

## JESUS THE SERVANT

**Philippians 2:1-4** – So if there is any encouragement in Christ, any comfort from love, any participation in the Spirit, any affection and sympathy, <sup>2</sup> complete my joy by being of the same mind, having the same love, being in full accord and of one mind. <sup>3</sup> Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility count others more significant than yourselves. <sup>4</sup> Let each of you look not only to his own interests, but also to the interests of others. (ESV)

**Philippians 2:5-8** – You'll have this mindset, which was also in Christ Jesus, <sup>6</sup>who though existing in the form of God and even though He was equal with God He did not hold on to this equality but let it go. He emptied Himself. He gave up the appearance of divinity, He divested himself of His prestige and privileges and took on the form of a slave. <sup>7</sup>Being born in the likeness of men and He being found in human form He humbled Himself. <sup>8</sup>He was obedient all the way to the point of death, even death on a cross. (Phillip Merrill Translation)

**Hebrews 1:2–3** – But in these last days he has spoken to us by his Son, whom he appointed the heir of all things, through whom also he created the world. <sup>3</sup>He is the radiance of the glory of God and the exact imprint of his nature, and he upholds the universe by the word of his power. After making purification for sins, he sat down at the right hand of the Majesty on high... (ESV)

**Colossians 1:15–19** – He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation. For by him all things were created, in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities—all things were created through him and for him. And he is before all things, and in him all things hold together. And he is the head of the body, the church. He is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, that in everything he might be preeminent. For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell," (ESV)

Jesus took the appearance of His divinity and exchanged it for form of a slave

**Jesus became a Doulos** = subject to God and being fully owned body and soul

**Philippians 2:9-11** – Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name, 10 so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, 11 and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father. (ESV)

**Philippians 2:17** – Even if I am to be poured out as a drink offering upon the sacrificial offering of your faith, I am glad and rejoice with you all.

**2 Timothy 4:6** – For I am already being poured out as a drink offering, and the time of my departure has come.