

This is the great mystery of our faith: Christ was revealed in a human body and vindicated by the Spirit. He was seen by angels and announced to the nations. He was believed in throughout the world and taken to heaven in glory.

1 Timothy 3:16b NLT

The Mystery of History

Act 1. God made it all! Creation.

In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth.

Genesis 1:1 NIV

Everything comes from (God) and exists by his power and is intended for his glory.

Romans 11:36a NLT

Act 2. Adam lost it all! Seperation.

Sin came into the world because of what one man (Adam) did, and with sin came death.

Romans 5:12a NCV

For everyone has sinned; we all fall short of God's glorious standard.

Romans 3:23 NLT

Act 3. Jesus paid it all! Redemption.

Jesus was given to die for our sins, and he (Jesus) was raised from the dead to make us right with God.

Romans 4:25 NCV

When we were unable to help ourselves, at the right time, Christ died for us, although we were living against God.

Romans 5:6 NCV

Act 4. We can have it all! New Creation.

If anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come.

2 Corinthians 5:17b ESV

Because Jesus was raised from the dead, we've been given a brand-new life and have everything to live for, including a future in heaven—and the future starts now!

1 Peter 1:4 MSG

Christ died for all so that those who live would not continue to live for themselves. He died for them and was raised from the dead so that they would live for him.

2 Corinthians 5:15 NCV

Weekend Music:

Count Em (Brandon Lake) • King of Heaven (Vineyard Worship) • Sing His Name (Vineyard Worship)
The Joy (Belonging Co.) • Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone) (Chris Tomlin)