

# Who Is Jesus Christ?

21 Portraits of Christ from the book of John

*Jesus*

The One & Only

Seeing Jesus in the book of John



Each chapter in the book John contains a portrayal of some aspect of the character or work of Christ

**John 20:31 NIV**

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**What is the most important  
question in life?**



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## What Do You Believe?



# Divine Teacher

John 3:1-8

His teaching is  
portrayed



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7 You should not be surprised at my saying, 'You must be born again.' 8 The wind blows wherever it pleases. You hear its sound, but you cannot tell where it comes from or where it is going. So it is with everyone born of the Spirit."

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**Life in Jesus is...**

**A learning experience**

## Psalm 119:33-37 NIV

33 Teach me, Lord, the way of your decrees,  
that I may follow it to the end.

34 Give me understanding, so that I may keep your  
law and obey it with all my heart.

35 Direct me in the path of your commands,  
for there I find delight.

36 Turn my heart toward your statutes  
and not toward selfish gain.

37 Turn my eyes away from worthless things;  
preserve my life according to your word.

## Psalm 119:33-42 Living Bible

33-34 Just tell me what to do and I will do it, Lord. As long as I live I'll wholeheartedly obey. 35 Make me walk along the right paths, for I know how delightful they really are. 36 Help me to prefer obedience to making money! 37 Turn me away from wanting any other plan than yours. Revive my heart toward you.

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38 Reassure me that your promises are for me,  
for I trust and revere you.

39 How I dread being mocked for obeying, for  
your laws are right and good. 40-42 I long to  
obey them! Therefore, in fairness renew my life,  
for this was your promise—yes, Lord, to save  
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Learning to foster obedience and love  
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**John 8:31 New Life Version**

**31 He said to the Jews who believed, “If you keep and obey My Word, then you are My followers for sure.**

**John 8:31 New Living Translation**

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