

"Rewind" Exclusives
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Isaiah 46:9

"Remember the former things, those of long ago; I am God, and there is no other; I am God, and there is none like me."

John 21:25

"Jesus did many other things as well. If every one of them were written down, I suppose that even the whole world would not have room for the books that would be written."

John 1:1-5

"In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.² He was with God in the beginning.³ Through Him all things were made; without Him nothing was made that has been made.⁴ In Him was life, and that life was the light of all mankind.⁵ The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it.

John 1:9-12

"The true light that gives light to everyone was coming into the world.¹⁰ He was in the world, and though the world was made through Him, the world did not recognize Him.¹¹ He came to that which was His own, but His own did not receive Him.¹² Yet to all who did receive Him, to those who believed in His name, He gave the right to become children of God."

1) God, as revealed in the Bible, is exclusive.

Deuteronomy 6:4

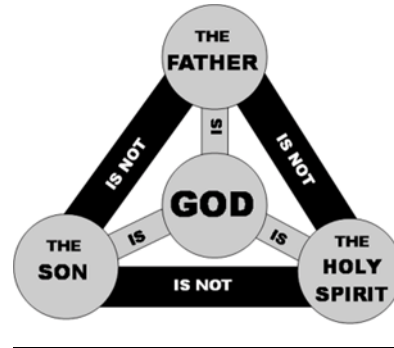
"Hear O Israel, the Lord our God is One...."

Exodus 20:3

"You shall have no other gods before (or besides) me."

Jeremiah 30:22

"So you will be my people, and I will be your God."



John 1:1

"In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God."

1 John 2:2

"He (Jesus) is the atoning sacrifice for our sins, and not only for ours but also for the sins of the whole world."

2 Corinthians 5:21

"God made Him who had no sin to be sin for us, so that in Him we might become the righteousness of God."

2) The Bible is to be exclusive in matters of life.

John 1:1

"In the beginning was the Word...."

Genesis 1:1

"In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth..."

Psalms 119:89

"Your word, Lord, is eternal; it stands firm in the heavens."

1 Peter 1:24-25

"All people are like grass, and all their glory is like the flowers of the field; the grass withers and the flowers fall,²⁵ but the word of the Lord endures forever."

3) Our being created is inclusive, our becoming a child is exclusive.

John 1:3

"Through Him all things were made; without Him nothing was made that has been made."

John 1:11-12

"He came to that which was His own, but His own did not receive him.¹² Yet to all who did receive Him, to those who believed in His name, He gave the right to become children of God."