

A sunset over a rocky coastline. The sun is low on the horizon, casting a golden glow over the water and rocks. In the center of the word 'JESUS', the letter 'S' is replaced by a silhouette of Jesus Christ with his arms outstretched. The word 'JESUS' is written in large, white, sans-serif capital letters. The background is a warm, golden-yellow sky. The water is dark, and the rocks in the foreground are dark and jagged. Two small figures are visible on a cliff in the distance.

# JESUS

ARE OUR LIVES MODELED AFTER HIM?

**John 8:1 - 11**

# JESUS

1. Jesus taught like none before ... or after.

- John 8:1-2 (Early in the morning...all)
- Luke 19:47-48 And he was **teaching daily in the temple**. The chief priests and the scribes and the principal men of the people were seeking to destroy him, <sup>48</sup> but they did not find anything they could do, **for all the people were hanging on his words.**

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- **Luk 8:18** Take care then how you hear, for to the one who has, more will be given, and from the one who has not, even what he thinks that he has will be taken away."

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2. Jesus defined “without sin” as a “God-only” attribute.

- John 8:7-9 And as they continued to ask him, he stood up and said to them, "Let him who is without sin among you be the first to throw a stone at her." ...

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3. Jesus is our savior not our judge.

- John 3:17 For **God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world**, but in order that the world might be saved through him.
- 1 John 3:5 You **know that he appeared in order to take away sins**, ... The reason the Son of God appeared was to **destroy the works of the devil**.

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4. Greatest barrier to knowing Jesus is an absence of need.

- John 8:9 But when they heard it, **they went away one by one**, beginning with **the older ones**, ...
- Mat 9:12 But when he heard it, he said, **"Those who are well have no need of a physician, but those who are sick."**

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## 5. Was Jesus “light” on sin?

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Jesus' death on the cross takes the "stones" out of the hands of the Accuser.

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