

**Paul did not say Jesus is 'Lord' -  
Paul said Jesus is 'Yahweh'**

**'Jesus is Lord'** is an often used phrase in the Christian world.

In Romans 10:9, The Apostle Paul told the Believers in Rome (*and us*) to confess **Jesus is 'Lord'** to be saved. The **'Old English'** word **'Lord'** however, is not the word that Paul used in this scripture.

The **'Old English'** word **'Lord'**, when it refers to The Almighty, is the translation of the Greek word **'kurios'**.

The **Greek** word **'kurios'**, is the translation of the **Hebrew** name **'Yahweh'**.

In truth, the Apostle Paul told the Romans that if they confessed **'Jesus is Yahweh'** and believed in their heart that God raised him from the dead they would be saved.

*If you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord (**Yahweh**)  
and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead,  
**you will be saved.**  
For it is by believing in your heart that you are made right with God,  
and it is by confessing with your mouth that you are saved.*

Romans 10:9-10

This should not be surprising as this agrees with all of Paul's teaching regarding **Yahshua Messiah**.

Scriptures clearly show the Apostle Paul taught **Yahshua Messiah** was **Yahweh come manifested in flesh**.

## **The Apostle Paul taught Yahshua Messiah was Yahweh manifested in flesh**

Most believers know **The Almighty Father** is the *preeminent* figure in the Old Testament. However, many believers do not recognize that the **The Almighty Father** *is the preeminent* figure in the **New Testament as well** (think of Philip not recognizing who Yahshua *actually* was in John 14:8-9). In the Old Testament, **The Almighty Father** is an **invisible** spirit. In the New Testament, **The Almighty Father is a visible man made of flesh.**

Paul knew that Yahshua Messiah, was **Yahweh** manifested in flesh. The Apostle Paul tells us that the **invisible** Father of the Old Testament **was manifested (made visible) in flesh.**

***“God was manifested in the flesh”*** 1 Timothy 3:16

We see that Paul **did not write** God’s son was manifested in flesh.

Paul **knew** **Yahshua Messiah WAS The Almighty Father** manifested **in flesh** because we see that he **interchanges** the names **Yahweh** and **Yahshua** in the following scriptures. Paul uses Old Testament scriptures which speak of **Yahweh**, and **applies those scriptures directly to Yahshua Messiah.**

Romans 10:13 referencing Joel 2:32  
1 Corinthians 1:31 referencing Jeremiah 9:24  
1 Corinthians 2:16 referencing Isaiah 40:13  
1 Corinthians 10:26 referencing Psalm 24:1  
2 Corinthians 10:17 referencing Jeremiah 9:24

It is **imperative** we **know** that **PRIOR** to Paul writing these scriptures (in which he **interchanges** the name **Yahweh** with **Yahshua**), he had been ***“caught up to the third heaven” where he received “surpassingly great revelations”***. (2 Corinthians 12:2-7)

This is **why** in Titus 2:13, the Apostle Paul calls Yahshua Messiah...

***“our great God and Savior”***

## Isaiah's Prophecy – The Almighty Father will be born as a 'Son' (**human**) made of flesh

The Apostle Paul told us, “**God was manifested in the flesh**” and this is **exactly** what the prophet Isaiah **foretold** would happen.

Isaiah told us **The Almighty Father Himself** was going to come to us **born in flesh** as our Messiah!

*For unto us **a Child is born**, Unto us a **Son** is given;  
And the government will be upon His shoulder.  
And His name will be called Wonderful, Counselor,  
**Mighty God, Everlasting Father**, Prince of Peace. Isaiah 9:6*

Isaiah told us our “**Mighty God**” and “**Everlasting Father**” would come to us as a “**Son**” because He was going to be “**born**” **of a woman** and would be **a man made of flesh**. **He would be human!**

We see Isaiah's prophecy fulfilled in Matthew 1:23,

*“Behold, the virgin shall be with child, and bear a **Son**,  
and they shall call His name Immanuel,”  
which is translated, “**God with us**.”*

Isaiah 9:6

*unto us a **child** is **born**... Unto us a **Son** is given...  
**His name... Mighty God, Everlasting Father***

Matthew 1:23

*the virgin shall be with **child**, and bear a **Son**...  
**His name... God with us***

These **exclusive** titles of **The Almighty Father** in the Old Testament are bestowed on **Yahshua** in the **New Testament!**

### **“Savior”**

Isaiah 43:3, 11, 45:17, 21; are applied **directly to Yahshua** in Matthew 1:21; Acts 4:12; 2 Timothy 1:10; Titus 1:4, 2:13, 3:6; 2 Peter 1:1, 11

