

Outline – March 26, 2023

John 1:1-4, 18; 14:1-6

Revelation 1:7-8; 2:7-11

Who Is Jesus - (Yeshua)

- I. **What most recognize about Jesus**
 - A. He changed how we divide history
 - 1. Our timeline is based upon Him
 - 2. B.C., A. D.
 - B. Our understanding of God is found in Him
 - C. Billions of lives have been changed by Him
 - D. He has given more hope, brought more joy than any other person
 - E. He is the focus of more people in understanding life after death
- II. **What His followers know about Him**
 - A. He is indescribable
 - B. He is incomprehensible
 - C. Humanity can't explain Him
 - D. Heaven and earth can't contain Him
 - E. Pharisees couldn't stand Him
 - F. Satan couldn't stop Him
 - G. Pilate couldn't find fault in Him
 - H. Death and grave couldn't hold Him
 - I. His name is unlike any name
 - J. Every knee will bow, and tongue confess to the glory of God. He is Lord.
- III. **What are some facts about Jesus everyone can measure?**
 - A. Though He never wrote a book, more written about Him
 - B. Though He never wrote a song, more songs written about Him
 - C. Though He never painted a picture, more paintings of Him
 - D. Though He never traveled more than 200 miles from His birthplace, more have traveled on His behalf
 - E. Though He was born in obscurity, more celebrate His birth
 - F. Though He never governed a people, more people follow Him than anyone who has ever lived
 - G. The Bible is about Him from cover to cover
 - 1. Prophecies
 - 2. Types and shadows
 - H. Historians know Him

IV. A former Atheist's conclusions

- A. C. S. Lewis Oxford scholar, literary genius
- B. Came to a life changing conclusion
- C. He discovered Jesus only gives you 3 options
 - 1. Lunatic
 - 2. Liar
 - 3. Lord God of the universe

V. So what were the claims of Jesus?

- A. Claimed to be the Great I AM
- B. To see Him was to see God
- C. In John 14
 - 1. Believe in Him believe in God
 - 2. Many mansions
 - 3. Would have told us if not true
 - 4. Going to prepare a place where He is, will be
 - 5. He will come back and receive us unto Himself
 - 6. He declared:
 - I am the Way
 - I am the Truth
 - I am the Life
 - No one comes to the Father except by me
 - 7. He is the door
 - He is the Ark

VI. What He declared in the Book of Revelation – The one who is, who was, who is to come

- A. Who is He?
 - 1. King of glory
 - 2. King of heaven
 - 3. King of Kings
 - 4. Defeater of death
 - 5. Resurrection and the life
 - 6. How we know He defeated death
 - a. Predicted by the prophets
 - b. He predicted it
 - c. Tomb was empty
 - d. Eyewitnesses saw Him, over 500 at one time
 - e. Lives were changed
 - f. Died for their testimony
 - g. No other reasonable explanation

B. Who was He?

1. Our creator
2. Our deliverer
3. Our Savior
4. Born of woman so we could be born of God
5. Humbled Himself so we could be lifted up
6. Became a servant so we could be joint heirs
7. Was crucified for us on a cross of wood, yet He made the hill on which it stood

C. Who is to come

1. Like a Jewish groom returning for His bride
2. He will catch us up
3. .A time of evaluation
4. The marriage supper
5. Returning to set up kingdom
6. Satan defeated by Him
7. Make all things new
 - a. Rights the wrongs
 - b. Wipes every tear

He Changed Our Lives
He Changed Our Relationship With God
He Changed Our Future
He Changed Our Eternity

That Is Who Died On A Cross
For You