

LESSON 21



Question 27: How did Christ humble himself?

Answer: Christ humbled himself by being _____ as a _____ and into a _____ family; by being made _____ to the _____, the _____ of this life, the _____ of God, and the _____ of _____ on the _____; and by being _____ and remaining under the _____ of _____ for a time.

Galatians 4:4 But when the fullness of time had come, God sent forth his Son, born of woman, born under the law

Isaiah 53:3 He was despised and rejected by men; a man of sorrows, and acquainted with grief

Matthew 27:46 And about the ninth hour Jesus cried out with a loud voice, saying... "My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?"

Philippians 2:7-8 [Christ] emptied himself, by taking the form of a servant, being born in the

likeness of men. And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross.

UNDERSTANDING AND APPLYING LESSON 21

- 1. What kinds of freedoms might Jesus have enjoyed as God that he laid aside as a human being?**
- 2. In what ways is the Christmas story of Jesus' birth unusual or glorious?**
- 3. In what ways is the Christmas story simpler or less glamorous than we might expect?**
- 4. What does the fact that Jesus lived under the laws God gave Israel say about God's justice?**
- 5. Jesus humbled himself to the point of death, even bearing the wrath of God. What would you tell him if you could?**
- 6. Why was Jesus willing to humble himself to this extent?**

7. How can we follow Jesus' example of humility?

Do you have more questions of your own?

Write down them down here and discuss them with a parent or teacher.

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