

Who do you say He is?

The Ultimate Question about Christ, from the Gospel of Mark 12:35-37

Introduction

35 And Jesus began to say, as He taught in the temple, "How is it that the scribes say that the Christ is the son of David? 36 "David himself said in the Holy Spirit, 'THE LORD SAID TO MY LORD, "SIT AT MY RIGHT HAND, UNTIL I PUT YOUR ENEMIES BENEATH YOUR FEET.'" ' 37 "David himself calls Him 'Lord'; so in what sense is He his son?" And the large crowd enjoyed listening to Him.

#1 Introduction: Turns the _____ on the religious leaders 35a

#2 Asking the question which _____ to the Deity of Christ 35

Isaiah 9 He will reign on David's throne...

Jeremiah 23 will reign as King

Romans 1:3 concerning His Son, who was born of the seed of David according to the flesh

2 Timothy 2:8 Remember Jesus Christ, risen from the dead, descendant of David, according to my gospel

Matthew 22:42 What do you think about the Christ, whose son is He?" They said to Him, "The son of David

Mark 10:47... "Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!"

#3 The crucial truth that _____ the deity of Christ 36

Psalms 110:1 The Lord says to my Lord: "Sit at My right hand Until I make Your enemies a footstool for Your feet."

Matthew 22:43 In the Spirit

THE DEITY OF CHRIST

1st The _____ of God alone were used of Christ

John 1:1 *the Word was God* John 20:2 *my Lord and my God* Titus 2:13 and 2 Peter 1:1 *our God and Savior*
1 John 5:20 *the true God and eternal life*

2nd Christ Himself made _____ of being God

John 10:30 *I and the Father are one* John 8:58 *I AM*

3rd The _____ belonging only to God were used of Christ

Isaiah 6:5 *My eyes have seen the King, the Lord of hosts*
John 12:41 *These things Isaiah said, because he saw His glory, and he spoke of Him*
Holy One (Isa. 10:20; Acts 3:14) **First and Last** (Isa. 44:6; Rev. 22:13) **Savior** (Isa. 43:11; Titus 2:13)
Pierced One (Zech. 12:10; John 19:37) **Lord of lords** (Deut. 10:17; Rev. 17:14)

4th The _____ of God were demonstrated by Christ

eternity (Micah 5:2; cf. Matt. 2:1-6) **omnipresence** (Matt. 18:20) **omniscience** (John 16:30) **omnipotence** (Hebrews 1:3)
immutability (Hebrews 13:8)

5th The _____ of God were performed by Christ

John 1:3 and Colossians 1:16 *the One who brought all things into being* Col. 1:17 *sustains all things*
John 5:21-29 *authority to resurrect and judge men* Mark 2:5-10 *the authority to forgive sins*

6th Christ accepted _____ as God

Jesus never refused the worship offered Him (Matt. 14:33; 28:9, 17; John 9:38; 29:28-29)

#4 The pointed question that _____ the deity of Christ 37

#5 Conclusion: The _____ response of the listening Crowd 37b

Matthew 22:46, *No one was able to answer Him a word,
nor did anyone dare from that day on to ask Him another question*

A=Will you _____ Jesus Christ as your God?

Mark 1:1 *The beginning of the gospel of Jesus Christ, the Son of God*

Mark 1:11 *and a voice came out of the heavens: You are My beloved Son, in You I am well-pleased*

Mark 14:61 *the high priest was questioning Him, and saying to Him, Are You the Christ, the Son of the Blessed One? 62 And Jesus said, I am; and you shall see the Son of Man sitting at the right hand of Power, and coming with the clouds of heaven*

Acts 4:12 *And there is salvation in no one else; for there is no other name under heaven that has been given among men by which we must be saved*

B=Are you _____ Jesus Christ as your God?

John 10:27 *My sheep hear My voice, and I know them, and they follow Me*

Luke 6:46 *"Why do you call Me, 'Lord, Lord,' and do not do what I say?"*

John 14:15 *"If you love Me, you will keep My commandments.*

C=Are you _____ Jesus Christ with your entire life?

1 John 4:19 *We love, because He first loved us*

Revelation 2:4 *...you have left your first love.*

D=Are you _____ Jesus Christ as the sacrificial Savior?

Romans 12:1 *Therefore I urge you, brethren, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies a living and holy sacrifice, acceptable to God, which is your spiritual service of worship. 2 And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, so that you may prove what the will of God is, that which is good and acceptable and perfect.*

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