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Does anyone understand a difficult concept like the *TRINITY* of God? Is there a *REASONABLE* explanation for the idea of 3 Persons in One God?

Why would God wish to be born in a human form for a visit to Earth?

*God needed an interface
to better communicate with
humankind. . . so He created
the God-Man Jesus Christ
to be that interface.*

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WHY IN HEAVEN'S NAME would people call Jesus Christ "God in human form" instead of merely "the Son of God"?? Why do some people believe he's a co-equal person of a Divine Trinity that defines the nature of God?? Have you ever wondered . . .

WHY WOULD GOD ALMIGHTY EVEN WANT TO CREATE OR EMBODY A HALF-HUMAN, HALF-GOD CREATURE ANYWAY ?!?

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God did this because He needed a better **interface** for communicating with the world that He had created, a **tool** by which to **interact with the human race and do a better job of teaching us** . . . because He knew that the best means of teaching is by **setting a good example** as a role-model. He also needed a device by which He could rescue a sinful and chaotic world from its own foolishness.

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And God knew that He could easily set this plan in motion, since through all of eternity, long before this Universe was ever created, He had always existed in a perfect **Three-Part Nature**, in a Divine Being that was comprised of **God/Father**, **God/Son**, and **God/Spirit**.

The multi-faceted Persons of God's Being were ever connected in the **Divine Unity** of God. But He chose to dislodge a portion of Himself and to have **God The Son** born on Earth in a human form — as Jesus Christ.

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Thus **God The Father** willed that through the agency of the holy **God/Spirit**, a virgin named Mary would be greatly blessed and would miraculously conceive a fetus that had no human father. . . a child who would be named Jesus and later "Christ," the Anointed One.

This "**half-human, half-God**" child grew up in wisdom and holiness to become a **Holy Superbeing** by whom God intended to **rescue a hell-bent world** from its own evil destructiveness.

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Theologians who are authorities on the Bible and Biblical history agree that **Jesus was not merely half-human and half-God.** The Bible teaches us that **when Jesus walked the Earth in his human body He was FULLY HUMAN and FULLY GOD** in a **simultaneous** way that is difficult for us to comprehend.

Jesus functioned then as a **communication facilitator**, and **that is still His role today.**

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The **FULLNESS** of His relationship to Earth's humanity and to the Father God in Heaven is what makes **the God/Man Jesus Christ . . . a correct and utterly PERFECT INTERFACE for divine communication. He is God's chosen instrument!**

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Jesus is also the **ONLY MEDIATOR** whom God finds **acceptable to intervene** on our behalf. Our sins make it difficult for us to even approach Creation's King in His Holy Place.

God will allow only Jesus Christ (God The Son) to speak up for us as a FACILITATOR/ ATTORNEY in any defense of sinful human beings before the Heavenly Court. Jesus can BE YOUR ADVOCATE with His Father.

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**TO MAKE YOUR PRAYERS HEARD
AND TRULY EFFECTIVE WITH GOD
The Father, you must communicate
with Him through HIS PERFECT
INTERFACE, which is His Chosen
Instrument . . . His Only Begotten
Son, JESUS CHRIST. . . the child
born of Mary in Bethlehem.**

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**YOUR PRAYERS TO GOD
CAN BRING YOU RESCUE** only if
you are praying correctly through
Jesus, God's Son, in accord with a
designated "**LINE-OF-COMMAND**"
**WHICH GOD HAS APPOINTED
FOR THIS VAST UNIVERSE.**

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To UNDERSTAND GOD AND GOD'S PLANS, you must **first sense God's mind** and His will through the intervention of **God's Spirit**. Then you must **continue to receive guidance** from **God's Spirit** (one Person of the Divine Trinity). You can **correctly understand** the mind of God **only by gaining a full and complete knowledge** of His Son Jesus Christ (**God The Son, a second Person of the Divine Trinity**).

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JESUS is THE DIVINE INTERFACE that makes all this possible. God made Him a Savior who can **rescue** you from the punishment of sins.

God **reveals His Son** Jesus and Himself to us **whenever we read or hear** the truths that He has planted in the Holy Scriptures of the Bible. A **seed of His truth, buried in you now**, can **grow** in **His Light**, or perish in your darkness.

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You can see it grow by placing Jesus Christ, **who in the Trinity of God created our Universe**, upon a throne at the center of your heart! *He deserves that position and that kind of respect.* He was first **God The Son**, but when born in human flesh he became the only sinless and righteous person who ever lived. Yet he sacrificed himself on a cross for your sake, taking all guilt and sins upon himself — in order that you and I, that all people, **that whoever wishes for salvation might be rescued from the due punishment of sins.**

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If you choose to accept Jesus Christ and pray to receive His illumination, then His **Holy Spirit** will come to reside within you forever. He will be a **fiery energy-force** inside you that will **burn eternally** and give you a **perpetual guidance**. He will stay with you in all Earthly trials, and beyond.

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By doing this, you will gain a new contentment and inner peace as you accept God's organizational plan for the Universe . . .

because you'll be letting God be the Ruler of All Things in this world . . . and in your own life.

All it really takes is a simple but sincere little prayer — one that you should make up in your own words. The prayer for deliverance and for God's leadership should come from your own heart!

Some important elements that you might include are:

- 1) your desire to turn away from the wrongness or evil of your past life, and your remorse over the sins of your previous life,
- 2) your desire for God's forgiveness and mercy through the act of sacrifice of His Only Begotten Son (Jesus Christ),
- 3) your desire to know God's leadership in your life,
- 4) your desire to learn more of God's truth through Bible study,
- 5) your desire to find fellowship with genuine believers.

