

1. Introduction

- a. Gen 1:1-31 And God said...
 - God spoke the 6 days of creation into physical reality
- b. Heb 1:2-3 God's Son...
 - by whom God made the worlds
 - personally upholding all things (physical universe) by the word of His power
- c. Col 1:16-17 God's Son
 - all things were created by Him (visible & invisible)
 - in Him all things consist (physical universe held together)
- d. In 1:3-4 the (living) Word
 - all things were made through Him
 - in Him was life (Life Maker)
- e. In 1:14 the world was made through Him (the Word, the Light)
 - the world did not know Him

2. The Word

- a. the living Word
- b. "in the beginning"
 - who was there when time began?
 - * the Word
 - "beginning" - time had start point
- c. Who was also at the beginning point?
 - God was also there with the Word
- d. And who was the Word?
 - "and the Word was God"
- e. In 1:4 What other qualities?
 - in Him was life
 - * Life creator
 - * Life maker
 - * Life giver
 - In 11:25 (Jesus) I am the resurrection & the life
 - * whoever believes in me shall never (ultimately) die - In 11:26

3. The Word was in the beginning

- a. Word is God (Jn 1:1)
- b. Word is eternal (Jn 1:2)
 - infinity past
- c. God the Son was outside of time but was also subject to time as human on earth
 - Jn 1:14 And the Word became flesh & lived among us (humans)
 - Rev 1:11 Alpha & Omega (21:6, 22:13)
 - First & last (Is 41:4, 44:6, 48:12, Rev 1:17)

4. Word is God & made all things

- a. Creator God
- b. God is from everlasting past to everlasting future
 - Ps 90:2, 106:48 everlasting to everlasting forever (Ps 41:13)

5. Word gives light & life

- a. Word became flesh (Jn 1:14)
 - born of virgin Mary (Mt 1:20-23, Lk 1:31, 34-35)
 - * supernatural conception (not oogenesis)
 - * begotten Son of God
 - b. Word is only begotten Son of God
 - Jn 3:16 God gave His only begotten Son who have everlasting life
 - Prov 30:4
 - * who has ascended (gone to heaven) or descended (come down to earth from heaven)? see Jn 3:13
 - * do you know His name?
 - * what is His Son's name?
 - Isaiah 7:14 a sign: a virgin shall conceive & bear a son & will call his name Immanuel
 - * Mt 1:23 Immanuel: God with us
 - Jn 1:12-13 children of God born of God (not of will of man or flesh)
 - c. The Word creates sons of God by 2nd birth (born again) - Jn 3:3, 5-6, 1 Pet 1:23
 - d. Word of God is faithful & true
 - Rev 19:11 named "faithful & true"
 - Rev 19:13 His name Word of God
 - Rev 19:16 name King of (all) kings & Lord of (all) lords