Knowing Jesus As "The Word"

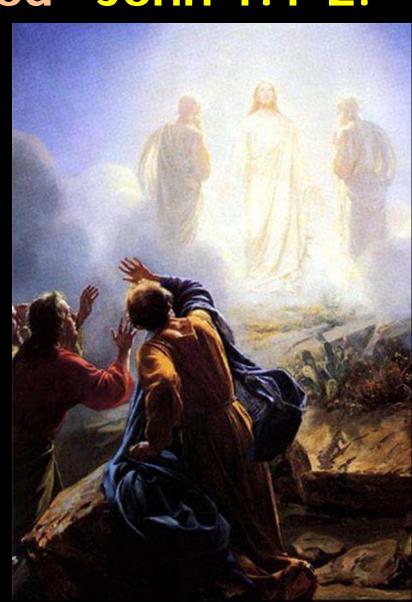


John 1:1-18

I. Because Jesus is the Word, He is God and He is with God —John 1:1-2.

 What can we know about the eternal nature of God?

 What can we know about the eternal relationship of God?



II. He is the creator of all things and is the light of the world (v. 3-5).



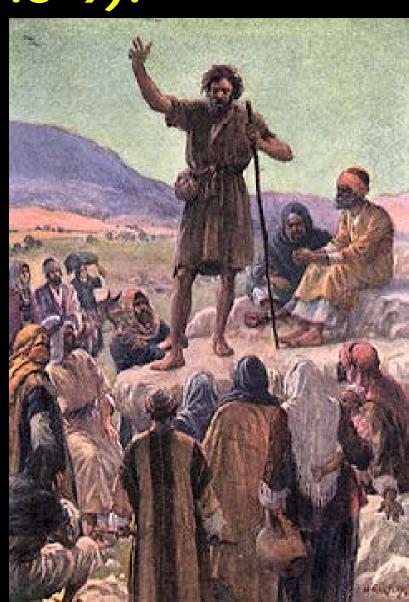
 What do other passages tell us about Jesus and the creation? (Colossians 1:13-20; Hebrews 1:1-4)

 Why is it so hard for men to understand the light of God in Jesus?

III. John came to testify to the light of the world (v.6-9).

 How did John's task differ from ours?

 How has Jesus brought light into your life?

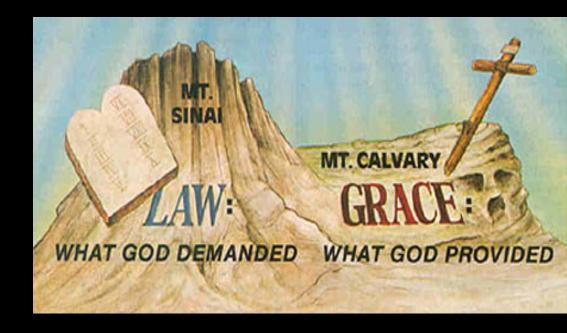


IV. The Word was born of woman so that we could be born of God (v.10-14).



 Why was it so important for the Word to become flesh in Jesus?

 How does being born of God differ from being 'born of blood?' V. The Word makes known God the Father (v.15-18).



 What is so amazing about grace and truth coming through one man?

How does Jesus make known the Father?

Call to Action: To know Jesus as the eternal Word so that we can help others know Him as the eternal Word.

- What has convinced you that Jesus is the eternal Word.
- How has your life been changed by His grace and truth?
- How will you influence others to believe that Jesus is the eternal Word?

-How can we help?

