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## Discipleship Discussion Series—Bible—Jesus—Beginning, Middle and End (4) All Needs Met © 2022

Jesus is Central to God's Story and the Bible.

#	В	С	V	V	Headlines and Text (NASB)	Notes
1	John	1	1	3	Jesus in the Beginning of God's Story	
					1 In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.	
					2 He was in the beginning with God.	
					3 All things came into being through Him; and apart from Him nothing came into being that has come into being.	
					(Verse 14 that tells us that this Word is Jesus.)	
2	John	1	14		14 And the Word became flesh, and dwelt among us, and we beheld His glory, glory as of the only begotten from the Father, full of grace and truth.	
3	Genesis	1	2:25		(Genesis 1 and 2, the full chapters, tell us what happened in the beginning, during the Creation of everything, when Jesus was the Word with God Our Father, when everything was made through Jesus.)	
4	Luke	24	27		Jesus in the Middle of God's Story	
					27 And beginning with Moses and with all the prophets, He (Jesus) explained to them the things concerning Himself in all the Scriptures.	
					(Of note—there are over 300 prophecies about Jesus in the Old Testament that are fulfilled in the New Testament. (See DDS—Jesus—Prophecies)	
5	Luke	24	44	45	44 Now He (Jesus) said to them, "These are My words which I spoke to you while I was still with you, that all things which are written about Me in the Law	

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					of Moses and the Prophets and the Psalms must be fulfilled."	
					45 Then He (Jesus) opened their minds to understand the Scriptures,	
6	John	5	39		39 (Jesus said) "You search the Scriptures, because you think that in them you have eternal life; and it is these that bear witness of Me;"	
7	John	10	10b		(Jesus speaking:) 10b "I came that they might have life, and might have it abundantly"	
8	1 John	2	2		(John writing:) 2 "and He Himself is the propitiation for our sins; and not for ours only, but also for those of the whole world.	
9	Matthew	24	26	27	Jesus will complete God's Story	
					(Jesus speaking:) 26 "If therefore they say to you, 'Behold, He is in the wilderness,' do not go forth, or, 'Behold, He is in the inner rooms,' do not believe them.	
					27 "For just as the lightening comes from the east, and flashes even to the west, so shall the coming of the Son of Man be"	
10	Matthew	24	30	31	(Jesus speaking:) 30 "and then the sign of the Son of Man will appear in the sky, and then all the tribes of the earth will mourn, and they will see the Son of Man coming on the clouds of the sky with power and great glory.	
					31 "And He will send forth His angels with a great trumpet and they will gather together His elect from the four winds, from one end of the sky to the other"	

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11	John	14	1	3	(Jesus speaking:) 1 "Let not you heart be troubled; believe in God, believe also in Me.	
					2 "In My Father's house are many dwelling places; if it were not so, I would have told you; for I go to prepare a place for you.	
					3 "And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again, and receive you to Myself; that where I am, there you may be also"	
12	Revelation	1	7		7 Behold, He is coming with the clouds, and every eye will see Him, even those who pierced Him; and all the tribes of the earth will mourn over Him. Even so. Amen.	
13	Revelation	22	12	13	<ul> <li>12 "Behold, I am coming quickly, and My reward is with Me, to render to every man according to what he has done.</li> <li>13 "I am the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the</li> </ul>	
14	Revelation	22	20	21	end." 20 He who testifies to these things says,	
17			20	21	<ul><li>20 He who testifies to these things says,</li><li>"Yes, I am coming quickly." Amen.</li><li>Come, Lord Jesus.</li><li>21 The grace of the Lord Jesus be with all. Amen.</li></ul>	

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An excellent way to visit with Jesus daily is to read a chapter of the Gospels each day. "Discipleship Discussion Series—Reading Plan—Gospels—Through a Year" is a schedule of readings. This schedule is available and is being used by many who are Followers of Jesus. Before you read the chapter, invite the Holy Spirit to guide you into all Truth.