



Bible In One Year

The Bible in One Year Week 16: The Gospels (John Pt. 1)

Mark 1:1-3; Luke 1:1-4; John 20:30-31; John 1:1-18

Jesus is Everything

- The name “Jesus” is the Greek form of the Hebrew name “Yeshua” or “Joshua” which means S_____. Christ, or “Christos” is the Greek word for “Messiah” which means A_____ O_____.

Jesus is the *Saving King*. Jesus is *everything*.

- “*Who is Jesus?*” If you had to answer that question in just one sentence, what would you say?

Four Gospels

- **The Synoptic Gospels and John’s Gospel**

Matthew, Mark, and Luke are known as the “Synoptic Gospels” (which means “seeing all together”), John’s Gospel has a unique approach from the others.

- **Mathew, Mark, Luke, and John**

Matthew presents Jesus as a *greater Moses*, and so he’s grouped Jesus’ teachings into five large blocks, just like the five books of the Torah.

Luke highlights how Jesus is God’s *royal servant* from the book of Isaiah, who brings God’s light to the nations.

Mark presents Jesus as a *new start for humanity*, bringing the mystery of God’s New Creation crashing into the present.

John focuses on Jesus’ claim to *be Yahweh, the God of Israel become human*, to do for us what we could never do for ourselves. (The Bible Project)

In the Beginning

- **Jesus is the W_____ made flesh, Jesus is the L_____ and L_____ of God**

We don’t have to go searching for life, for meaning, for purpose, for God anymore: he’s come all this way for us. Jesus is where we see who God really is and what his intentions for us are.

For Further Study:

“Overview: John 1-12” by the Bible Project (YouTube)
<https://youtu.be/G-2e9mMf7E8>

“The Gospel” by the Bible Project (YouTube)
https://youtu.be/xrzq_X1NNaA