

# GOD

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"In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, **and the Word was God**. This One 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. And the light shines in darkness; and the darkness did not comprehend it. (JOHN 1:1-5)

**And the Word was made flesh** (became human), and dwelt among us; and we beheld His glory, the glory as of the only begotten of the Father, full of grace and truth. John bore witness of Him, and cried, saying, "This was He of whom I spoke, He who comes after me is preferred before me; for He was before me." And of His fulness we have all received, and grace for grace. For the law was given by Moses, but grace and truth came by Jesus Christ. No man has seen God at any time, the only begotten Son, who is in the bosom of the Father, He declares Him." (JOHN 1:14-18)

**God:** from the Greek word: *theos* which means: "God, a god; the Supreme Being who created all things.

**Word:** from the Greek word: *logos* which means: "a word (as embodying an idea), a statement, a speech, an utterance; a communication, reasonings or thoughts or intelligence orally expressed or written.

Jesus is the 'Word' the 'Logos' who was God – the **expressed mind and will of God**: all knowledge, all understanding, all wisdom, all truth, all judgement, all prophecy, all creative thought: including the Word of God that spoke into existence the created universe.

In the context of these verses, The "Word" or the "Logos" is said to have existed in the beginning before anything was created. It is then says that the "Word" was with God, again before any thing was created. It then says that the "**Word was God**"; and was "**in the beginning with God**."

The "Word" is then 'personified' when it says, "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." Thus, Jesus is the Living Word (God) who enlightens mankind!

It also says, "And the Word (who is God) **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." That is, the "Word who was God" became **a human being**, and was the **Child given**, the **Son born**, the only begotten **Son of God** who was born in Bethlehem, the promised Jewish Messiah, the Christ' Thus the Man Jesus is God incarnate.

Consider also these verses:

"Now the birth of Jesus Christ was like this: When His mother Mary was engaged to Joseph, before they came together, she was found to be with child by the Holy Spirit. Then Joseph her husband, being a just man, and not willing to make her a public example, was minded to put her away privately. But while he thought on these things, behold, the angel of the LORD appeared unto him in a dream, saying, "Joseph, you son of David, fear not to take unto yourself Mary as your wife: for that which is conceived within her is of the Holy Spirit. And she shall bring forth a Son, and you shalt call His name Jesus; for He shall save His people from their sins. Now all this was done, so that it might be fulfilled which was spoken of the Lord by the prophet, saying, "Behold, a virgin shall be with child, and shall bring forth a Son, and they shall call His name Emmanuel, which being interpreted is, God with us." (Matthew 1:18-23-25)(Isaiah 7:14)

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"God, who at various ways and in diverse manners spoke in times past unto the fathers by the prophets, has in these last days spoken unto us by **His Son**, whom He has appointed Heir of all things, through whom also He made the ages. Who being the **Brightness of His glory**, and the **Exact-Impression of His Substance**, and upholding all things by the word of His power, when He had by Himself purged our sins, and sat down on the right hand of the Majesty on High; being made so much better than the angels, as He has by inheritance obtained a more excellent name than they." (Hebrews 1:1-4)

"...Giving thanks unto the Father, who has made us qualified to be partakers of the inheritance of the saints in light. For He has delivered us from the power of darkness, and has translated us into the kingdom of His dear Son; In whom we have redemption through his blood, even the forgiveness of sin. **He is the Image of the Invisible God**, the firstborn of all Creation: For through 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 through Him, and for Him: And He is before all things, and through Him all things consist. (Colossians 1:12-17)

Consider the following:

"Now Thomas, one of the twelve, called Didymus, was not with them when Jesus came. The other disciples therefore said unto him, "We have seen the LORD." But he said unto them, "Except I shall see in His hands the print of the nails, and put my finger into the print of the nails, and thrust my hand into His side, I will not believe." And after eight days again His disciples were within, and Thomas with them. Then came Jesus, the doors being shut, and stood in the midst, and said, "Peace be unto you." Then He said to Thomas, "Reach hear with your finger, and behold My hands; and reach her with your hand, and thrust it into My side; and be not faithless, but believing." And Thomas answered and said unto Him, "**My Lord and my God.**" Then Jesus said unto him, "Thomas, because you have seen Me, you have believed; **blessed are they who have not seen, and yet have believed.**" (JOHN 20:24-29)

The Father says of Himself, "Thus says the LORD the King of Israel, and his redeemer the LORD (Jehovah) of hosts; **I am the First, and I am the Last**; and **besides Me there is no God.**" (Isaiah 44:6 )

The Son, Jesus, says of Himself, "**I am the First and the Last**: I am He who lives, and was dead; and, behold, I am alive for evermore, Amen." (Revelation 1:17-18)

Jesus said to Philip, "He who has seen Me (Jesus) **has** seen the Father (God)!"

## JESUS IS ...

God!

the Word who is God - who became flesh - Jesus; full of Grace and Truth!  
the Word through Whom all things were made!  
the Living word Whose Life is the True Light of men!

Jesus You are my Lord, and my King, and my God!  
You are my Savior, and my Deliverer, and my Everlasting Father!

Thank You Jesus!