

25 TRAINING OBJECTIVES FOR DISCIPLESHIP

5. God the Son

- *Truth to Teach:* Jesus is fully God and fully man. When He came to the earth, He was God in the flesh.

- *Scriptures:*

John 1:1-14 > Who is the Word? How do we know who the Word is? What is the Word's relationship to God?

What was the Word's role in creation?

Whose glory does the Word reveal?

John 8:58 > Before whom did Jesus claim He had existed? What is the significance of that Claim?

What is the significance of Jesus using the Phrase "I AM"?

John 10:30 > With whom did Jesus claim to be one? What does this claim imply?

John 20:28 > What prompted Thomas to make this proclamation? Would we make the same?

Philippians 2:5-11 > How was Christ fully God and fully man at the same time?

How did becoming a man enable Christ to relate to us more effectively?

What confession will be made by all tongues?

- *Application:* Jesus was not just another good religious teacher. Jesus was God in the flesh. This is the only way He could pay the price for our sins.
- *Activities:* We will talk further about Jesus' divinity and humanity and how this makes our Christian life possible. For example, because of His humanity, He knows how we feel and he is familiar with the struggles we experience. Because of His divinity, we know that He had the power to give us victory over our sins.
- *Practice*
Based on the Philippians 2 passage above, think of 2-3 things you can do this week that demonstrates the attitude Christ had toward us.