- 12. It seems that Jesus purposely violated their traditions so He could bring about a confrontation so He could proclaim and defend what?
- 13. Witness #1 to verify Jesus' equality with God was His perfect what?
- 14. The second witness to Jesus' equality with God is what (whom)?
- 15. Under Jewish law the self-testimony of any man was not what?
- 16. Verses 31-32 is a reference to whom?
- 17. The Jews sent a delegation to find out about John the Baptizer but instead He told them what?
- 18. John the Baptizer was a lamp; Jesus is the what?
- 19. At first John the Baptizer was very popular because there hadn't been a prophet in Israel for how long?
- 20. The Jews got tired of hearing John the Baptizer talk about what?
- 21. Witness #3 is what?
- 22. In John 10:25, Jesus appealed to what as proof of His deity?
- 23. The only reason a person could possibly have to reject Jesus, after seeing His works, is what?
- 24. Who was the 4<sup>th</sup> witness whom Jesus called to the witness stand?
- 25. It is possible that when Jesus said that the Father has testified, that He was referring to what event?
- 26. When the Father referred to Jesus as His Son, He was doing what?
- 27. The Jewish leaders weren't "in tune" with the Father and, therefore, they weren't interested in what?
- 28. What is the fifth witness that Jesus calls?

- 29. In John 5:39, Jesus may have been saying, "Search the Scriptures more and you will see that they..." what?
- 30. In John 5:39, Jesus may have been saying, "You study the Scriptures for the wrong reason and therefore you've..." what?
- 31. Many Jews studied the Scripture thinking that by doing so they would what?
- 32. Many Jews tried to use the Scripture to defend a theology they had what?
- 33. If a man approaches the Scripture with an honest mind and an open heart, then he will see that Jesus is God and he will do what?
- 34. The Jewish leaders were more interested in receiving what?
- 35. The Jewish leaders were religious but they didn't really do what?
- 36. The two proofs that the Jews really didn't love God were:a. They \_\_\_\_\_\_ Jesus, who was the Father's representative;b. They were willing to accept false \_\_\_\_\_\_
- 37. Every individual must come to grips with what question?
- 38. The Jews took pride in seeing themselves as unswerving followers of whom?
- 39. In chapter 9 the Jews are after Jesus again for doing what on the Sabbath?
- 40. Moses had told of the what?
- 41. Who did the Jews **NOT** really believe?
- 42. How did the Jews respond to Jesus' words?
- 43. In verse 17, Jesus claimed to be what?

- 44. What is your verdict?
- 45. Jesus is God or He is a what?
- 46. In what way does your life prove what you believe about Jesus?

Remember: Your responsibility, by God's enabling, is to consistently apply the divine principles and truths you have heard (Philippians 2:12-13; I Timothy 4:7-9; James 1:22-27). As you meditate on this message, ask yourself these questions:

- How does God want my beliefs/actions to change?
- How can I accomplish this change?
- What is the first step toward bringing about this change?

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## A DEFENSE OF THE DEITY OF JESUS-PART 2

John 5:31-47

The following are questions designed to facilitate greater learning and deeper understanding of spiritual truths presented in the sermon "A Defense of The Deity of Jesus-Part 2". All of the questions are answered as the sermon is presented. We hope that it will be a catalyst to spiritual growth in your life.

- 1. What doctrine is one of the most precious and most important truths of Scripture?
- 2. If a person denies the deity of Jesus, he cannot what?
- 3. In John 8:24 Jesus said, "If you do not believe that I am, you will..." what?
- 4. When Jesus claimed to be the great I am, He was claiming to be God in human flesh and fully what?
- 5. Is it really a big deal that people don't believe in the deity of Jesus as long as they believe in Jesus with all their hearts?
- 6. Does Jesus Himself ever truly defend His deity?
- 7. In John 5:1-9, Jesus healed a man who had been sick for how long?
- 8. The Jewish religious traditionalists were infuriated with Jesus so He defended His actions on the basis of His what?
- 9. To claim to be the Son of God, Jesus was claiming what?
- 10. The title "Son of God" is a title of what?
- 11. There are many people today who wrongly try to say that Jesus never claimed what?
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