

In the Name Jesus Every Knee Should Bow

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"Let this mind be in you, which was also in Christ Jesus; who, being in the form of God, thought it not robbery to be **equal with God**; but made **Himself of no reputation**, and took upon Himself the form of a servant, and was made in the likeness of men. And being found in fashion as a man, He humbled Himself, and became obedient unto death, even the death of the Cross. Therefore, God also has **highly exalted Him**, and given Him **a Name** which is above every name; so that **in the Name Jesus, every knee should bow**, of things in heaven, and things in earth, and things under the earth; and that every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father." (Philippians 2:5-11)

In the Name: from the Greek words *en to onomati* which mean: in the name; *onomati*: that by what someone is called: whether their personal name; or in reference to who a person is: including character, fame, or reputation: whether in a positive or negative sense. In context: everyone, who is truly in Jesus, and He in them, are those who will truly bend the knee in adoration and worship, confessing Jesus as Lord, in recognition that Jesus is God in human flesh; and worthy of the same worship as unto God the Father.

Jesus: from the Greek word *iesou (iesous)* which means: Jesus: the Greek form of Joshua. The name signifies Yahweh-is-salvation or Yahweh-saves; and in essence means that God came to earth in the form of Jesus to be the Savior of the world. Thus, Jesus has come in the flesh as God incarnate. Those believers who are in Christ Jesus, and He in them, are those who in the Name Jesus bow before Him, confessing that He is their Lord, as it says:

"Hereby you know the Spirit of God; every spirit that confesses that Jesus Christ is come in the flesh is of God; and every spirit that does not confess that Jesus Christ has come in the flesh is not of God; and this is that spirit of antichrist, of whom you have heard that it should come; and even now it is already in the world." (1 John 4:2-3)

Every Knee: from the Greek words *pan gony* which mean: every knee; speaking of the physical knee, by which we bend the leg in activity such as walking, or work, or kneeling in worship. ("Cultural and Historical Background: In ancient Greek and Jewish culture, bending the knee was a sign of reverence, submission, and humility. It was customary to kneel before a king or deity, symbolizing one's acknowledgment of authority and devotion. This cultural practice is reflected in the biblical text, where kneeling is associated with prayer and worship." from Bible Hub) Context: same as above.

Should Bow: from the Greek word *kampse* a verb which means: should-bow; should-bend; the verb is in the subjunctive mood implying the action, although happening, has not yet fully happened, but should continue to happen until fulfillment. In context: refers to the future bending of the knee in submission, reverence, and worship, of Jesus, and truly in His Name, of everyone who will be saved in and through Christ Jesus. This stands in opposition, and in often repeated condemnation, towards those who bow down before lifeless idols of wood, stone, and metal (see Isaiah 45 quote below).

Bowing down as an act of worship towards Father and Son! Please consider the following:

On Earth:

"O come, let us sing unto the LORD (Yahweh): let us make a joyful noise to the Rock of our salvation. Let us come before His presence with thanksgiving, and make a joyful noise unto Him with psalms. For the LORD is a great God, and a **great King** above all gods. In **His** hand are the deep places of the earth; the strength of the hills is **His** also. The sea is **His**, and **He** made it; and **His** hands formed the dry land. **O come, let us worship and bow down: let us kneel before the LORD our maker**. For He is our God; and we are the people of **His** pasture, and the sheep of **His** hand." (Psalms 95:-1-7)

"And when they (the Magi) had come into the house, they saw the young child (Jesus) with Mary His mother, and fell down, and worshipped (bowed down) Him: and when they had opened their treasures, they presented unto Him gifts: gold, and frankincense, and myrrh." (Matt. 2:11)

"For this cause I bow my knees unto the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, of whom the **whole family (believers)** in heaven and earth is named (in the Name Jesus): that **He** would grant you, according to the riches of His glory, to be strengthened with power through His Spirit in the inner man; so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith; so that you, being rooted and founded in love, may be able to comprehend with all saints what is the breadth, and length, and depth, and height; and to know the love of Christ, which surpasses knowledge, so that you might be filled with all the fulness of God. Now unto **Him** who is able to do exceeding abundantly above all that we ask or think, according to the power that works in us; **unto Him be glory in the church in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, forever and ever. Amen.**" (Ephesians 3:14-21)

"And they (10 lepers) lifted up their voices, and said, '**Jesus, Master**, have mercy on us.' And when **He** saw them, **He** said unto them, 'Go show yourselves unto the priests.' And it came to pass, that, as they went, they were cleansed (healed). And one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, and with a loud voice glorified God, and fell down on his face at His (Jesus') feet, giving **Him** thanks; and he was a Samaritan." (Luke 17:16)

In Heaven:

"And the four beasts each had of them six wings about him; and they were full of eyes within: and they rest not day and night, saying, Holy, holy, holy, Lord God Almighty, who was, and is, and is to come. And when those beasts give glory and honor and thanks to Him who sat on the throne, who lives for ever and ever, the four and twenty elders fall down before Him who sat on the throne, and worship (to bow down, to prostrate oneself as an act or worship) Him who lives forever and ever, and cast their crowns before the throne, saying, 'You are worthy, O Lord, to receive glory and honor and power: for You have created all things, and for Your pleasure they are and were created.'" (Revelation of John 4:8-11)

