

Reasons to Believe

Text: John 10:30-42

Main Idea: It is reasonable to believe that Jesus is God because of His words, His works, His power & the testimony of John the Baptist!

1. **Believe because His unambiguous _____ prove Jesus was God.** (v. 30, 34-36, 38, Jn 1:1-5)

- Jesus claimed to be the “_____.” (Ex 3:14, 6:35, 8:12, 10:7, 10:11, 11:25, 14:6, 15:1)
- Jesus claimed to exist “_____ Abraham.” (8:58)
- Jesus is one in _____ with God the Father. (v. 30, 38, 5:18)
- Jesus claimed to be consecrated & sent by God the Father as the _____ of God, unlike mere men who were called “gods.” (v. 34-36, Ps 82)

2. **Believe because His powerful _____ prove Jesus was God.** (v. 25, 32, 37-38)

- The works accomplished by Jesus were the works & will of the _____. (Jn 4:34, 5:19-20, 36, 14:9-11)
- The works were _____ proving that He was God: Water into wine (2:11), healed an official’s son with a word (4:50), healed the paralyzed man (5:9), fed 5000 (6:1-15), walked on water (6:19), healed a man born blind (9:7).

3. **Believe because His sovereign _____ proves Jesus was God.** (v. 39)

- Jesus is not some _____ but powerfully in control of His own life. (10:18)
- Jesus was in control of the divine _____ of His crucifixion. (v. 39, 5:13, 7:30, 32, 44-46, 8:20, 59, 12:36)

4. **Believe because of the powerful _____ of John the Baptist proves Jesus was God.** (v. 40-42, 1:6-34, 5:33)