

Gospel of John

(12) John's Names of Jesus

John 1:1-29 ESV

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...14 And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we have seen his glory, glory as of the **only Son from the Father**, full of grace and truth.

...1:18 No one has ever seen God; **the only God, who is at the Father's side**, he has made him known.

...29 The next day he saw Jesus coming toward him, and said, "Behold, **the Lamb of God**, who takes away the sin of the world! *ESV (emphasis added)*

Names of Jesus Only from John...1:1-51

How many Names of Jesus are found in John 1? Comment? **Jn.20:30-31**

The Word, God, The Light, True Light, Only Begotten Son, Only Begotten God, Jesus Christ, Jesus, The Lord, Lamb of God, Son of God, Rabbi, Messiah, Christ, Jesus of Nazareth, son of Joseph, King of Israel, Son of Man.

What is the *most used* name in NT? *Least? Favorite* used by Jesus? **(Dan.7:13, 8:17, (107))**

What are the (6) 'John only' names found in **1:1**? **1:1-18, 29**

How do these (6) names primarily describe *who* Jesus is? see **Mt.16:13-17**

What's *implied* in **Gen.1:1, 24a** and *amplified* in **Jn.1:1, 14**? **Phil.2:6-8**

What's the difference between '**the Word**', **1:1**, and '**the voice**', **1:23**? **1:18; 10:30; 1Jn.1:1-4**

The progressive revelation of names...1:1-51

How are the first few names of Jesus all 'summarized'? **1:18; 14:9; Col.1:15-20**

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There are 18! His intention is to convince all that Jesus is the Christ; Names are part!

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Most = Jesus (844); Least = Only Begotten God (1); Favorite = Son of Man (88)

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The Word, The Light, The True Light, The Only Begotten Son/God, Lamb of God.

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These are descriptions of the Deity of Jesus. The Word, Light, Only Son/God/Lamb.

What's implied in **Gen.1:1, 24a** and amplified in **Jn.1:1, 14? Phil.2:6-8**

'let us...' implies more than 1. 'the Word was with God'/'became flesh' shows Jesus/man.

What's the difference between '**the Word**', 1:1, and '**the voice**', 1:23? **1:18; 10:30; Jn.1:1-4**

Voice=phone, noise/sound. Logos=the divine expression. The visible expression of God!

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Word, Light, Only begotten Son/Father are invisible attributes of Father, visible in Him.

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The names begin with the Deity of Christ and move toward the humanity. For us!