

IS JESUS GOD?

There are many proofs in the Bible that Jesus Christ is God, that the Jesus of the New Testament is the Jehovah of the Old Testament.

1. John 1:1,14: “. . . the Word was God.” “And the Word was made flesh, and dwelt among us.” The Word, in these verses, can only refer to the Lord Jesus Christ.
2. John 10:30: “I and my Father are one.” Here Jesus Christ claimed to be one with the Father.
3. Romans 9:5: “. . . Christ came, who is over all, God blessed for ever. Amen.” This is a clear statement by the Apostle Paul that Christ is God.
4. Colossians 2:9: “For in him (Christ) dwelleth all the fulness of the Godhead bodily.” If words mean anything at all, these words teach the full deity of the Savior.
5. Hebrews 1:8: “But unto the Son he (God) saith, Thy throne, O God, is for ever and ever.” God, the Father here addresses the Lord Jesus as God.
6. By comparing Isaiah 6:1-3, 9, 10 with John 12:39-41 it will be seen that Jesus is Jehovah. Isaiah saw the Lord sitting upon a throne, with seraphim worshipping Him as LORD (Jehovah) of hosts. John plainly declares that Esaias (Isaiah) saw Christ's glory and spoke of Him.
7. John 20:28: “Thomas answered and said unto him, My Lord and my God.” Jesus accepted this worship from Thomas.
8. 1 John 5:20: “We are in him that is true, even in his Son Jesus Christ. This is the true God, and eternal life.” What could be clearer than this! Jesus Christ is the true God!
9. Colossians 1:16: “By him (Christ) were all things created, that are in heaven, and that are in the earth, visible and invisible, whether they be thrones, or dominions, or principalities, or powers.” See also John 1:3, 10. In all these verses, Christ is spoken of as the Creator. Compare Hebrews 3:4, “He that made all things is God.”
10. 1 Timothy 3:16: “Without controversy great is the mystery of godliness: God was manifest in the flesh . . .” The only Person to whom this could apply is the Lord Jesus Christ.