

The Gospels
What the Bible is All About Series
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- Theme: The Gospel is the proclaimed GOOD NEWS of Jesus' life, death and resurrection, offering salvation and reconciliation with God to All who BELIEVE.
- John 3:16-18
- Four Gospels
 - ✓ Four focused but DIFFERENT accounts of the Good News.
 - ✓ Four unique pictures of Jesus giving us the combined PORTRAIT God wanted us to have.
 - ✓ Four accounts AUTHENTICATE the most important story ever told.
- Practical
 1. In Matthew, we see Jesus as the KING
 - Author - Matthew, the Tax Collector
 - Audience - The Jewish people
 - Purpose - To present to the Jews that Christ was MESSIAH
 - Message - To restore Heaven's RULE on Earth - Matthew 24:1-3 NLT
 2. In Mark, we see Jesus as the SERVANT
 - Author - Mark, a first-generation Christian
 - Audience - The Romans
 - Purpose - To show Jesus as one WHO IS ABLE
 - Message - Servant/leadership - Mark 10:45

3. In Luke, we see Jesus as the Son of MAN

- Author - Luke, a doctor
- Audience - The Greeks
- Purpose - To show the HUMANITY of Jesus
- Message - Jesus came to restore BROKEN humanity
- Luke 24:25-27, 36-43

4. In John, we see Jesus as the Son of GOD

- Author - John, "the beloved"
- Audience - To all who believe
- Purpose - To show the DEITY of Jesus
- Message - Believing brings SALVATION - John 20:31