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WHAT SORT OF MAN IS THIS? He came from heaven and was born in a donkey's stable. He is God, but He became a servant. Multitudes followed Him and were blessed by His words. Many were prepared to leave their businesses and abandon their families to follow Him, even when they did not know much about Him. Those who followed Him were ready to die for His cause. Under frequent mistreatment, He refused to retaliate. He had no cravings for fame. He did not commit any sin, yet He took on Himself the sins of the world. His own people rejected Him, yet He loved them and extended His grace to them. He healed the sick and raised the dead. He fed five thousand people with five loaves of bread (each the size of a Timbit) and two fishes. Angels hastened to do His will. Evil spirits were subject to Him. He was accused of crimes He did not commit. He died as a criminal and was buried in a borrowed tomb. Three days after His burial, He rose from the grave and spoke with His friends. Forty days after He rose from the grave, He was taken into heaven as His friends stood by gazing. He promised them that He would return. Today, over two thousand years later, millions of lives have been changed through FAITH in Him.

WHAT SORT OF MAN IS THIS? He is not merely a miracle worker. He is not just a charismatic figure. Neither is He simply a good person! **HE IS JESUS OF NAZARETH!** He is God in flesh or God incarnate. **HE IS THE SAVIOR OF THE WORLD!** He died on the Cross to save us from our sins. When He saves us from our sins, He changes us. He makes us new. Anyone can be changed by repenting of their sins and putting their faith in Him. The Bible says, that if **you confess with your mouth the Lord Jesus and believe in your heart that God raised Him from the dead, you will be saved**" (Read Romans chapter 5, verse 9). Again, the Bible says, **"Repent...and ...be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins; and you shall receive the gift of the Holy Spirit"** (read Acts chapter 2, verse 38). Please read the verses below to know what the Bible teaches about sin and salvation.

Genesis 1:27; 2:16-17; 3:6, 19; Romans 3:23; Matthew 1:21; John 1:29; 20:31; 4:12; 16:31.

Hymn: Hallelujah! What a Savior! (Philipp Bliss, *published* 1875)

1. “Man of Sorrows!” what a name
For the Son of God, who came
Ruined sinners to reclaim.
Hallelujah! What a Savior!
2. Bearing shame and scoffing rude,
In my place condemned He stood;
Sealed my pardon with His blood.
Hallelujah! What a Savior!
3. Guilty, vile, and helpless we;
Spotless Lamb of God was He;
“Full atonement!” can it be?
Hallelujah! What a Savior!
4. Lifted up was He to die;
“It is finished!” was His cry;
Now in Heav’n exalted high.
Hallelujah! What a Savior!
5. When He comes, our glorious King,
All His ransomed home to bring,
Then anew His song we’ll sing:
Hallelujah! What a Savior!