

## Systematic Theology - Lesson 11 Person of Christ (Part 2)

### I. REVIEW – CHRIST’S PERSON

Christ is ONE Person

- Not two persons with separate natures
- One unified identity with \_\_\_\_\_ (1) natures
- Fully Divine (God)
- Fully Human
- No confusion or division

### II. BIBLICAL EVIDENCE OF DEITY

- Jesus called God and Lord
- Identified with Yahweh
- Accused of \_\_\_\_\_ (2) for claiming deity
- Performs the work of creation

### III. WHY IT MATTERS

- Protects monotheistic faith
  - Secures \_\_\_\_\_ (3)
  - Grounds worship
- “Right Christology leads to right worship.”*

### IV. THE HUMANITY OF CHRIST

#### Virgin Birth

- Scripture clearly speaks of the virgin birth
- Mary – human mother
- No earthly \_\_\_\_\_ (4)
- Conceived by the work of the Holy Spirit  
*(Isaiah 7:14; Luke 1:35; Matthew 1:18)*

#### Doctrinal Importance of the Virgin Birth

- God’s means for sending His Son as a man
- Jesus experienced the full span of human life – womb to tomb
- Virgin Birth = not \_\_\_\_\_ (5) a man, but the unique God-Man
  
- New \_\_\_\_\_ (6) – did not inherit sinful nature and guilt
- New representative for the human race
- Only the God-Man, without sin, could pay for the sin of others

## V. ENDURED HUMAN WEAKNESS & LIMITATIONS

### Human Body

- He was \_\_\_\_\_ (7) (*Luke 2:7*)
- He \_\_\_\_\_ (8) (*Luke 2:40*)
- He became \_\_\_\_\_ (9) (*John 4:6*)
- He became thirsty and \_\_\_\_\_ (10) (*Matthew 4:2; John 19:28*)
- At times physically \_\_\_\_\_ (11)
  
- Simon of Cyrene carried His cross
- Final evidence: death on the cross

### Resurrection

- Rose from the dead in a human body
- Resurrected body was \_\_\_\_\_ (12) – no longer weak
- Not just a spirit  
(*Luke 24:39–43*)

### Ascension

- Continuation of \_\_\_\_\_ (13) body from earth to heaven
- Jesus continues to exist in human body in \_\_\_\_\_ (14)  
(*Luke 24:50–51*)

## VI. HUMAN MIND, SOUL & EMOTIONS

- Went through a learning process
- Learned obedience through \_\_\_\_\_ (15) (*Hebrews 5:8*)
- How did He \_\_\_\_\_ (16) obedience if He never sinned?
  
- Truly tempted
- Without sin (*Hebrews 4:15*)

## VII. WHY FULL HUMANITY WAS NECESSARY

### 1. The \_\_\_\_\_ (17) Adam

- Jesus obeyed where Adam failed  
(*Romans 5:18–19; 1 Corinthians 15:45*)

### 2. Our \_\_\_\_\_ (18)

- If He had not been a man, He could not have been our substitution  
(*Hebrews 2:14–17*)

**3. The \_\_\_\_\_ (19)**

- One mediator between God and man  
(1 Timothy 2:5)

**4. Our \_\_\_\_\_ (20) High Priest**

- As a man, He can fully sympathize with us  
(Hebrews 2:18; 4:15)

**5. The \_\_\_\_\_ (21) from the Dead**

- Raised as a man
- Pattern for our future resurrection  
(Colossians 1:18; 1 Corinthians 15:49)

**6. The \_\_\_\_\_ (22) Forever**

- Not temporarily man
- Fully God – Fully Man – Forever

**VIII. THE TWO NATURES IN ONE PERSON**

Some passages seem \_\_\_\_\_ (23)

- Omnipotent — yet weak
- Omniscient — yet learning
- Eternal — yet born

Solution:

- Two distinct \_\_\_\_\_ (24)
- One Person

Examples

- Sea of Galilee — \_\_\_\_\_ (25) yet calmed the storm
- Truly died — yet divine nature cannot cease
- Tempted — yet divine nature cannot sin

Conclusion:

Two wills — two centers of consciousness — \_\_\_\_\_ (26) Person

**IX. COULD JESUS HAVE SINNED?**

Scripture affirms:

- Jesus \_\_\_\_\_ (27) sinned
- Jesus was truly \_\_\_\_\_ (28)

- God \_\_\_\_\_ (29) be tempted  
Were the temptations real? \_\_\_\_\_ (30)  
He endured temptation to its fullest extent.

#### **X. SUMMARY OF THE INCARNATION**

- Fully divine – unchanged
  - Fully human – newly assumed
  - Nothing subtracted — only humanity added
- “Remaining what He was, He became what He was not.”*

#### **ANSWER KEY**

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|---------------|------------------|
| 1. TWO        | 16. LEARN        |
| 2. BLASPHEMY  | 17. SECOND       |
| 3. SALVATION  | 18. SUBSTITUTION |
| 4. FATHER     | 19. MEDIATOR     |
| 5. ONLY       | 20. SYMPATHY     |
| 6. ADAM       | 21. FIRST-BORN   |
| 7. BORN       | 22. GOD-MAN      |
| 8. GREW       | 23. DIFFICULT    |
| 9. TIRED      | 24. NATURES      |
| 10. HUNGRY    | 25. ASLEEP       |
| 11. WEAK      | 26. ONE          |
| 12. PERFECT   | 27. NEVER        |
| 13. PHYSICAL  | 28. TEMPTED      |
| 14. HEAVEN    | 29. CANNOT       |
| 15. SUFFERING | 30. YES          |