



Finding Jesus In the Old Testament
Week 1: Jesus the Creator
 By Louie Marsh, 1-9-2022

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- Who’s we? _____.

“¹Long ago, at many times and in many ways, God spoke to our fathers by the prophets, ²but 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.** ³He 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,” (Hebrews 1:1–3, ESV)

2) The Word was God & made _____.

“¹In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the **Word was God.** ²He was in the beginning with God. ³**All things were made through him, and without him was not any thing made that was made.** ⁴In him was life, and the life was the light of men.” (John 1:1–4, ESV)

3) Christ is creator & _____.

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and for him. ¹⁷And he is before all things, and in him all things hold together. ¹⁸And 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. ¹⁹For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, ²⁰and **through him to reconcile to himself all things,** whether on earth or in heaven, making peace by the blood of his cross.” (Colossians 1:15–20, ESV)

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“⁹The true light, which gives light to everyone, was coming into the world. ¹⁰He was in the world, and the world was made through him, yet the world did not know him.(John 1:9–11, ESV)

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