

At Caesarea Philippi Peter under divine revelation had taken Jesus on His own terms...

BUT---Under Satanic temptation Peter immediately turned back from the 'revelation' of HOLY SPIRIT in the 'things' of God to the 'things' of men.

Behind and above Peter's great confession is Jesus' greater confession. By using the term 'the Son of Man,' it binds Jesus to humanity, yet singles him out from other men...For it is through present suffering and indignity that HE who is to be Saviour and Judge passes to His Kingdom.

If I understand at all, SONSHIP began at Bethlehem. Bethlehem was the location and His Incarnation was the time when SONSHIP began. In Scripture the angel said: *"That Holy thing which shall be born of thee shall be called the Son of God."* Luke 1:35

Here we have it clearly revealed that THE HUMANITY of the Lord Jesus IS THE SON, *"that Holy Thing."* ---That physical, fleshly 'THING' IS the SON.

Is JESUS 'other' than God? The Father? Or was he an "In-Christed" man [whatever that means---'at His baptism]; an APOTHEOSIS [consecrated or exalted to the dignity of a deity; deified?]

Simply stated: Was Jesus a man...Anointed and brought up via SONSHIP; or, Deity come down in flesh?

SONSHIP is a wondrous message---BUT do we over-reach our own grasp? *"Beloved, now are we the sons of God, and it doth not yet appear what we shall be but we know that, when he shall appear, we shall be like him; for we shall see him as he is."* 1 John 3:2

Why do we preach that which we do not know about? AND, have we correctly identified who Jesus IS? Or, are we ARIAN teaching "the SON" is "other" than God? Are we full-or, semi-J.W's in understanding of who THE SON OF GOD IS; or ARE WE N.T. APOSTOLIC BELIEVERS?

Oh, the enigmas, the speculative dialectics, the labyrinth's that men's ideas lead us into!

Note: TO UNDERSTAND JESUS THE CHRIST, WE MUST BEGIN WITH THE KNOWLEDGE OF HIS HUMAN LIFE...It's IN the Gospels!

The foundations of our Christian faith are to be laid in the recorded facts of our LORD'S career as man, the SON OF MAN....anything else is to start building from the roof!

WHAT IF . . .



"I can't seem to get through to the Apostle Paul, but a fellow named Arius would like to say Hello"
