

**“God The Son Becoming a Man”**  
**Phil. 2:5-8**

Intro: Who is Jesus Christ?  
Matt. 16:13-17

“The incarnation is the central miracle of Christianity, the most grand and wonderful of all the things God has ever done”  
John MacArthur

“In the Christian story, God descends to re-ascend. He comes down, down from the heights of absolute being into time and space, down into humanity, down to the very roots and seed bed of humanity which He Himself created. But He goes down to come up again and bring ruined sinners up with Him”  
C.S. Lewis

Verses 5-8

Christ Jesus who:  
:Existed in the form of God.  
Luke 7:25; Phil. 3:20; John 1:1-2, 14  
John 14:9; Hebrews 1:3; Col. 1:15

: Did not regard equality with God a thing to be grasped  
John 5:18; 17:5; Matt. 26:53; 27:27-31

: But emptied Himself  
Matt. 20:28; Isaiah 42:1; 53:11; John 13:3-14

: Taking the form of a bondservant  
Matt. 20:28; Isaiah 42:1; 53:11; John 13:3-14

: He was made in the likeness of Men  
Heb. 2:14-18; 4:15; Col. 1:22; Romans 8:3

: Being found in appearance as a man, He humbled Himself becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on the cross.  
Matt. 26:36; John 10:18; 14:31  
Romans 5:19; 1 Peter 2:24; Gal. 3:13

Conclusion  
Phil. 2:9-11  
Titus 2:11-14