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	his is the study about the <b>One</b> Who is the sum and substance, the center and ssence of Bible Christianity.
ta	we take Buddha from Buddhism, if we take Mohammed from Islam, if we ake Smith from Mormonism — we still are left with systems of belief. But, if we take Jesus Christ from Christianity — we have NOTHING!!
	Christianity is <b>not</b> a system of beliefs, but a PERSON. We are not saved through ules and rites, but through a PERSON.
Ir	n this study lesson we want to look at two things concerning Jesus:
	<ol> <li>WHO HE IS.</li> <li>WHAT HE HAS DONE.</li> </ol>
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JE:	SUS CHRIST IS THE PERFECT MAN.
Α.	Look up: Galatians 4:4. Jesus was born of a
B.	Look up: Luke 2:5. Mary underwent a normal human pregnancy—she was with child.
C.	Look up: Luke 2:40. Throughout childhood, Jesus G in a normal way. Read: Luke 2:41-52.
D.	Read: John 4:7-9. To the woman of Samaria, Jesus looked like a typical
E.	Read: Isaiah 53:2. This prophetical description of the Lord tells us He had no C or attractive B According to Matthew 26:48,49 the Lord Jesus was so plain that Judas needed to kiss His cheek to identify Him to the soldiers

**Incidentally:** The "religious art" portraits of Christ as having blue eyes, long straight golden hair, and fair complexion are far from reality. Our Lord looked like a very average Jew — olive skin, brown eyes, and short black hair. He did

have a beard.

F.	Look up: John 4:6. Jesus experienced W NESS.
G.	Look up: Matthew 8:24. Jesus required S
H.	Look up: Matthew 21:18. Jesus got H
I.	Look up: Luke 22:44. Jesus suffered painful A
J.	Look up: Hebrews 4:15. Jesus was $T_{}$ in all things, just like you and I.
K.	Look up: II Corinthians 5:21. Jesus knew sin.
L.	Look up: John 19:33. Jesus died a physical D
JES	SUS CHRIST IS GOD.
Α	Look up: John 1:14. Who is "The Word"?
B.	Look up: John 1:1. The Word God.
C.	Look up: John 5:18. Why did the Jews try to kill Jesus?
D.	Look up: John 5:23. How does this verse relate the Father and the Son?
E.	Look up: John 10:30. Jesus said He and the Father were
F.	Look up: John 10:31-33. How did the Jews interpret John 10:30?
G.	Look up: John 14:9. Who do we see when we see Jesus? The
H.	Look up: John 20:28. What did Thomas say concerning Jesus?
	Did Jesus rebuke Thomas for saying this?
I.	Look up: Hebrews 1:8. To whom is the title, "O God" given? The
J.	Look up: I John 5:20. Who is the true God and eternal life?
K.	Look up Titus 1:3 and compare it with Titus 1:4. Who is referred to in each verse as "our Saviour"?

	What does this mean?
L.	Look up and compare: Genesis 1:1 with John 1:3. What is the inescapable conclusion concerning Jesus Christ?
JES	SUS CHRIST WAS BORN OF A VIRGIN.
le is	what you have learned above, the Lord Jesus Christ is a man <i>and</i> He is God. not 50% human and 50% divine, but 100% perfect in His humanity and 100% ct in His deity.
	How can this be?? The God-Man!
	s a fact clearly taught in the Word of God, but it is one we certainly cannot fully rehend.
A.	Look up: I Timothy 3:16. This verse says that Jesus is manifested in the F Remember back to $Study \#7$ and the Bible teaching of $ONE$ God manifested in $THREE$ Persons. In studying about the Lord Jesus Christ we must appreciate $ONE$ Person with $TWO$ natures — a divine nature and a human nature. While we will never understand this truth, we can see it was accomplished in the miracle of the Virgin Birth of Christ.
	<ol> <li>If Jesus had a human mother and a human father, He would be just another man — sinful, needing to be saved, and totally incapable of saving Himself, let alone others.</li> </ol>
	2. If Jesus had <b>no</b> human mother and <b>no</b> human father, He would be unaproachable as God — holy, and dwelling in light inaccessible.
	<ol><li>The Bible teaches Jesus to be the SON OF MAN (because Mary was His mother) and the SON OF GOD.</li></ol>
B.	Look up: Isaiah 7:14. This Old Testament prophecy of Christ said a would conceive.
C.	Look up: <i>Matthew 1:18</i> . When Jesus was conceived in Mary's womb, she was $E \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ \_$ (engaged) to Joseph; and they had <b>not</b> come $T \_ \_ \_ \_ \_$ in marriage.
D.	Look up Luke 1:35. The conception of Jesus in the womb of Mary was the miraculous work of the

The birth of Jesus Christ was indeed supernatural!

	E DEATH OF THE LOND JESUS CHAIST.
A.	Look up: Luke 19:10 and Matthew 1:21. Jesus came to
B.	Look up: Romans 5:8. Christ died for
C.	Look up: Isaiah 53:6. What was laid upon Jesus when He died on the cross?
D.	Look up: Romans 5:10. Through the death of Jesus Christ we are to God.
E.	Look up: Galatians 4:5. By His shed blood, Jesus is able to R $\_$ $_$ $_$ $_$ those who trust Him.
F.	Look up: John 3:16. For whom did Christ die?
G.	Look up: Romans 10:13. Who can avail themselves of the death of Christ?
H.	Look up: John 19:30c and Hebrews 10:12. What needs to be added to the death of Christ on the cross to complete our salvation?
	F DECLIDER CTION OF THE LODE IFCLIC
	E RESURRECTION OF THE LORD JESUS RIST.
A.	Look up: John 20:1. On what day of the week did Jesus rise? The F day, or
B.	Look up: Matthew 12:40. How long was Jesus in the tomb?
	<b>Note:</b> Simple arithmetic (and much Bible evidence) shows the impossibility of a "Good FRIDAY" crucifixion. Jesus was crucified on a Wednesday and spent 72 hours in the tomb.
C.	Read: I Corinthians 15:3-8. List the appearances of the resurrected Lord as given here:
D.	Look up: Romans 4:25. Why was Jesus raised from the dead?

E.	Look up and carefully study: <i>I Peter 1:3,4</i> . According to this Scripture, because of the resurrection of Christ, each believer has a "lively" for a wonderful inheritance, reserved in
TH	E ASCENSION OF JESUS CHRIST.
A.	Look up: Acts 1:3,9. When did Jesus return to Heaven?
B.	Look up: Hebrews 10:12. Where is Jesus at this present time?
C.	Look up: Hebrews 7:25. Jesus is making for each believer.
D.	Look up: John 14:2. Jesus is preparing a for each of us who are saved.
E.	Look up: I John 2:1. When a Christian sins, Jesus is an with the Father.
TH	IE RETURN OF JESUS CHRIST.
This	subject will be studied in greater detail in Study #18.
A.	Look up: John 14:3. Jesus said, "I will"
B.	Look up: Acts 1:11. Who promised the return of Christ here?
C.	Look up: Titus 2:13. The return of Christ is called the B H
D.	Carefully study: I Thessalonians 4:16,17. What will happen to believers (living and dead) when Jesus returns?
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## **READING ASSIGNMENT:**

Read through: Colossians Chapter 1.

## **MEMORIZATION:**

Try to commit to memory: John 1:1.