



What Do You Know About Jesus?

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Introduction: We sing a lot of songs about Jesus. Phrases appear like "Jesus, Jesus, Jesus, Sweetest Name I Know" or "Jesus is all the world to me, my life, my joy, my all." We sing of how He loves us and how He died for us. One of my favorite ones growing up was "He Is My Everything." In that song you will find the question: "Who is this Jesus you talk about every day?" The name of Jesus Christ is used many times during the course of a day. You cannot sign a check, or look at a calendar without thinking about His birth. Especially at this time of the year, people are thinking about Jesus. Unfortunately many have not heard the story of Jesus.

What do you know about Jesus? Jesus is central figure of the Bible. He is mentioned in the beginning of the NT in **Matthew 1:1** (because He is the first) and He is also mentioned in the end of **Revelation 22:21** (because He is the last). Do you recall the angel's message to Mary in **Luke 1:31-33**? He told Mary that the name of Jesus would become great! I love it when the people say "*Sir, we would see Jesus*" in **John 12:22**. I want us to notice five things about Jesus in an acrostic sermon that even the young can understand. Let's study together...

Discussion:

JESUS IS OUR JUDGE

Matthew 25:31-32
Luke 12:14
John 5:22-23
John 12:48
Acts 10:42
Acts 17:30-31
II Corinthians 5:10
II Timothy 4:1-8

JESUS WAS UNDEFILED

Matthew 27:24
John 8:45-46
II Corinthians 5:21
Hebrews 4:14-15
Hebrews 7:25-26
I Peter 1:18-19
I Peter 2:21-25
I John 3:5

JESUS IS ETERNAL

Isaiah 9:6
John 1:1
John 1:14
John 8:58
John 17:5
John 17:24
Hebrews 1:8-12
Revelation 1:8

JESUS IS OUR SAVIOR

Matthew 1:21
Matthew 20:28
Matthew 26:28
Luke 2:11
Luke 19:10
John 1:29
Acts 4:10-12
I Timothy 1:15

JESUS IS THE SON OF GOD

Matthew 16:16-18
Mark 1:1
Mark 14:62
John 6:68-69
John 19:7
John 20:30-31
Romans 1:4
Galatians 4:3-5

Conclusion: When someone has "seen" Jesus, they have to ask themselves a question: "Will I accept Him or reject Him?" This brings to mind the words of other songs like: "Have you seen Jesus my Lord?" and "What will you do with Jesus?" Keep in mind that we cannot be neutral, because no response is a response. Who is Jesus to you? If He is your Lord, then what are you doing to serve Him and share the message of good news?