



Graces of Jesus

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Given by Jesus for us to become the fullness of Christ

Ephesians 4:11-13

So Christ himself gave the apostles, the prophets, the evangelists, the pastors and teachers, to equip his people for works of service, so that the body of Christ may be built up until we all reach unity in the faith and in the knowledge of the Son of God and become mature, attaining to the whole measure of the fullness of Christ.



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The Cosmic Christ

Jesus: foundation, builder & sustainer

Colossians 1:15-17

The Son is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn over all creation. For in him all things were created: things in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or powers or rulers or authorities; all things have been created through him and for him. He is before all things, and in him all things hold together



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Colossians 1:18

And he is the head of the body, the church; he is the beginning and the firstborn from among the dead, so that in everything he might have the supremacy.



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1 Corinthians 3:10

By the grace God has given me, I laid a foundation as a wise builder, and someone else is building on it. But each one should build with care. 11 For no one can lay any foundation other than the one already laid, which is Jesus Christ.



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Hebrews 12:2

fixing our eyes on Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of faith. For the joy that was set before him he endured the cross, scorning its shame, and sat down at the right hand of the throne of God.

Hebrews 12:2



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Jesus was the quintessential

1. Apostle. The SENT ONE.

John 3:16

For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.



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Luke 4:17-19

**'The Spirit of the Lord is on me,
because he has anointed me
to proclaim good news to the poor.
He has sent me to proclaim freedom for the
prisoners
and recovery of sight for the blind,
...**



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John 1:14

The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us. We have seen his glory, the glory of the one and only Son, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth.



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John 17:3

Now this is eternal life: that they know you, the only true God, and Jesus Christ, whom you have sent.



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John 20:21

Again Jesus said, 'Peace be with you! As the Father has sent me, I am sending you.'



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1. Apostle. The SENT ONE.

Hebrews 3:1

Therefore, holy brothers and sisters, who share in the heavenly calling, fix your thoughts on Jesus, whom we acknowledge as our apostle and high priest.



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2. Prophet. The MESSAGE BRINGER.

Mark 1:14

The time has come,' he said. 'The kingdom of God has come near. Repent and believe the good news!'



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John 8:32

Then you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free.'



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John 12:49

For I did not speak on my own, but the Father who sent me commanded me to say all that I have spoken.



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2. Prophet. The MESSAGE BRINGER.

Luke 19:45-46

When Jesus entered the temple courts, he began to drive out those who were selling. 'It is written,' he said to them, "'My house will be a house of prayer"; but you have made it "a den of robbers".[



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Mark 13;2

Do you see all these great buildings?' replied Jesus. 'Not one stone here will be left on another; every one will be thrown down.'



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Mark 9:31

because he was teaching his disciples. He said to them, 'The Son of Man is going to be delivered into the hands of men. They will kill him, and after three days he will rise.'



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John 6:14

After the people saw the sign Jesus performed, they began to say, 'Surely this is the Prophet who is to come into the world.'



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3. Evangelist. The LOST SEEKER

Luke 15:1-2

Now the tax collectors and sinners were all gathering round to hear Jesus. But the Pharisees and the teachers of the law muttered, 'This man welcomes sinners, and eats with them.'



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Luke 19:10

For the Son of Man came to seek and to save the lost.'



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Matthew 9:36

When he saw the crowds, he had compassion on them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd.



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Luke 19:5-6

When Jesus reached the spot, he looked up and said to him, 'Zacchaeus, come down immediately. I must stay at your house today.' So he came down at once and welcomed him gladly.



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Mark 2:17

On hearing this, Jesus said to them, 'It is not the healthy who need a doctor, but those who are ill. I have not come to call the righteous, but sinners.'



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3. Evangelist. The LOST SEEKER

Mark 10:46

Then they came to Jericho. As Jesus and his disciples, together with a large crowd, were leaving the city, a blind man, Bartimaeus (which means 'son of Timaeus'), was sitting by the roadside begging.



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4. Shepherd. The NURTURER

John 10:7

Therefore Jesus said again, 'Very truly I tell you, I am the gate for the sheep.'



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4. Shepherd. The NURTURER

John 10:11

Therefore 'I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. said again,



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4. Shepherd. The NURTURER

John 8:10-11

Jesus straightened up and asked her, 'Woman, where are they? Has no one condemned you?'

'No one, sir,' she said.

'Then neither do I condemn you,' Jesus declared.

'Go now and leave your life of sin.'



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4. Shepherd. The NURTURER

Hebrews 13:20

Now may the God of peace, who through the blood of the eternal covenant brought back from the dead our Lord Jesus, that great Shepherd of the sheep,



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5. Teacher. The ILLUMINATOR OF TRUTH

Mark 1:22

The people were amazed at his teaching, because he taught them as one who had authority, not as the teachers of the law.



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5. Teacher. The ILLUMINATOR OF TRUTH

Luke 2:46-47

After three days they found him in the temple courts, sitting among the teachers, listening to them and asking them questions. 47 Everyone who heard him was amazed at his understanding and his answers.



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Luke 11:1-2

One day Jesus was praying in a certain place. When he finished, one of his disciples said to him, 'Lord, teach us to pray, just as John taught his disciples.'



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John 13:13-15

'You call me "Teacher" and "Lord", and rightly so, for that is what I am. 14 Now that I, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also should wash one another's feet. 15 I have set you an example that you should do as I have done for you.



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Matthew 28:18-20

**Therefore go and make disciples of all nations,
baptising them in the name of the Father and of
the Son and of the Holy Spirit, 20 and teaching
them to obey everything I have commanded you.
And surely I am with you always, to the very end
of the age.'**



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