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All in Him!

Focus Verse: Colossians 2:9 -For in him dwelleth all the fulness of the Godhead bodily.

Lesson Text: Genesis 14

Truth About God: The fullness of the Godhead dwelt in Jesus Christ.

Truth For My Life: I will worship Jesus as the Most High God.

God has always intended for humanity to know Him. David, a true worshiper said: *“For thou art great, and doest wondrous things: thou art God alone”* (Psalm 86:10). He commanded mothers and fathers to teach their children there is one God (Deuteronomy 6:4-7). When we are truly devoted to the Most High God, we will be filled with humility and bow down to Him alone. He alone is the first and the last. *“Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God is one Lord”* (Deuteronomy 6:4).

The song **“All in Him,”** Farrow wrote: *“The mighty God is Jesus, the Prince of Peace is He, the everlasting Father, the King eternally.”* We can easily explain that the mighty God is Jesus if we acknowledge God Himself was manifested in the body of Jesus Christ (John 1:14; 1 Timothy 3:16). **But not everyone believed Jesus was the mighty God in flesh.** David K. Bernard goes on to say: *“In sum, the titles of Father, Son, and Holy Spirit describe God’s redemptive roles or revelations, but they do not reflect an essential threeness in His nature. Father refers to God in family relationship to humanity; Son refers to God in flesh; and Spirit refers to God in spiritual activity.”*

Isaiah prophesied, *“For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given: and the government shall be upon his shoulder: and his name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, The mighty God, The everlasting Father, The Prince of Peace”* (Isaiah 9:6). God inspired the prophet Isaiah to express the majesty and glory of the Godhead. Through Isaiah, God reassured His people He was the only God. *“Thus saith the Lord the King of Israel, and his redeemer the Lord of hosts; I am the first, and I am the last; and beside me there is no God”* (Isaiah 44:6).

Another stanza of the song **“All in Him”** says, *“The fullness of the Godhead in Jesus is displayed.”* Paul’s letter to the Colossians: *“For in him dwelleth all the fulness of the Godhead bodily”* (Colossians 2:9). Jesus is the embodiment of everything the Godhead is. He was the express image of God. God prepared Himself a body to dwell in as He imparted to humanity the grace of forgiveness and redemption.

Paul wrote a letter to Timothy stating: *“And without controversy great is the mystery of godliness: God was manifest in the flesh, justified in the Spirit, seen of angels, preached unto the Gentiles, believed on in the world, received up into glory”* (1 Timothy 3:16). The great mystery was not the Godhead; it was the incarnation; God came in flesh as Jesus Christ to save us from our sins.

Paul also wrote: *“God was in Christ, reconciling the world unto himself”* (2 Corinthians 5:19). God came in flesh as Jesus Christ to reconcile us to Him and to give us the gospel message of reconciliation. It has always been the will of God to bring people back into the right relationship with Him.

Once we realize Jesus is the Most High God, who was manifest in the flesh (1 Timothy 3:16), the whole Bible makes more sense. When Jesus said He knew the Father, He was helping us see the relationship we should have with the everlasting Father. Jesus said He and the Father are one (John 10:30). John said, *“And the Word was made flesh, and dwelt among us, (and we beheld his glory, the glory as of the only begotten of the Father,) full of grace and truth”* (John 1:14). The glory of the Most High God dwelt among us.

We still may have difficulty wrapping our brains around the spiritual aspect of His existence. However, when we see in Scripture who Jesus really is, it transforms us completely and causes the Bible to come alive. We do not have to fear death anymore because we have the hope of Heaven. We can pray in Jesus’ name and miracles will happen, just as they did when Jesus walked among us. We have learned the power in Jesus’ name.

What joy to declare in song that the mighty God is Jesus. He is the one in whom all the Godhead dwells bodily. **It’s all in Him.**