Jesus said of Himself, **"Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. I and the Father are One."**

Jesus said also of Himself, **"Truly I tell you, before Abraham was even born, I AM."** (Moses had long ago learned from God that **God's name** was **"I AM."**)

Jesus said of the people of God that "The kingdom of heaven is like a **net** that God has cast into the sea, and it gathers of every kind: When it is full, it will be pulled up on the shore, where they will sit down to sort the catch, and they will **collect the good fish in baskets, but the bad things will be thrown away. This is the way it will be at the end of the world:** The **angels** shall come forth, and they will **separate** the unrighteous persons from among those justified by God . . ."

Excerpt from the Book of Matthew, who was a constant companion of Jesus and his devoted disciple[13:47-50].

Jesus spoke of the people of God as being like a seed that is growing secretly, saying, "As for the kingdom of God, it is as if a person should cast seed into the ground; and then he sleeps, and he rises up night and day to see that the seed is springing forth and always growing up, although he knows not exactly how. The Earth is bringing forth fruit from itself; first the blade, then the ears of corn, and after that the fullness of the ears of corn. And when all the **fruit of the Earth** has come forth, immediately God will use the sickle to reap the fields, because the **harvest-time** has come."

Excerpt from the book of Mark [4:26-29].

It's also important for all of us to remember this:

- 1) **WE SPEAK TO GOD** by our prayers.
- 2) **GOD SPEAKS TO US** by the words of Holy Scripture.

So we must try to read His words and His Book just as often as we possibly can!!

God wants to bless you for all your long efforts to understand this very confusing and difficult universe in which we live — so let Him reward your search with the grace of His forgiveness and enlightenment!

*With the right interface, you can
achieve a real communication with
Heaven's Maker, the Lord of All.*

*Get connected with God today.
It's better that you should have
a friend in high places .*

God visited planet Earth when He walked upon our world in the human body of Jesus Christ.

God traveled to the Earth so that He could show us the route to Heaven.

His Light has lived among us.

A Letter From The Sponsor

In 1979, I spent two months in Nepal. During November, I did the Pokhara-Muktinath Trek with my travel-buddy, a Swiss adventurer named Werner Baumgartner. Later, in December, we would also do the Everest Trek together.

For the first trek, we hiked day after day — all day, every day — through the mountains of Nepal... until we finally reached our destination at Muktinath. There we saw the goal of this trek... what was called "The Temple of Miraculous Fire." It was an old building which was situated on a mountaintop.

In many ways, it was a very inspirational trip, but the "miraculous fire" that we found in that temple was just a little bit disappointing. When the altar curtain was pulled back by a Buddhist monk, we were given a chance to see the miniature wonder contained inside this Nepalese temple.

We saw then what the Temple of Miraculous Fire was all about. There was a tiny stream of water coming up through the ground, and it made a miniature waterfall behind that curtain. But there was more to it than that. An endless supply of natural gas was also gushing out of the ground, and it was kept lighted by the monks... so there was a flame of fire floating over the waterfall, one that seemed to burn eternally. That was the miracle of this temple, and the Buddhist pilgrims who travel there are greatly impressed by this combination of fire, water, earth, and air... the four basic elements in their cosmogeny.

Imagine — a fire that floats on water — seemingly forever! Well, it is a rather unusual thing for a trekker to discover in this world, as you might guess.

Six months later, I came to the Pacific Island of Guam, where I would be living and working for the next five years. Soon after I got there, I became a genuine believer in Jesus Christ, and finally I became a diligent student of the Bible. My arrival on Guam brought me to a new comprehension. I understood that "miraculous fire" becomes a reality for a human being when God puts His Holy Spirit into a believer. This comes only through faith and a prayer to Jesus Christ. Then the human being becomes a temple for God's Holy Spirit. Amazing as it may sound, a mere human being is able to become a "Temple of Miraculous Fire." The fire of God's Holy Spirit will then burn in you eternally!

And what is more, Jesus Christ will also give you an endless supply of "living water," which will become in you a spring of Eternal Life.

The Christian believers of our Earth are all engaged in a great Journey to the East... the trek to a New Beginning and a New Earth. I hope you'll join us.

Our army is still growing, and we are looking for new recruits. That is a good thing, because it's what Jesus wants us to do. And as Rev. Richard Wurmbbrand has aptly stated in his book *Reaching Toward The Heights*: "If we become a larger party climbing together, we may succeed better."

I became a believer in 1980, right after I settled down for a while on the island of Guam. I didn't know it, but my Swiss pal Werner also became a believer in Christ during this same year, by an independent route.

I learned from his letters that Werner eventually studied theology at a Bible College in Switzerland. My old trekking buddy, the congenial baker from Switzerland, the pal with whom I had traveled so extensively during our globetrotting days... ended up becoming an evangelical pastor for the Reformed Free Church in Switzerland. He also became a missionary evangelist, working to this very day as a "church planter" in the more rural and unreached areas of his native country. He starts new churches there.

It's not surprising that we both became believers and followers of Jesus Christ. We traveled for many months inside a great many countries of this world, and we could both see how much this Earth is in need of God's Son.

I became a believer because Jesus Christ is our Gateway to the Truth of God. He is the Guardian of God's Absolutes, and He is the Announcer of God's Truth! When we see His face, we see the face of the Father in Heaven. When we hear His words, we hear the Truth about Heaven and Earth. The voice of Jesus Christ is the voice of God. Clothed in perfect righteousness and purity, He is eternally the Son of God.

The Devil has too many children already, but the Father in Heaven could use some more. If you become a child of God, you'll be proud to declare that you have become a member of His Family... and a brother to Jesus Christ!

In His Service,
Ken Street

More challenging than
the mountains on the
Earth...

More challenging than
the mountains on the
Moon...

God's
Earthward Outreach.

The people of Earth
abide.

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