

THE PERSON AND WORK OF CHRIST

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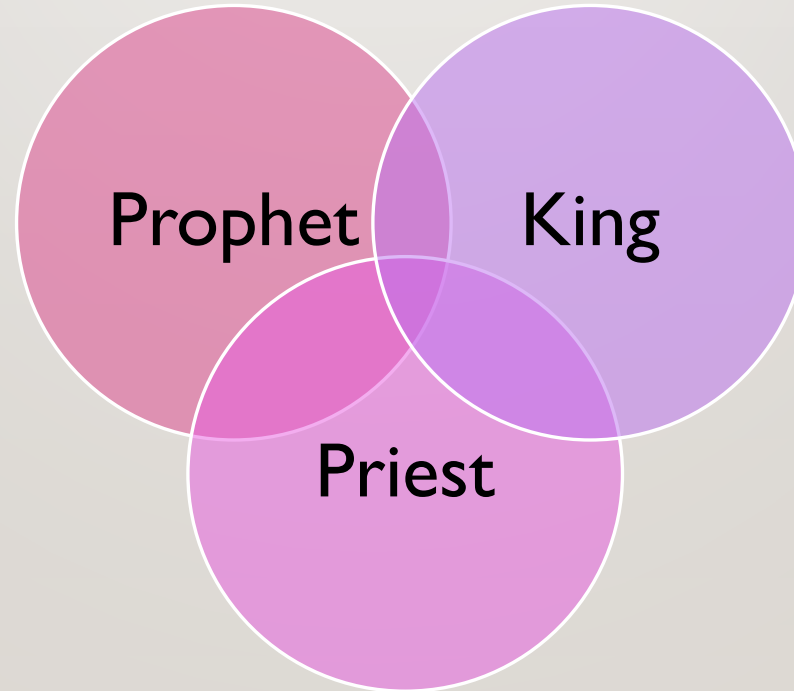
CHRIST'S EXALTATION

Week 11

REVIEW: MEDIATOR

1. One who “goes between”
2. One who administers God’s covenant
3. One who is God and man!

REVIEW: CHRIST'S OFFICES



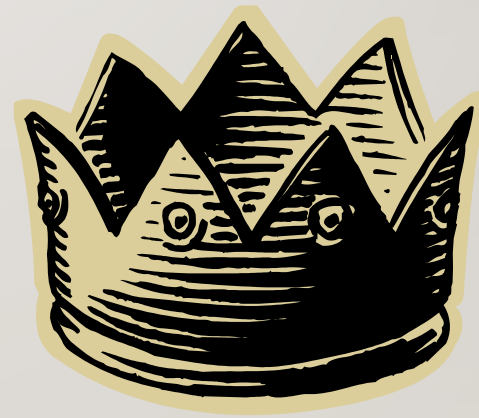
REVIEW: PROPHET

- The **message**— the will of God for our salvation and edification
- The **means**— His Word and Spirit



REVIEW: KING

- Subduing a people to Himself
- Ruling and defending His people
- Restraining and conquering His and our enemies



REVIEW: PRIEST

- His once offering up of Himself a sacrifice
- making continual intercession for us



REVIEW: CHRIST'S HUMILIATION

- His Birth
- His Life
- His Death
- There are three aspects to Christ's humiliation:

REVIEW: HUMILIATION KEY TEXT

- ⁶ who, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, ⁷ but made himself nothing, taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men. ⁸ And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. (Phil. 2:6–8)

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KEY TEXT

- ⁹ Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name, ¹⁰ so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, ¹¹ and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father. (Philippians 2:9-11)

HUMBLING TO BE EXALTED

HUMILIATION

- Remember the key text? Paul tells us that Jesus voluntarily humbled Himself
- Phil. 2:6-8

EXALTATION

- By humbling Himself, Jesus fulfilled the covenant. For this God the Father highly exalted Him
- Phil 2:9-10

WHY WAS JESUS EXALTED?



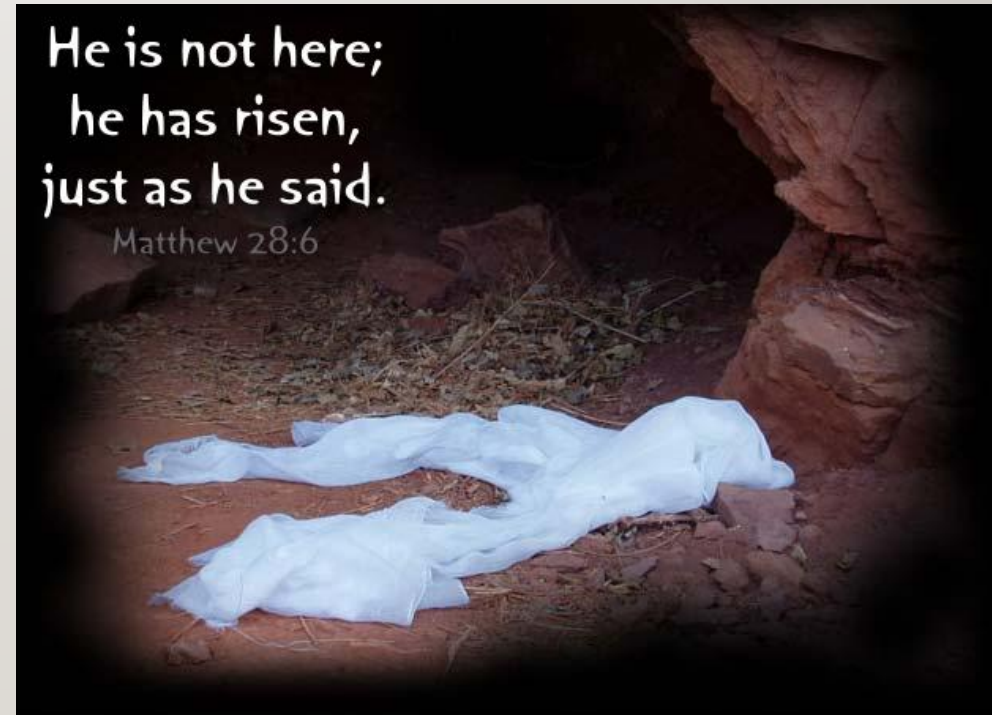
- Jesus was exalted because He:
 - Fulfilled the covenant
 - God wanted us to KNOW that it was FINISHED!
- ROMANS 1:1-4

WHAT IS EXALTATION?

- Rising again from the dead
- Ascension
- Seated at the Right Hand of the Father
- Coming Again to Judge the World

RISING AGAIN FROM THE DEAD

- Death could not hold Him or corrupt Him
- He rose from the dead by His own power
- He was declared to be the Son of God, Who defeated death and is Lord



ASCENSION



- Jesus' ascension shows His victory over our enemies
- He is preparing a place for His people!

SEATED AT THE RIGHT HAND

- Jesus is seated at God the Father's right hand
 - A place of power and authority
 - He is king – ruling
 - He is priest— interceding
 - He is prophet – keeping His Word

COMING AGAIN TO JUDGE WORLD

- Matthew 24:30
- Luke 9:26
- I Thess. 4:16
- Acts 17:31



WHAT DOES THIS TEACH US?

- To set our affections on things above (Col. 3:1-2)
- To be assured that our bodies will be raised (1 Cor. 15:20)



CHRIST'S ATONEMENT

NEXT WEEK