

WHO ARE YOU? # 1
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JESUS' DIVINELY EXQUISITE PURITY & WHY IT MATTERS

Which one of you convicts me of sin? If I tell the truth, why do you not believe me?
- John 8:46 FSV

And they made his grave with the wicked and with a rich man in his death, although he had done no violence, and there was no deceit in his mouth. - Isaiah 53:9 ESV

1. So He Can CONVICT US OF OUR DEPRAVITY

If I had not come and spoken to them (and did works among them that no one else has ever done), they would not be guilty of sin, but now they have no excuse for their sin.

- John 15:21, 24 NCV

I Kings 8:46; Proverbs 20:9; Ecclesiastes 7:20

See also John 3:19-20; 16:8-11

2. So He Can ATTRACT US TO HIS HUMANITY

For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but one who in every respect has been tempted as we are, yet without sin.

- Hebrews 4:15 ESV

3. So He Can TAKE AWAY OUR PENALTY

You know that he appeared in order to take away sins, and in him there is no sin. - 1 John 3:5 ESV

Hebrews 9:26-28

4. So He Can MAKE US INTO HIS BEAUTY

For our sake he made him to be sin who knew no sin, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God. - 2 Corinthians 5:21 ESV

Beauty of holiness - see, Psalm 29:2, 96:9; Exodus 28:2; 2 Chronicles 20:21