

CONVERSATIONS

*what is Jesus
saying to you?*

WHO ARE YOU? #4

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TEXT: JOHN 8:41, 54 ESV

JESUS HAS A DIVINELY SINGULAR PASSION & WHY IT MATTERS

THE SON'S SUBMISSION TO THE SHEMA

Hear, O Israel! The Lord is our God, the Lord is one! - Deuteronomy 6:4 NASB

We are not born of sexual immorality. We have ONE Father - even God." ... It is my Father who glorifies me, ow whom you say, "He is our God." John 8:41, 54 ESV

- **KEEP** - John 8:51, 52, 55
- **TRUTH** - John 8:32, 40, 44-46
- **HEAR** - John 8:26, 38, 40, 43, 47
- **ONE** - John 8:41,50

Which commandment is the most important of all?" ²⁹ Jesus answered, "The most important is, 'Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God, the Lord is one. ³² And the scribe said to him, "You are right, Teacher. You have truly said that he is one, and there is no other besides him. - Mark 12:28, 29, 32 ESV

FOUR FACETS OF FULFILLING THE SHEMA

1. The Doctrine of **MONOTHEISM**

"I do not seek my glory; the One who seeks it also judges - John 8:50 CSB

"If I glorify myself", Jesus answered, "My glory is nothing. My Father - you say about Him, 'He is our God' - He is the One who glorifies Me." - John 8:54 CSB

"I will not share my glory with another!" - Isaiah 42:8; 48:11

1 Corinthians 8:4-6

2. The Necessity of LISTENING

*He who sent me is true, and I declare to the world what I have HEARD from him.
- John 8:26 ESV*

"I speak of what I have seen with my Father, and you do what you have HEARD from your father. - John 8:38 ESV

*Now you seek to kill me, a man who has told you the truth that I HEARD from God.
- John 8:40 ESV*

3. The Character of TRUTH

Do not work for the food that perishes, but for the food that endures to eternal life, which the Son of Man will give to you. For on him God the Father has set his seal - John 6:27 ESV

*Deuteronomy 8:3; Psalm 31:5; Isaiah 65:16; Hebrews 6:18; Titus 1:2;
Numbers 23:19; Romans 1:25; Ephesians 4:21; John 1:14, 17; 14:6; 17:19*

If you abide in my word, you are truly my disciples, and you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free....you seek to kill me because my word finds no place in you...but you seek to kill me, a man who has told you the truth that I heard from God... the devil...he was a murderer from the beginning, and does not stand in the truth, because there is no truth in him - John 8:31-32, 37, 40, 44

Now this is eternal life: that they may know you THE ONLY TRUE GOD, and Jesus Christ, who you have sent! - John 17:3 ESV

4. The Lifestyle of OBEDIENCE

Consequently, when Christ came into the world, he said, "Sacrifices and offerings you have not desired, but a body have you prepared for me;" Then I said, 'Behold, I have come to do your will, O God, as it is written of me in the scroll of the book.' " - Hebrews 10:5-7 ESV

- "Careful to do" - Deuteronomy 5:1, 32, 6:3, 25
- "Keep" - Deuteronomy 5:10, 12, 15, 29, 6:2, 17

I always do the things that are pleasing to him - John 8:29

And the Lord will be king over all the earth. On that day the Lord will be one and his name one. - Zechariah 14:9 ESV