



“He Will Be Called: The Son Of God”

Luke 1:26-35

- Luke 1:32 – “He will be called the Son of the Most High God”
- Luke 1:35 – “He will be called the Son of God”
- Jesus is referred to as “the Son of God” over 40 times in the New Testament. This title is worthy of our attention.

“The Son of God”

1. What it meant to the Romans and the Jews...

- a. Romans: They had their “son of god.”
 - Julius Caesar – Caesar Augustus – Nero – Domitian
- b. Jesus: They were looking for their “messiah.”
 - Anointed one – deliverer – redeemer – Savior – King

2. What it doesn’t mean...

- A son of God
- A biological offspring
- A created being
- Had a beginning
- Second in rank

3. What it does mean... Jesus was _____

- Scripture teaches it. *John 1:1-3, 14, 18/Colossians 1:13-19; 2:9/Hebrews 1:8-12*
- Many believed it.
- Jesus claimed it. *John 5:18-29; 8:57-59; 10:27-38; 19:9/Matthew 26:63-65*
- The oppositions rejected it.
- It speaks to nature, character, and identity.

4. What it means for us...

The deity of Jesus is a truth that is a key part of the belief that brings salvation.

John 3:16

John 20:30,31

1 John 2:22,23; 4:9, 10, 15; 5:5, 20