



Christ Jesus,....

Who, being in very nature God, did not consider equality with God something to be used to his own advantage;

rather, he made himself nothing by taking the very nature of a servant, being made in human likeness.

And being found in appearance as a man, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to death even death on a cross!

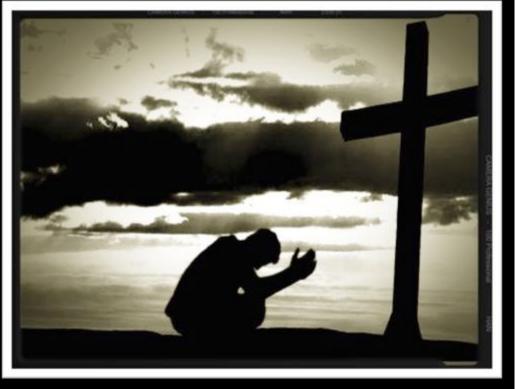
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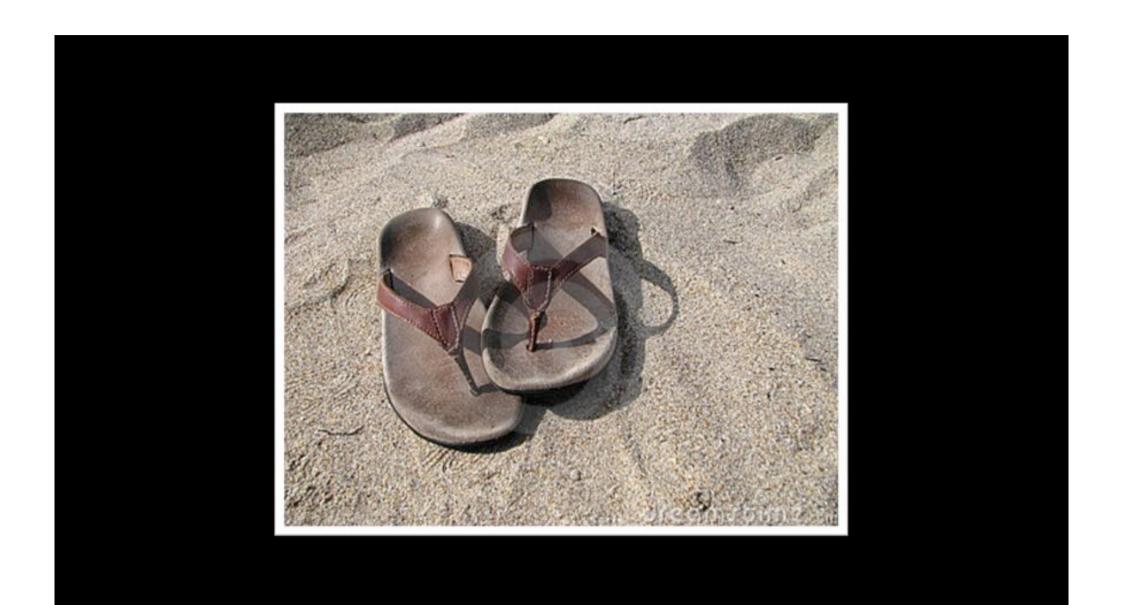
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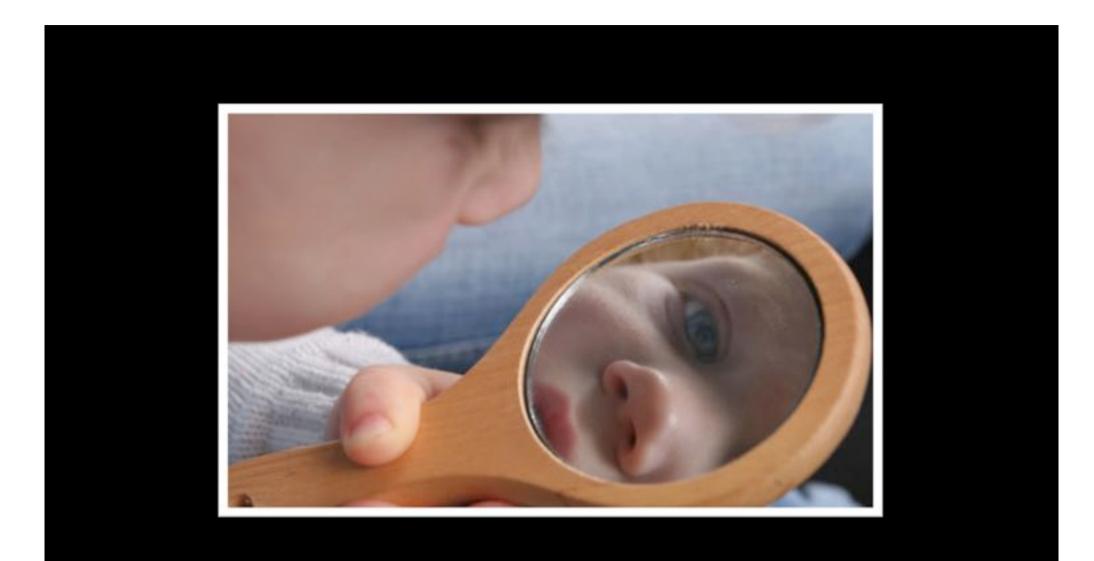


This is how God showed his love among us: he sent his one and only Son into the world that we might live through him. This is love: not that we loved God, but that he loved us and sent his Son

as an atoning sacrifice for our sins 1 John 4:9-10







Surely he took up our pain and bore our suffering,

But he was pierced for our transgressions, he was crushed for our iniquities;

the punishment that brought us peace was on him and by his stripes we are healed.

and the Lord has laid on him the iniquity of us all.

He was oppressed and afflicted, Isaiah 53







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Therefore God exalted him to the highest place and gave him the name that is above every name,

that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth,

and every tongue acknowledge that Jesus Christ is Lord to the glory of God the Father.

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Therefore, **if anyone is in Christ**, the new person has come: the old has gone, the new **is** here! 2Cor 5

> Yet to all who did receive him, to those who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of God John 1:12