"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; saying with a loud voice, 'Worthy is the Lamb (Jesus) who was slain to receive power, and riches, and wisdom, and strength, and honor, and glory, and blessing. And every created-thing (creature) which is in heaven, and on the earth, and under the earth, and such as are in the sea, and all who are in them, I heard saying, 'Blessing, and honor, and glory, and power, be unto Him (the Father) who sits upon the throne, and unto the Lamb forever and ever!' And the four beasts said, 'Amen!' And the four and twenty elders fell down and worshipped (bowed down ...) Him who lives forever and ever." (Rev. 5:11-14)

"And all the angels stood round about the throne, and about the elders and the four beasts, and fell before the throne on their faces, and worshipped (to bow down ...) God, saying, 'Amen (truly): Blessing, and glory, and wisdom, and thanksgiving, and honor, and power, and might, be unto our God forever and ever. Amen.'" (Revelation 7:11-12)

"Saying with a loud voice, Fear God, and give glory to him; for the hour of his judgment is come: and worship (bow down ...) Him who made heaven, and earth, and the sea, and the fountains of waters." (Revelation of John 14:7)

"And the seventh angel sounded; and there were great voices in Heaven, saying, 'The kingdoms of this world have become the kingdoms of **our Lord (the Father)**, and **of His Christ**; and **He (Jesus)** shall reign forever and ever.' And the four and twenty elders, who sat before God on their seats, fell upon their faces, and worshipped (bowed down ...) God, Saying, 'We give You thanks, O Lord God Almighty, who is, and was, and is to come; because You have taken to Yourself great power, and have reigned.'" (Revelation 11:15-17)

The Father prophesied the same thing in reference to Himself as follows:

"Assemble yourselves and come; draw near together, you who have escaped from the nations. They have no knowledge, who set up the wood of their carved image (idol), and pray unto a god that cannot save. Tell and bring near; yes, let them take counsel together. Who has declared this from ancient time? Who has told it from that time? Have not I the LORD? And **there is no other God besides Me**; a just God and a Savior; **there is none except Me.** Look unto Me, and be saved **all the ends of the earth**; for I am God, and there is no other. I have sworn by Myself; the word has gone out of My mouth in righteousness, and shall not return, **so that to Me every knee shall bow, every tongue shall swear (with an oath).** Surely, shall one say, **in (the) LORD (in Yahweh)** I have righteousness and strength; even **to Him** shall men come; and all who are angry against Him shall be ashamed. **In (the) LORD (in Yahweh)** shall all the descendants of Israel be justified, and shall glory." (Isaiah 45:20-25)

That Paul quoted the same prophetic word in reference to Jesus, clearly shows the 'oneness' of God in both the Father and Son Jesus. Both are to be worshiped as the One and Only God. Please consider the following:

"For none of us lives to himself, and no man dies to himself. For whether we live, **we live unto the Lord**; and whether we die, **we die unto the Lord**; whether we live therefore, or die, **we are the Lord's**. For to this end Christ both died, and rose, and lived, so that He might be **Lord both of the dead (in Jesus) and living (in Jesus).** But why do you judge your **brother (who is in Jesus)?** Or why do you regard as nothing your brother (who is in Jesus)? For **we (believers) shall all stand before the Judgment Seat of Christ.** For it is written, '*As I live, says the Lord, every knee shall bow to Me, and every tongue shall confess to God*' (Isaiah 45:23). So then **every one of us** (believers) shall give account **of himself to God.**" (Romans 14:7-12)

In context: **we who are true believers, shall all** stand individually before the Judgment Seat of Christ and give account (confess) to God (to Jesus) for our own actions. And it shall come to pass as Jesus said, "Behold, **I come quickly**; and My **reward** is with Me, to give every man according as his work shall be." (Revelation of John 22:12) (see also: Matthew 16:27) And then worship:

"And after these things I heard a great voice of **many people in heaven**, saying, 'Alleluia; salvation, and glory, and honor, and power, unto the **Lord our God**; for true and righteous are **His judgments**; for He has judged the great whore, which did corrupt the earth with her fornication, and has avenged the blood of **His servants** at her hand.' And again they said, 'Alleluia.' And her smoke rose up for ever and ever. And the four and twenty elders and the four beasts **fell down and worshipped** (bowed down ...) God who sat on the throne, saying, 'Amen; Alleluia.' And a voice came out of the throne, saying, 'Praise our God, all you His servants, and you who fear Him, **both small and great.**' And I heard as it were the voice of a **great multitude**, and as the voice of many waters, and as the voice of mighty thunderings, saying, 'Alleluia; **for the Lord God omnipotent reigns.** Let us be glad and rejoice, and give honor to Him: for the **marriage of the Lamb (Jesus)** has come, and **His wife** (all believers) has made herself ready." (Rev. of John 19:1-7)

In the Name Jesus - Every believer Shall Bow

**There is none other name under heaven given among men, whereby we must be saved !!
There is no other God besides You in whom we should bow down to and worship !!!**

**Worthy are You Lord Jesus, who was slain to receive power, and riches, and wisdom,
and strength, and honor, and glory, and blessing forever !!!**

You are our God; and we are the people of Your pasture, and the sheep of Your hand !!!

Truly Truly ~ ~ Amen and Amen