

INCARNATION 101

The Bible

- We can say with an extremely high degree of certainty, that what we have in our modern Bibles is what was originally written and that the writers were absolutely convinced of the truth of what they wrote.

God is Supernatural

- Eternal, Unchanging, Omnipotent, Omniscient, Omnipresent, Holy, Righteous, Creator

God is Relational

- At the very core of who God is there is the desire to create, nurture and restore relationships with others and between others.

God's Instructions

- Because of who God is, He is motivated, obligated and qualified to give us instructions on how to live life to its fullest.

Sin is Not following God's Instructions

- The consequences of sin are the destruction of life and the damaging of relationships

Jesus

- There is abundant evidence (beyond the Bible) for the historical existence of Jesus
- Jesus gives life and restores relationships

Salvation

- Salvation is a life long process, not a single point
- On the cross Christ pay the price for all sin
- We must accept God's gift and life in response to what was done at the cross

Incarnation

- Incarnation is when Jesus living in us is visible to those around us.

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Biblical Incarnation

- ✚ *Matthew 1:23*
- ✚ *John 1:14*
- ✚ *Colossians 1:19 - 20*

Incarnation is **Not Fake** Incarnation is **Inside Out**

- ✚ *Matthew 5:16*
- ✚ *Colossians 1:27*

Jesus taught God's **Instructions** to people

- The Sermon on the Mount
- Kingdom Parables
- ✚ *Matthew 6:10*
- ✚ *Matthew 6:33*
- ✚ *Romans 10:14*

Jesus revealed God's **Heart** for people

- ✚ *Matthew 11:2 – 6*
- ✚ *Matthew 25:34 - 40*

Jesus shared God's **Plea** with people

- ✚ *Matthew 21:33 - 39*
- ✚ *Mark 1:14 - 15*
- ✚ *John 3:16*
- ✚ *John 10:10*
- ✚ *2 Corinthians 5: 21*
- ✚ *Mark 16:15*
- ✚ *2 Corinthians 5:17 - 21*