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## THE DEITY OF CHRIST

“Beyond all question, the mystery from which true godliness springs is great: He appeared in the flesh, was vindicated by the Spirit, was seen by angels, was preached among the nations, was believed on in the world, was taken up in glory.”

1 Timothy 3:16

**FOR YOU:** The purpose of this study is to show the deity of Christ and better understanding that the one who came to this world, as the Son of God was God himself.

### The Bible is Clear When It Explains That There Is Only One God

- The Lord is one. (Deuteronomy 6: 4-9)
- The Lord our God, the Lord is one. (Mark 12:29)
- See now that I myself am he! There is no god besides me. (Deuteronomy 32:39)
- Him only. (John 5:44)

### The Names of God Were United in Jesus Christ

- Brought unity to all things in heaven and on earth under Christ. (Ephesians 1: 9,10)
- For in Christ all the fullness of the Deity lives in bodily form. (Colossians 2:9)

## **The Son of God Who Had Walked The Earth Was God Himself**

- For us a child is born, to us a son is given, and the government will be on his shoulders.  
“And he will be called...” (Isaiah 9:6)
- I am in the Father and the Father is in me. (John 14:8-11)
- God was reconciling the world to himself in Christ. (2 Corinthians 5:19)
- “I and the Father are one.”(John 10:30)
- Theirs are the patriarchs, and from them is traced the human ancestry of the Messiah, who is God over all. (Romans 9:5)

## **The Mystery of Mercy Explains That One Who Was Manifested in the Flesh as a Son of God Was God Himself**

- The great mystery of mercy reveals that Christ was God manifested in the flesh. (1 Timothy 3:16)
- The Word (God) became Flesh (Jesus). (John 1: 1,14)
- The virgin will conceive and give birth to a son, and will call him Immanuel “God with us”.  
(Isaiah 7:14)
- “I am” (John 8:58)

## **Paul prayed that the church could understand the mystery of God Father and Christ as One**

- “I want you to know how hard I am contending for you and for those at Laodicea, and for all who have not met me personally. <sup>2</sup>My goal is that they may be encouraged in heart and united in love, so that they may have the full riches of complete understanding, in order that they may know the mystery of God, namely, Christ, <sup>3</sup>in whom are hidden all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge. <sup>4</sup>I tell you this so that no

one may deceive you by fine-sounding arguments. <sup>5</sup> For though I am absent from you in body, I am present with you in spirit and delight to see how disciplined you are and how firm your faith in Christ is. <sup>6</sup> So then, just as you received Christ Jesus as Lord, continue to live your lives in him, <sup>7</sup> rooted and built up in him, strengthened in the faith as you were taught, and overflowing with thankfulness. <sup>8</sup> See to it that no one takes you captive through hollow and deceptive philosophy, which depends on human tradition and the elemental spiritual forces of this world rather than on Christ. <sup>9</sup> For in Christ all the fullness of the Deity lives in bodily form.” (Colossians 2:1-9)

— “For this reason I, Paul, the prisoner of Christ Jesus for the sake of you Gentiles— <sup>2</sup> Surely you have heard about the administration of God’s grace that was given to me for you, <sup>3</sup> that is, the mystery made known to me by revelation, as I have already written briefly. <sup>4</sup> In reading this, then, you will be able to understand my insight into the mystery of Christ, <sup>5</sup> which was not made known to people in other generations as it has now been revealed by the Spirit to God’s holy apostles and prophets. <sup>6</sup> This mystery is that through the gospel the Gentiles are heirs together with Israel, members together of one body, and sharers together in the promise in Christ Jesus.” (Ephesians 3: 1-6)

### **The Bible Says that Christ Seats at the Right Hand of God. In This Context, The Right Hand Means: A Maximum Power, The Full Power of God**

- “Jesus said: And you will see the Son of Man sitting at the right hand of the Mighty One and coming on the clouds of heaven.” (Mark 14: 60-65)
- God exalted him to his own right hand as Prince and Savior that he might bring Israel to repentance and forgive their sins. (Acts 5:31)
- The Lord’s right hand has done mighty things! (Psalms 118: 15-18)

### **In the book of Revelation The Bible Tell Us About a Throne Set in Heaven Where Someone is Seated**

- A throne set in heaven. (Revelation 4:2; Revelation 7: 9-11)
- A river of the water of life flows from the throne of God and the Lamb. (Revelation 22: 1-3)
- I was victorious and sat down with my Father on his throne. (Revelation 3:21)
- Your life is now hidden with Christ in God. (Colossians 3: 1-3)
- The One who come from heaven. (John 3:13)
- The Son of Man ascends to where he was before. (John 6:62)

**FINAL WORDS** – The bible describes that there is only one true God, and it refers to Jesus Christ as the true God (1 Corinthians 5:20). Also, it says that Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today and will be forever (Hebrews 13:8). So we can conclude that Jesus Christ is the Jehovah manifested in the flesh. Also the bible mentions that His name is above every name (Philippians 2:9-11), and refers to Him as the only Sovereign Lord (Judah 4).