"Who Do You Say That I Am" 9-26-2021

The jailer called for lights, rushed in and fell trembling before Paul and Silas. He then brought them out and asked, "Sirs, what must I do to be saved?"

Acts 16:29-30

13 Now when Jesus came into the district of Caesarea Philippi, he asked his disciples, "Who do people say that the Son of Man is?" 14 And they said, "Some say John the Baptist, others say Elijah, and others Jeremiah or one of the prophets." 15 He said to them, "But who do you say that I am?" 16 Simon Peter replied, "You are the Christ, the Son of the living God." Matthew 16:13-16

ARE ALL WORLD RELIGIONS BASICALLY THE SAME AND MOSTLY TRUE?

- JUST BECAUSE YOU'RE SINCERE DOESN'T MAKE WHAT YOU BELIEVE TRUE.
- 2) THERE IS <u>TRUTH</u> IN MANY WORLD RELIGIONS, BUT ALL WORLD RELIGIONS CAN'T BE TRUE.
- 3) DISCOVERING AND LIVING TRUTH MATTERS MORE THAN ANYTHING ELSE IN LIFE.

TAKE A CLOSE LOOK AT JESUS

15 He said to them, "But who do you say that I am?" Matthew 16:15

1) LOOK AT WHAT JESUS TAUGHT.

Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, bless those who curse you, pray for those who mistreat you. If someone strikes you on one cheek, turn to him the other also. If someone takes your cloak, do not stop him from taking your tunic.

Luke 6:27-29

2) LOOK AT THE MIRACLES JESUS PERFORMED.

"What's this wisdom that has been given him, that he even does <u>miracles!</u> Mark 6:2

3) LOOK AT THE RESURRECTION.

...God <u>raised (Jesus) from the dead</u>. We are witnesses of this. Acts 3:15

4) LOOK AT WHAT JESUS CLAIMED.

Jesus answered, "I am <u>the way</u> and <u>the truth</u> and <u>the life</u>. No one comes to the Father except through <u>me</u>."

John 14:6

WHAT ABOUT YOU?

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