

## JOHN 1:1-14

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I believe the greatest miracle in Christianity is the incarnation of Christ. The greatest gift of God to mankind is the gift of His Son. The fact that God would send His Son to take on flesh in order to redeem us from our sin is unthinkable.

In the next couple of weeks, we are going to consider the incarnation and its significance in our lives. It is the core of Christian theology – God taking on flesh provides the only means of salvation, and it reveals more about God than any other event in history.

As we have been talking about knowing God's will, we have said that it involves knowing God Himself. As Ron said yesterday, this means we must know God *as He reveals Himself*. The incarnation of Christ reveals more about God than any other event in history.

Let's consider [John 1:1-14](#) a bit this week.

### QUESTIONS TO CONSIDER:

1. What does [John 1:1-14](#) reveal about God regarding eternity?
2. "Logos" means "the expression of", or the means of understanding something. What does that title say about Jesus? (See [Hebrews 1:1-3](#)) How does the statement that He is the Light of world impact that idea?
3. What do these verses reveal about the relationship between "The Word" and God? Why does John make it clear that the Word was God? Why is that significant in Christian theology?
4. Describe "The Word's" role in creation.
5. What is the significance that the Light shines on all men, but not all men received it?

6. What does it mean to receive the Light?
  
7. How does one become a child of God?
  
8. How does knowing Jesus relate to us knowing God?
  
9. Would you say that you know God? Why or why not?