

JESUS

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It's difficult to find someone who doesn't have an opinion of Jesus. There are more paintings, songs and books about Him than anyone else in history. Even our date system pivots around Him. But why? Was He a prophet, a good man, a teacher, a revolutionary or a mad man with a god-complex? What is it about him that has inspired both adoration and hatred?

## *Jesus is a man*

but He does not carry the same guilt that we all do. He lived a perfectly sinless life, performed miracles that pointed to God's rule of justice, love, mercy and grace, and carried out God's mission of love on the earth.

## *Jesus was crucified*

by the plan of God, carried out by men. But the result of the execution wasn't what His contemporaries expected. Punishment, suffering and death were due to us because of our sin, but Jesus took it upon himself and satisfied God's righteous justice.

## *Jesus rose from the dead*

and was seen by over 500 people before ascending to heaven. This was the final victory over death and the devil. All who now trust in Jesus can know God and have eternal life.

## *Jesus is fully God*

He is the all-powerful ruler over all things; creation, nations, politics, individuals, life and death. Jesus is the central message of the Bible, the figure that all of history points to, and the focus of mankind's future.

## *Jesus can be known - personally*

Jesus has promised you His Holy Spirit so that you can know Him personally, regardless of your background. Simply trust in Jesus for salvation rather than in anything else - yourself, money or religion. There is nothing else required of you.

We love talking about Jesus so if you have any more questions, just ask!