

March 25th, 2020
Baptist Faith and Message
Article 2c:
God the Son

Colossians 1:15-17 “He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation. For by him all things were created, in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities—all things were created through him and for him. And he is before all things, and in him all things hold together.”

Christ is the eternal Son of God. In His incarnation as Jesus Christ He was conceived of the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary. Jesus perfectly revealed and did the will of God, taking upon Himself human nature with its demands and necessities and identifying Himself completely with mankind yet without sin. He honored the divine law by His personal obedience, and in His substitutionary death on the cross He made provision for the redemption of men from sin. He was raised from the dead with a glorified body and appeared to His disciples as the person who was with them before His crucifixion. He ascended into heaven and is now exalted at the right hand of God where He is the One Mediator, fully God, fully man, in whose Person is effected the reconciliation between God and man. He will return in power and glory to judge the world and to consummate His redemptive mission. He now dwells in all believers as the living and ever present Lord.

1. Understand the _____ of Christ.

Jesus is _____ God.

Titus 2:13 “waiting for our blessed hope, the appearing of the glory of our great God and Savior Jesus Christ...”

Jesus is _____ God.

Jesus is fully _____.

Philippians 2:7 “but made himself nothing, taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men.”

Jesus is the _____.

- ✓ **One Person!**
- ✓ **Two Natures! (100% God and 100% Man)**
- ✓ **Without Contradiction!**

2. Understand the _____ of Christ.

_____ **Birth**

John 1:14 “And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we have seen his glory, glory as of the only Son from the Father, full of grace and truth.”

_____ **Life**

Substitutionary _____

2 Corinthians 5:21 “For our sake he made him to be sin who knew no sin, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.”

Victorious _____

Acts 2:24 “God raised him up, loosing the pangs of death, because it was not possible for him to be held by it.”

Present _____

_____ **Return**

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