# **JESUS AS SON OF GOD**

#### WHO SAYS JESUS IS THE SON OF GOD?

- ✓ The **Father** who is God (1 Cor 8:6) says Jesus is the Son of God. (Matt 3:16-17 & Luke 9:35)
- ✓ The **Son** of God (Jesus Christ) says Jesus is the Son of God. (John 10:36 & Mark 14:61-62)
- ✓ God's angels say Jesus is the Son of God. (Luke 1:35)
- ✓ **John the Baptist** said Jesus is the Son of God. (John 1:34)
- ✓ The **Disciples** said Jesus is the Son of God. (Matthew 14:33 & Matthew 16:16)
- ✓ **Satan** says Jesus is the Son of God. (Matthew 4:3 & 6)
- ✓ Satan's demonic rebellion says Jesus is the Son of God. (Matthew 8:29, Luke 4:41 & Mark 3:11)
- ✓ Jesus said Jesus **religious enemies** declared Jesus to be the Son of God (Luke 22:70)
- ✓ **Pharisees** said Jesus is the Son of God (John 19:7)
- ✓ The **Roman centurion** said Jesus is the Son of God. (Matthew 27:54 & Mark 15:39)

Tell me again, who Jesus is?

1 John 5:5 (KJV) Who is he that overcometh the world, but he that believeth that Jesus is the Son of God?

# **BIBLE STATS ON SON OF GOD**

- ✓ God the Father is listed 13 times in KJV.
- ✓ Son of God is listed 47 times in KJV.
- ✓ God the Son is found nowhere in 66 translations.
- ✓ Son of God is listed 3 times more than God the Father.
- ✓ Isn't that seriously significant on many levels?

**1 John 2:22-23** (KJV) Who is a liar but he that denieth that Jesus is the Christ? He is antichrist, that denieth the Father and the Son. Whosoever denieth the Son, the same hath not the Father: he that acknowledgeth the Son hath the Father also.

## EGW ON JESUS AS SON OF GOD

"Who is Christ? -- He is the only begotten Son of the living God." — Ellen White, The Youth's Instructor, June 28, 1894

"The dedication of the first-born had its origin in the earliest times. God had promised to give **the First-born of heaven** to save the sinner." — Ellen White, Desire of Ages, p. 51

"Christ is the star that should arise out of Jacob, and the one in whom all the nations of the earth should be blessed, as **the first born of heaven**, and **the only begotten of the Father**, filled with all the treasures of eternity. He assumed humanity, and impressed upon it the glorious image of the everlasting God." — Ellen White, Letter 101, February 17, 1896

"From eternity there was a complete unity between **the Father and the Son**. They were two, yet little short of being identical; two in individuality, yet one in spirit, and heart, and character." — Ellen White, Youth's Instructor, Dec. 16, 1897

"O what a gift God has made to our world! The Word was made flesh and dwelt among us. **God sent His own Son** in the likeness of sinful flesh, liable to physical infirmities, tempted in all points like as we are. **He was the Son of the living God**. His personality did not begin with His incarnation in the flesh." - Ellen White, Letter 77, August 3, 1894

"Satan was well acquainted with the position of honor Christ had held in Heaven as **the Son of God**, the beloved of the Father. And that he should leave Heaven and come to this world as a man filled him with apprehension for his own safety." — Ellen White, Review and Herald, March 3, 1874

"Satan well knew the position that Christ had held in heaven as the Beloved of the Father. That **the Son of God should come to this earth** as a man filled him with amazement and with apprehension. He could not fathom the mystery of this great sacrifice. His selfish soul could not understand such love for the deceived race." — Ellen White, Desire of Ages, p.115

"I am instructed to say to you, all this holding to sentiments of infallibility is a specious device of the angel that was so exalted in the heavenly court. His beauty was so highly exalted that he thought he should be as God, and Christ must be second to him; but the Lord informed Satan this could not be possible. **Christ was His only begotten Son**." — Ellen White, Letter 157, 1910

"It was in seeking to exalt himself above the Son of God that Satan had sinned in heaven." — Ellen White, Desire of Ages, p.129

"Christ was the only begotten Son of God, and Lucifer, that glorious angel, got up a warfare over the matter, until he had to be thrust down to the earth." — Ellen White, Manuscript 86, August 21, 1910

