – **Matthew 15:24**

He was in the world, and the world was made through him, yet the world did not know him. – **John 1:10**

Romans 1:18-23

By the Will of God

But to all who did receive him, who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of God, who were born, not of blood nor of the will of the flesh nor of the will of man, but of God. – **John 1:12-13**

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Romans 8:31-39

And I am sure of this, that he who began a good work in you will bring it to completion at the day of Jesus Christ. – **Philippians 1:6**

Condescended

And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we have seen his glory, glory as of the only Son from the Father, full of grace and truth. – **John 1:14**

CONDESCEND [NW1828]: To descend from the privileges of superior rank or dignity, to do some act to an inferior

(John bore witness about him, and cried out, “This was he of whom I said, ‘He who comes after me ranks before me, because he was before me.’”) For from his fullness we have all received, grace upon grace. For the law was given through Moses; grace and truth came through Jesus Christ. No one has ever seen God; God the only Son, who is at the Father's side, he has made him known. – **John 1:15-18**