

# **“The Glorious Christ”**

**Grace Bible Church**

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## **Christ our salvation**

**Our salvation is based upon the \_\_\_\_\_.**

*"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." Acts*

*4:12*

**and \_\_\_\_\_ of Christ.**

*For I delivered to you as of first importance what I also received, that Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures, and that*

*He was buried, and that He was raised on the third day according to the Scriptures 1 Cor 15:3-4*

**\_\_\_\_\_ God**

*You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul and with all your mind. Mt 22:37*

**should compel us to desire to \_\_\_\_\_ God.**

*This is eternal life, that they may know You, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom You have sent. John 17:3*

## **1. The Pre-incarnate Christ - \_\_\_\_\_**

**Jesus \_\_\_\_\_ others older in birth.**

- John the baptist said Jesus has a higher rank than I for He existed \_\_\_\_\_ me. (Jn 1:15,30)
- Jesus said He existed before \_\_\_\_\_. (Jn 8:58)
- Jesus existed before \_\_\_\_\_. (Jn 1:1,3; Col 1:16; Heb 1:2)
- Jesus comes from \_\_\_\_\_. (Jn 3:31)

**Jesus is \_\_\_\_\_.**

- He is equal in \_\_\_\_\_ with Father before the world began. (Jn 17:5)
- His prophetic \_\_\_\_\_ in the Old Testament describe Him as eternal. (Micah 5:2; Is 9:6)
- He claimed to be the \_\_\_\_\_ (Jn 8:58 from Ex 3:14)
- He is called the alpha and omega who \_\_\_\_\_ and who \_\_\_\_\_ and who is \_\_\_\_\_, the Almighty (Rev 1:8)

**Jesus' \_\_\_\_\_.**

- He \_\_\_\_\_ from heaven. (Jn 3:13)
- He parted with the eternal \_\_\_\_\_ He had with the Father. (Jn 17:5)
- He \_\_\_\_\_ Himself of the form of God and took the form of a slave. (Phil 2:5-7)

## **2. The Incarnate Christ - \_\_\_\_\_**

- Jesus is born of a \_\_\_\_\_.
- In His genealogy the gender (\_\_\_\_\_) and voice (\_\_\_\_\_) change at the announcement of Jesus' birth. (Mt 1:16)
- He is \_\_\_\_\_ by the Holy Spirit. (Mt 1:20)

## **3. The Hypostatic Union of Christ. - \_\_\_\_\_**

- The two natures are not a \_\_\_\_\_ forming a new third type of nature.
- The two natures do not \_\_\_\_\_ but remain 100% divine and 100% human.
- The two natures do not \_\_\_\_\_ two co-existing persons

*The hypostatic union refers to the complete preservation of each of His two natures without confusion or alteration and their unity in one person.*

*The nature of the hypostatic union was such that it was not a matter of Deity possessing a human body or a human individual possessing God.*

*but rather both natures existing undiminished and yet united in one person. (Chafer Vol 1 p237)*