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## **Deity of Christ**

Is Jesus God?

There are many proofs in the Bible that Jesus Christ is God, that the Jesus of the New Testament is the Jehovah of the Old Testament.

1. John 1:1, 14: “the Word was God . . . and the Word became flesh, and dwelt among us.” The Word, in these verses, can only refer to the Lord Jesus Christ.
2. John 10:30: “I and my Father are one.” Here Jesus Christ claimed to be one with the Father.
3. Romans 9:5: “. . . Christ came, who is over all, God blessed for ever. Amen.” This is a clear statement by the Apostle Paul that Christ is God.
4. Colossians 2:9: “For in him (Christ) dwells all the fulness of the Godhead bodily.” If words mean anything at all, these words teach the full deity of the Savior.
5. Hebrews 1:8: “But to the Son he (God) says, Your throne, O God, is for ever and ever.” God the Father here addresses the Lord Jesus as God.
6. By comparing Isaiah 6:1-3, 9, 10 with John 12:39-41 it will be seen that Jesus is Jehovah. Isaiah saw the Lord sitting upon a throne, with seraphim worshiping Him as LORD (Jehovah) of hosts. John plainly declares that Esaias (Isaiah) saw Christ’s glory and spoke of Him.
7. John 20:28: “Thomas answered and said unto him, My Lord and my God.” Jesus accepted this worship from Thomas.
8. 1 John 5:20: “We are in him who is true, in his Son Jesus Christ. This is the true God, and eternal life.” What could be clearer than this! Jesus Christ is the true God!
9. Colossians 1:16: “ For by him (Christ) all things were created, that are in heaven, and that are on the earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones, or dominions, or principalities, or powers.” See also John 1:3, 10. In all these verses, Christ is spoken of as the Creator. Compare Hebrews 3:4, “He who built all things is God.”
10. 1 Timothy 3:16: “without controversy great is the mystery of godliness: God was manifested in the flesh . . .” The only Person to whom this could apply is the Lord Jesus Christ.