

Title: Only Remedy Was For God To Become Man

Scriptures: John 1:1-14

Pastor Dr. John Geeter

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Pastor John Geeter's sermon delves into the divine nature and mission of Jesus Christ, emphasizing the core belief that Jesus is both fully God and fully man. Dr. Geeter draws parallels between the Old and New Testaments, highlighting the continuity of God's plan from creation to redemption. He underscores the significance of Jesus's incarnation, life, death, and resurrection, portraying Him as the ultimate sacrifice and the only path to salvation. Through an exploration of various biblical narratives and symbols, Dr. Geeter aims to affirm the unique divinity of Christ and His unparalleled role in human history.

Key Points:

1. Jesus as 100% God and 100% Man:

Pastor Geeter establishes the divinity of Jesus Christ by referencing the opening verses of the Gospel of John and the Book of Genesis to illustrate Jesus's eternal presence and role in creation. He emphasizes that Jesus is not merely a prophet or teacher but God incarnate, citing John 1:1-14 to underline "In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God"; Dr. Geeter highlights the fulfillment of Old Testament prophecies and symbols through Jesus' life, reinforcing the theological foundation of Jesus's divine nature and mission.

2. The Purpose of Jesus's; Incarnation:

Pastor Geeter explains that Jesus's incarnation was driven by God's desire to restore a broken relationship with humanity. Despite God's self-sufficiency, His love and mercy led Him to provide redemption for sinful humanity, necessitating a perfect sacrifice only God Himself could fulfill through Jesus. He discusses humanity's continuous wickedness, as depicted in Genesis, which led to God's judgment and the need for a Savior, emphasizing that Jesus's; role was to reconcile humanity to God.

3. Jesus as the Fulfillment of Old Testament Symbols and Prophecies:

Pastor Geeter intricately ties Old Testament symbols and prophecies to Jesus' person and work, showing the continuity of God's salvific plan. He explains how the Tabernacle's furnishings, such as the altar, the bread of presence, and the menorah, foreshadow Jesus's ministry and divine nature. By discussing Jesus's virgin birth, His lineage from Abraham and David, and His fulfillment of prophecies, Dr. Geeter demonstrates that Jesus is the anticipated Messiah and the ultimate fulfillment of God's promises to Israel.

Pastor Geeter's sermon provides a comprehensive theological exposition on the nature and mission of Jesus Christ, underscoring His divine identity and redemptive work. Through detailed scriptural analysis and symbolic interpretation, Dr. Geeter aims to strengthen believers's; faith in Jesus as the incarnate God and the sole source of salvation.