

**“HERE COMES THE
SON”**

**JESUS:
LIGHT OF THE WORLD**

Happy Birthday Jesus!

One time \$ gift;
Increase offering %
Read E100
Attend Sunday School
Attend Wed Night
Join a Commission
Join a Ministry

Pray 15 minutes/day
Seek Forgiveness/Forgive
Abandon a Sin
Make a Change
Put off/Put on
Read Bible to Kids
Pray with Family

Christmas Light

John's Gospel = **Jesus is God!**

“These have been written
so that you may believe
Jesus is the Christ, the
Son of God, and have life
in His Name.” (20:31)

John's Gospel

2. Dualistic Comparisons

“above/below; love/hate; life/death”

“**LIGHT**/darkness”

3. Seven Emphatic “I AM” Statements

“Bread of Life; Door; Good Shepherd;
Resurrection/Life; Way Truth Life; True Vine”

LIGHT

John 8:12

"I AM the LIGHT of the world;

He who follows Me will not
walk in darkness, but will have the
LIGHT of Life."

LIGHT of the World

Significance:

1. Feast of Booths/Tabernacles
 2. Grape/Olive Harvest/ 7 Days
 3. Most Popular (Passover/Pentecost)
 4. The Lighting Ceremony at Temple
- A great celebration!

Jesus is the Light!

John 8:12 Spiritual Analogy of LIGHT

1. Man is 2 parts: body/soul
LIGHT to see 2 ways!

“follow Me” = TOTAL
Commitment!

Habakkuk 3:3-4

“His splendor covers the heavens...

His radiance is like
the sunlight...

He has rays flashing from
His hand...”

Hebrews 1:3

“Jesus is the radiance of
God’s glory and the
exact representation of
God’s Being.”

“The Shining; Sending Light Out”

Here Comes the SON!

“No longer will you have the sun for light by day; nor the brightness of the moon, but you will have the LORD for an everlasting Light, and your God for your glory, and the days of your mourning will be over.”

Isaiah 60:19-20

Here Comes the SON!

“The New Jerusalem will not need the sun or moon to shine on it, for the Glory of God will illumine it and its lamp is the Lamb; the nations will walk by its Light; there will be no night and its gates will never be closed.”

Revelation 21:23-27

Here Comes the SON!

“In the Eternal Kingdom, there will no longer be any night, and no one will need the light of a lamp or the light of the sun because the Lord God will illuminate them, and His servants will reign forever and ever.”

Revelation 22:5

Jesus Pre-Exists

John 1:1 "was with God"

Colossians 1:15-17

John 8:58

Jesus Coexists

John 1:14 “became/begotten/flesh”

Zechariah 2:10

“Sing for joy and be glad O Daughter of Zion, for behold I am coming and will dwell in your midst declares the LORD.”

Jesus Self-Exists

John 1:1

“in Him was life”

John 10:18

“I have authority to lay down my life and authority to raise it up again, no one takes My life from Me.”

Send the LIGHT!

Another theme of John is
"witness" and "sending."

Relationship between Sender/Sent
and Get Involved!