

# Jesus is God

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Verses to use for reference that prove the divinity of Jesus Christ.

## Jesus is Creator, not Creation

[Colossians 1:16](#)

*For in him all things were created: things in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or powers or rulers or authorities; all things have been created through him and for him.*

[John 1:1-3](#)

*In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. 2 [a]He was in the beginning with God. 3 All things came into being through Him, and apart from Him nothing came into being that has come into being*

## Jesus is “I am/I exist” (ego eimi)

[Exodus 3:14](#)

*14 God said to Moses, “I am who I am. This is what you are to say to the Israelites: ‘I am has sent me to you’*

Jesus uses this of Himself:

[John 3:19](#)

*I am telling you now before it happens, so that when it does happen you will believe that I am who I am.*

[John 18:6](#)

*6So when He said to them, “I am He,” they drew back and fell to the ground*

Nobody falls to the ground when an average person responds I am.

[Isaiah 9:6-7](#)

*For a child will be born to us, a son will be given to us; And the government will [a]rest on His shoulders; And His name will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Eternal Father, Prince of Peace.*

‘son, mighty God, eternal father’ all used to describe God in the same sentence.

## Jesus Preexisted

[John 17:5](#)

5 And now, Father, glorify me in your presence with the glory I had with you before the world began.

[John 8:58](#)

Jesus replied, "I assure you and most solemnly say to you, before Abraham was born, [d]I Am." 59 So they picked up stones to throw at Him, but Jesus concealed Himself and left the temple

[Revelation 1:7-8](#)

Behold, He is coming with the clouds, and every eye will see Him, even those who pierced Him; and all the tribes of the earth will mourn over Him. So it is to be. 8 "I am the Alpha and the Omega," says the Lord God, "who is and who was and who [f]is to come, the Almighty."

## Only God can forgive sins.

[Mark 2:10](#)

10 But so that you may know that the Son of Man has authority on earth to forgive sins"—He \*said to the paralytic, 11 "I say to you, get up, pick up your pallet and go home."

## Only God will judge

[Joel 3:12](#)

Let the nations be aroused And come up to the valley of [a]Jehoshaphat, For there I will sit to judge All the surrounding nations

[Pslam 9:7-8](#)

But the LORD abides forever; He has established His throne for judgment, 8And He will judge the world in righteousness; He will execute judgment for the peoples with equity

[John 5:22](#)

22 For not even the Father judges anyone, but He has given all judgment to the Son,

[Matthew 25:31-32](#)

31 "But when the Son of Man comes in His glory, and all the angels with Him, then He will sit on His glorious throne. 32 All the nations will be gathered before Him; and He will separate them from one another, as the shepherd separates the sheep from the goats;

## The apostles believed Jesus was God

[2 Peter 1:1-2](#)

*Simon Peter, a servant and apostle of Jesus Christ, To those who through the righteousness of our God and Savior Jesus Christ have received a faith as precious as ours: 2 Grace and peace be yours in abundance through the knowledge of God and of Jesus our Lord.*

[John 20:28](#)

*28 Thomas said to him, “My Lord and my God!”*

## **Jesus is Lord & Savior**

[Isaiah 43:10-11](#)

*You are My witnesses,” declares the LORD, “And My servant whom I have chosen, So that you may know and believe Me And understand that I am He. Before Me there was no God formed, And there will be none after Me. I, even I, am the LORD, And there is no savior besides Me.*

[Acts 4:12](#)

*12 Salvation is found in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given to mankind by which we must be saved.”*

In Isaiah there is no savior besides God, in Acts 4:12 Salvation is found in no one else but Christ.

[Revelation 1:17-18](#)

*When I saw Him, I fell at His feet like a dead man. And He placed His right hand on me, saying, “Do not be afraid; I am the first and the last, 18 and the living One; and I [I] was dead, and behold, I am alive forevermore, and I have the keys of death and of Hades*