JESUS BECAME FLESH AND DWELT AMONG US

Virgin birth: Jesus was born without the inclination to sin. <u>His Father is God.</u> Matthew 1:25

We are born having the inclination to sin.

Able not to sin: Jesus did not corrupt His human nature. Jesus never sinned.

We sin and corrupt our nature.

Our physical death is possible any time after conception.

No sin in Jesus: Satan had no claim on Jesus. Satan had no power over Jesus. John 14:30 Jesus came to die for the purpose of taking away sin. John 1:29

Every human sin is a sin against God. Psalm 51:4

David told us in the Psalms "the atrociousness of my sin is that it is against God."

At the Cross, all the sins of humanity were laid on Jesus. Isaiah 53:6b There was no sin in Jesus.

Jesus bore our sin means that Jesus takes our sin away. 1 Peter 2:24

Jesus allowed our sins to kill His physical body. Jesus allowed His physical body to die.

Sin killed Jesus' physical body. But sin broke the law of sin and death. Only a sinful man should die.

The result of His sinless death is that sin is condemned to extermination. Romans 8:3

God sent Jesus to take on human flesh, be a sacrifice for sin's removal, and condemn sin to extinction.

Jesus arose with all power and authority to take away sin and make believers in Him new creations.

Jesus died a physical death so that believers in Him would not die a spiritual death.

There was no sin in Jesus. His physical death was like no other human death. God orchestrated Jesus' physical death so that sin is condemned and all creation will be freed from the bondage of sin and death. Jesus is humanity's God-given Second Adam who delivers all creation from sin and death.

Jesus' physical body never experienced corruption because there was no sin in Jesus. Jesus' soul and spirit never died. Jesus had the power to take His life up again. John 10:18

Jesus' death was a miraculous death and His resurrection was a miraculous resurrection. He lives forever in His resurrection body with the nail prints in His hands.

The believer's body returns to dust. The believer's spirit never dies but is renewed in sinlessness and unites with a new body made in heaven. 2 Corinthians 5:1-10

THE GOSPEL IN ITS SIMPLICITY

Jesus loves you and is willing and able to take you out from under your brokenness to sin. If you cooperate with the Holy Spirit and let Him bring you to saving faith in Jesus, then you can truly find life worth living. Jesus died on the cross to condemn sin and sentence sin to extinction, and He rose from the dead to give you new life in Him filled with love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control.

Jesus let sin nail Him to the cross and kill His physical body. Since Jesus was sinless and innocent, sin is condemned to removal from all creation.

Jesus arose with all power and authority to make you into a new creation with a new birth. Born into the family of God, you learn to follow Jesus and experience His help, comfort, and compassion for other people.

Your destiny will be a new body with a renewed soul and spirit in the presence of God Himself for all eternity.