"Angels that were loyal and true sought to reconcile this mighty, rebellious angel to the will of his Creator. They justified the act of God in conferring honor upon Christ, and with forcible reasoning sought to convince Lucifer that no less honor was his now than before the Father had proclaimed **the honor which He had conferred upon His Son**. They clearly set forth that **Christ was the Son** of God, existing with Him before the angels were created;" - Ellen White, Story of Redemption, 15.2

"Said the angel, Think ye that **the Father yielded up his dearly beloved Son** without a struggle? No, no. It was even a struggle with the God of Heaven, whether to let guilty man perish, or **to give his beloved Son to die for them.** Angels were so interested for man's salvation that there could be found among them those who would yield their glory, and give their life for perishing man. But, said my accompanying angel, That would avail nothing. The transgression was so great that an angel's life would not pay the debt. Nothing but the death **and intercessions of his Son would pay the debt**, and save lost man from hopeless sorrow and misery." — Ellen White, 1SP 48.1

"The Eternal Father, the unchangeable one, gave his only begotten Son, tore from his bosom Him who was made in the express image of his person, and sent him down to earth to reveal how greatly he loved mankind." — Ellen White, Review and Herald, July 9, 1895

"The Lord Jesus Christ, the only begotten Son of the Father, is truly God in infinity, but not in personality." — Ellen White, Manuscript 116, December 19, 1905

"Christ had not exchanged his divinity for humanity; but he had clothed his divinity in humanity, and he gave Satan the evidence for which he had asked,--showed him that he was the Son of God." — Ellen White, Review and Herald, October 29, 1895

"The more we think about Christ's becoming a babe here on earth, the more wonderful it appears. How can it be that the helpless babe in Bethlehem's manger is still **the divine Son of God?**" — Ellen White, The Youth's Instructor, November 21, 1895

"Christ brought men and women power to overcome. He came to this world in human form, to live a man amongst men. He assumed the liabilities of human nature, to be proved and tried. In His humanity He was a partaker of the divine nature. In His incarnation He gained in a new sense the **title of the Son of God**. Said the angel to Mary, "The power of the Highest shall overshadow thee: therefore also that holy thing which shall be born of thee shall **be called the Son of God**" (Luke 1:35). While the Son of a human being, **He became the Son of God** in a new sense. Thus **He stood in our world--the Son of God**, yet allied by birth to the human race." — Ellen White, Signs of the Times, August 2, 1905

"When I read in the Bible of **how many refused to believe that Christ was the Son of God**, sadness fills my heart. We read that even His own brethren refused to believe in Him." — Ellen White, Letter 398, To Dr. & Mrs. D.H. Kress, December 26, 1906

"The man Christ Jesus was not the Lord God Almighty, yet Christ and the Father are one. The Deity did not sink under the agonizing torture of Calvary, yet it is none the less true that "God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life." - Ellen White, Manuscript 140, September 27, 1903

"Christ the Word, the Only Begotten of God, was one with the eternal Father,--one in nature, in character, and in purpose,--the only being in all the universe that could enter into all the counsels and purposes of God." - Ellen White, GC 493, 1888

"A complete offering has been made; for "God so loved the world, that he gave his only-begotten Son,"--not a son by creation, as were the angels, nor a son by adoption, as is the forgiven sinner, but a Son begotten in the express image of the Father's person, and in all the brightness of his majesty and glory, one equal with God in authority, dignity, and divine perfection. In him dwelt all the fullness of the Godhead bodily." — Ellen White, Signs of the Times, May 30, 1895

"Let the missionaries of the cross proclaim that there is **one God, and one Mediator between God and man**, who **is Jesus Christ the Son of the Infinite God.** This needs to be proclaimed throughout every church in our land." — Ellen White, 1888 Materials, p. 886

## **POSITION OF CHRIST JESUS - SON OF GOD**

- 1 Timothy 2:5 (KJV) For there is one God, and one mediator between God and men, the man Christ Jesus;
  - 1. How many Gods? One
  - 2. Who is the Mediator? Christ
  - 3. Where is the Mediator? Between
  - 4. How many Mediators? One

- 5. If Mediator is God then how many Gods? 2
- 6. If Mediator is God then how many Mediators? 0
- 7. I need a Mediator, don't you?