

## What Does it Mean to be a Christian?

### The Gospel

#### INTRODUCTION

- How would you answer the question: What does it mean to be a Christian?
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- How would you answer the question: What is the Gospel?
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#### THE GOOD NEWS FROM GOD

- Gospel means G\_\_\_\_\_ N\_\_\_\_\_
- The Gospel is the p\_\_\_\_\_ news of your sal\_\_\_\_\_.
- The Good News is of d\_\_\_\_\_ origin.

#### CHRIST DIED FOR OUR SINS

- Christ is a title and points to the official role of the M\_\_\_\_\_ from the \_\_\_\_\_ Testament.
- The Gospel is Good News because Jesus was willing to s\_\_\_\_\_ himself on be \_\_\_\_\_ of our sins.
- In just six words, “that Christ died for our sins” we have the summary of the how Christ a\_\_\_\_\_ for our sins.

#### HE WAS BURIED

- The fact that Jesus really died and was buried speaks to the n\_\_\_\_\_ of Jesus
- He had to be fully h\_\_\_\_\_ in order for him to be able to die on behalf of our sins, and he had to be fully G\_\_\_\_\_ so that he could offer a perfect sacrifice as a God-honoring atonement.

#### RAISED ON THE THIRD DAY

- Jesus w\_\_\_ raised from the dead and cont\_\_\_\_\_ his life in the resurrected state
- What is the Scripture where Jesus said that he would be raised on the third day? John\_\_\_\_\_

#### HE APPEARED TO CEPHAS, THEN TO THE TWELVE

- His bodily appearance was p\_\_\_\_\_ to those who would doubt that he was raised
- If a person denies either his d\_\_\_\_\_ or his res\_\_\_\_\_ there is no hope of salvation for them. But for those who do believe, it is the power of God for salvation.

#### WHAT ABOUT YOU?

- How would you answer the question: What does it mean to be a Christian?
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- How would you answer the question: What is the Gospel?
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