### **“First and Last”**

Isaiah 41:4, 44:6, 48:12; are applied **directly to Yahshua** in Revelation 1:17, 18, 2:8, 22:13

### **"Lord of Lords"**

Deuteronomy 10:17, Psalm 136:3, 26; are applied **directly to Yahshua** in Revelation 17:14, 19:16

The Apostle John referred to Yahshua as the **“the first and the last”** (Revelation 1:17; 2:8; 22:13); **“the true light”** (John 1:9); the **“bridegroom”** (Revelation 21:2); **“Savior of the world”** (John 4:42; cf. Isaiah 43:3-11). He also attributed to Yahshua the role of **“Redeemer”** in Revelation 5:9.

The Apostle Peter called Yahshua the **“rock”** and **“stone”** (1 Peter 2:6-8; Psalm 18:2; 95:1); and **“the Chief Shepherd”** (1 Peter 5:4). The Apostle Paul referred to Yahshua as the **“rock”** (1 Corinthians 10:4) and the **“bridegroom”** (Ephesians 5:22-33).

The Old Testament role of '**Redeemer**' (Hosea 13:14; Psalm 130:7) is **given to Yahshua** by Paul in Titus 2:13-14.

**All** of these titles are exclusive to **The Almighty Father** in the Old Testament but are **given to Yahshua** in the New Testament!

The disciples were steeped in the Old Testament and would have only given these exclusive titles of The Almighty Father to Yahshua Messiah with the greatest of care. If they were not **certain** that Yahshua was **The Almighty Father manifested in flesh**, they would have **NEVER** bestowed the exclusive titles of The Almighty Father to **Him**.

Here are more Old Testament scriptures which are speaking of **Yahweh and applied directly to Yahshua Messiah**.

Hebrew 1:6 quotes Deuteronomy 32:43

Hebrew 1:8, 9 quotes Psalm 45:6, 7

Hebrew 1:10-12 quotes Psalm 102:25-27

Philippians 2:10, 11 quotes Isaiah 45:23

Matthew 3:3 quotes Isaiah 40:3

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## The Almighty Father is the 'I AM' - King, Shepherd and Savior

In the Old Testament, **The Almighty Father** proclaims that **He** is **'I AM'** (Exodus 3:14). In the New Testament, **Yahshua Messiah** proclaims that **He** is **'I AM'** (John 8:58).

Are there **two** 'I AM's?

**No.** **The Almighty Father** is the **only** 'I AM'.

The Apostle Paul gives us understanding.

Paul tells us in 1 Corinthians 8:6, ***"for us there is one God, the Father."***

Paul tells us in Ephesians 4:6 there is ***"one God and Father of all."***

Paul then tells us our ***"one God, the Father"***, manifested Himself in flesh.

***"God was manifested in the flesh"*** 1 Timothy 3:16

(Paul **does not say**, Gods 'son' was manifested in the flesh.)

**In Acts 20:28, The Apostle Paul tells  
the church elders in Ephesus...**

*"Therefore take heed to yourselves and to all the flock,  
among which the Holy Spirit has made you overseers,  
to shepherd the church of **God**  
which **He** purchased with **His own blood**."*

**Acts 20:28**

## The Almighty Father appears to Moses

When The Almighty Father appeared to Moses in the burning bush, Moses asked His name.

The Almighty Father gave Moses this reply:

*"I am who I am. This is what you are to say to the Israelites:  
'I AM' has sent me to you.' Exodus 3:14*

Ever since this name was spoken by **The Almighty Father**, the Israelites considered the name **"I AM"** to be sacred.

This name was not to be used in vain or bestowed on anyone other than **The Almighty Father Himself**.

The Gospel of John tells us that one day the Pharisees came to question Yahshua.

Yahshua responded to their questions saying,

*"I tell you the truth, before Abraham was born, I AM!"*  
John 8:58

Here, Yahshua calls Himself the ancient and sacred name of The Almighty Father, **'I AM'**.

Yahshua proclaimed to them *(and us)* that **He** was **'I AM', The Almighty Father** of Exodus 3:14 that they purported to worship.

The Pharisees became enraged when Yahshua made this **proclamation** that **He** was **'I AM'** and they picked up stones to kill Him for blasphemy.

Sadly, there are many people today, who just like the Pharisees, reject our Savior's own words proclaiming **His identity** as being **'I AM', The Almighty Father come manifested in flesh**.

