



**Welcome**



Father  
Word  
Holy Spirit

**Three or One?**

**What is the relationship between  
God and Jesus?**

**The Father and The Son (Jesus)**

**ARE NOT**

**the same person**

**The Father and The Son (Jesus)**

**ARE the same essence or substance**

**The Father and The Son (Jesus)  
are equal**

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**Did Jesus Claim  
to be  
God?**

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# Did Jesus Claim to be God

**Exodus 3:14**

**John 8:58**



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*Jesus said to them,*

*“Truly, truly, I say to you, before Abraham was, I am.”*

**John 8:58**

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**“**

***God said to Moses,***

***“I am who I am.” And he said, “Say this to the people of Israel: ‘I am has sent me to you.’ ”***

**Exodus 3:14**

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***“I am has sent me to you.” (Exodus 3:14)***

***“before Abraham was, I am.” (John 8:58)***

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## **How Did The Jews Understand Jesus?**

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**“ So they picked up stones to throw at him...**

**John 8:59**

***The Jews answered him, “It is not for a good work that we are going to stone you but for blasphemy, because you, being a man, make yourself God.”***

**John 10:33 ”**

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*Why doth this man thus speak blasphemies? who can forgive sins but God only?*

*But that ye may know that the Son of man hath power on earth to forgive sins, (he saith to the sick of the palsy,) I say unto thee, Arise, and take up thy bed, and go thy way into thine house.*

Mark 2:7, 10, 11 ”

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**The Jews Knew Exactly What Jesus was Saying.**

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**God is Worshipped.**

**Is Jesus?**

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*Then Jesus said to him, “Be gone, Satan! For it is written,*

*“ ‘You shall worship the Lord your God and him only  
shall you serve.’ ”*

*(Matthew 4:10)*

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***“Where is he who has been born king of the Jews? For we saw his star when it rose and have come to worship him.”***

**(Matthew 2:2)**

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*“Go and search diligently for the child, and when you have found him, bring me word, that I too may come and worship him.”*

(Matthew 2:7)

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*And going into the house, they saw the child with Mary  
his mother, and they fell down and worshipped him.*

**(Matthew 2:11)**

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*And those in the boat worshiped him, saying, “Truly you are the Son of God.”*

**(Matthew 14:33)**

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*And behold, Jesus met them and said, “Greetings!” And they came up and took hold of his feet and worshiped him.*

(Matthew 28:9)

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*He said, “Lord, I believe,” and he worshiped him.*

**(John 9:38)**

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*When Peter entered, Cornelius met him and fell down at his feet and worshiped him. But Peter lifted him up, saying, “Stand up; I too am a man.”*

*(Acts 10:25, 26)*

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*But when the apostles Barnabas and Paul heard of it, they tore their garments and rushed out into the crowd, crying out, “Men, why are you doing these things? We also are men, of like nature with you, and we bring you good news, that you should turn from these vain things to a living God, who made the heaven and the earth and the sea and all that is in them.*

(Acts 14:14 – 15)

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- ✓ **It is a sin to worship anyone other than God**
  - ✓ **Peter prevented worship**
  - ✓ **Paul and Barnabas prevented worship**
  - ✓ **6 *inspired* passages regarding the worship of Jesus**
  - ✓ **Not once is anyone corrected or stopped**
  - ✓ **Even Jesus Himself accepts worship.**
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- 1. Only God May Be Worshiped**
  - 2. Jesus was worshiped**
  - 3. Jesus is God**
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