## Many believers have these sincere and important questions

*If Yahshua was '**I AM**', The Almighty Father manifested in flesh, why did He pray to The Almighty Father in Heaven?*

*If Yahshua was '**I AM**', The Almighty Father manifested in flesh, why did He call The Almighty Father in Heaven, His Father?*

The starting point in answering both of these questions is to first understand that Yahshua Messiah was born a human being made in every respect like us. (Hebrews 2:17)

The Almighty Father knew from Adam's fall that **He** was going to have to be our Savior! He also knew that to do this, He was going to have to do it as a **genuine man born of flesh!** (Genesis 3:15).

The Almighty Father knew that as an **invisible spirit** He would not be able to accomplish the things needed to be our Savior.

As an **invisible spirit** He could not fulfill the demands of 'The Law' which would qualify Him to be our perfect sacrifice.

As an **invisible spirit** He could not **shed His blood** for us to be our sacrifice and pay the price for **our** sins.

**The Bible tells us The Almighty Father would give up His divine privileges when He came to earth as the '**Son**' born in flesh**

*Instead, **He gave up his divine privileges;**  
He took the humble position of a slave  
**and was born as a human being.***

Philippians 2:7



The Bible tells us that Yahshua Messiah, a man made of flesh, ***gave up His divine privileges and set aside His privileges of deity.***

When The Almighty Father came to earth, He came ***as a man just like us, He gave up His privileges of deity.***

The scriptures show that Yahshua Messiah hungered just like us, He thirsted just like us, He became weary just like us ... and ***yes,*** He prayed to The Almighty Father in Heaven... *just like us.*

### **If Yahshua was The Almighty Father manifested in flesh... ***Why did He pray?*****

The ***key*** to understanding why Yahshua Messiah (***The Father manifested in flesh***) prayed, can be found in these three scriptures: Matthew 3:15; Hebrews 2:17 and Psalm 65:2.

Matthew 3:13-15

Then Jesus came from Galilee to John at the Jordan to be baptized by him. And John tried to ***prevent*** Him, saying, "I need to be baptized by ***You, and are You coming to me?***"

But Jesus answered and said to him, "Permit it to be so ***now***, for thus it is fitting for us ***to fulfill all righteousness.***"

Hebrews 2:17

***"Therefore He (Yahshua Messiah) had to be made like His brothers in every respect."***

## Questions:

**Why** would The Almighty Father manifested in flesh **need** to be baptized?

**Why** would The Almighty Father manifested in flesh **need** to pray?

## The Answer:

Yahshua Messiah prayed **for the same reason** that He was baptized... to **fulfill all righteousness as a man made of flesh**.

The Almighty Father came into the world **as a man made of flesh** to fulfill every 'jot and tittle' of the Law on **our** behalf... **as our kinsmen-redeemer**. If **The Almighty Father** failed to 'fulfill all righteousness' **as a man made of flesh**, His entire mission to save us would **fail**!

Yahshua Massiah (**God manifested in flesh**), had to 'fulfill all righteousness' **as a man made of flesh**, just like us! He had to **literally** be our '**kinsman redeemer**' to be our **Savior**!

We read in Psalm 65:2

“O You who hear prayer,  
To You **all** flesh will come.”

Notice, scripture does not say that **some** flesh will come, or **most** flesh will come, but it declares, “To You **All** flesh will come.”

“O You who hear prayer,  
To You **all** flesh will come.”

The answer to why Yahshua prayed is quite simple. Yahshua was made **“like his brothers in every respect”**. Yahshua was **genuinely human**; **He was born of flesh**. (Romans 9:5; Isaiah 9:6).

Being born of flesh, and in order to **fulfill all righteousness**, Yahshua Messiah **Himself** prayed as scripture states **all** flesh will do.

**Yahshua said,**  
***“the true worshipers will worship the Father”***  
**Yahshua welcomes and accepts people’s worship**

*“But the hour is coming, and now is, ***when the true worshipers*** will worship ***the Father*** in spirit and truth”*

John 4:23

According to Yahshua, ***“the true worshipers”*** will worship ***the Father***.

And the Scriptures show that people ***worshiped Yahshua***.

From the very beginning of Yahshua’s life, ***He*** was worshiped.

Now after Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea in the days of Herod the king, behold, wise men from the East came to Jerusalem, saying, “Where is He who has been born King of the Jews? For we have seen His star in the East ***and have come to worship Him***”.

And when they had come into the house, they saw the young Child with Mary His mother, and fell down and ***worshiped Him***.

Matthew 2:2, 11



Yahshua was worshiped as a baby.

Yahshua was worshiped by His disciples.

Yahshua was worshiped by everyday people.

Yahshua was worshiped by demon possessed people.

Yahshua was worshiped after His resurrection.

Yahshua was worshiped and He welcomed people's worship.

The Scriptures not only show that **Yahshua was worshiped**, they show that He **welcomed** and **accepted** worship.

In **every** instance, Yahshua **welcomed** and **accepted** people's worship.

Two memorable examples of Yahshua **accepting worship** occurred just after His resurrection when "Mary Magdalene and the other Mary came to see the tomb."

*So they departed quickly from the tomb with fear and great joy,  
and ran to bring His disciples word. And as they went to tell  
His disciples, behold, Jesus met them, saying, "Rejoice!"*

***So they came and held Him by the feet and worshiped Him.***

Matthew 28:8-9

**Question:** Yahshua **clearly** said,

***"the true worshipers will worship the Father  
in spirit and truth"***

**Why** then, did Yahshua **allow... and accept** people worshiping **Him**?

**The Answer:**

Yahshua **allowed** and **accepted** people's worship **because He WAS**  
**The Almighty Father manifested in flesh.**

## The Dual Nature of Yahshua Messiah

From the Bible we see that Yahshua the Messiah had two distinct natures. One nature was human, made of flesh; the other nature was divine. Yahshua was both fully **man** and fully the **Everlasting Father** (Isaiah 9:6). Believer's can use the name **Yahshua** to describe either one of His two natures, or both. For example, when we say Yahshua died on the cross, we mean His **flesh** died on the cross. When we say Yahshua lives in our hearts, we mean **His Spirit** lives in our hearts.

### As a man

1. Was born a baby (Luke 2:7)  
Grew mentally, physically,  
and in wisdom. (Luke 2:52)
2. Was tempted by the devil  
(Luke 4:2)
3. Hungered (Matthew 4:2)
4. Thirsted (John 19:28)
5. Grew weary (John 4:6)
6. Slept in the storm  
(Mark 4:38)

### As The Almighty Father

The Almighty Father manifested  
manifested in flesh.  
(1 Timothy 3:16; Isaiah 9:6)

Cast out devils  
(Matthew 12:28)

Was the Bread of Life  
(John 6:35) and miraculously  
fed others (Mark 6:38-44)

Gave Living water  
(John 4:14)

Gave rest  
(Matthew 11:28)

Calmed the storm  
(Mark 4:39-41)

## As a man

7. Prayed (Luke 22:41)
8. Was scourged and beaten  
(John 19:1-3)
9. Died as a man (Mark 15:37)
10. Was sacrifice for sin  
(Hebrews 10:10-12)
11. Was a servant  
(Philippians 2:7-8)

## As The Almighty Father

- Answered prayer  
(John 14:14)
- Healed the sick  
(Matthew 8:16-17; 1 Peter 2:24)
- Raised His own body from the  
dead (John 2:19-21; 20:9)
- Forgave sin  
(Mark 2:5-7)
- Was the King of Kings  
(Revelation 19:16)

Now, when we read about Yahshua Messiah, we can understand **(and discern)** His dual nature **as a man made of flesh**, and as our **“Everlasting Father”**. (Isaiah 9:6)



“I am thirsty”  
John 19:28



Yahshua gives living water  
John 4:14

Philip said,  
“**Lord, show us the Father.**  
**That is all we need.”**

**Philip said, “Lord, show us the Father. That is all we need.”**

Yahshua answered Philip saying,

*Philip, I have been with you for a long time.*  
**Don't you know who I am?**  
***If you have seen me, you have seen the Father.***  
**How can you ask me to show you the Father?**

John 14:8-9

Believer, if **you** asked Yahshua to show you the Father, what do you think He would say to you? Would He answer **you** as He answered Philip?

***“I have been with you for a long time. Don't you know who I am?”***

**The Almighty Father** manifested **Himself** in flesh as a man, to do **for us** what we could **NEVER** do for ourselves. **He fulfilled the demands of the Law as a perfect man of flesh**, so that **He** could be ***our perfect sacrifice, ‘kinsman redeemer’ and Savior!***

On the cross **He** took **ALL** of our sins (***past, present and future***) and put them upon **Himself**, paying **our** price and thereby making us ***“holy, blameless”*** and ***“without a single fault”*** in His eyes. (Colossians 1:22)

This is the gospel! **This is the Good News!**

## Salvation is a **gift** for **you**

Salvation is a **gift** we receive when we call upon Yahshua Messiah,  
***The Almighty Father manifested in flesh.***

The **gift** of salvation cannot be earned by our deeds, works or fruitless self-righteous attempts at 'keeping the Law'. We cannot obtain it by being a "good person" or by attending church.

We can only receive our salvation as a **gift** from Yahshua Messiah **to us**.

**Everyone** who calls upon the name of Yahshua **will be saved**, so call upon Him **now**. Tomorrow is not assured.

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