

The Trinity II

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One of the biggest lies that Satan has caused many people to believe is that all religions lead to God and that everyone is worshipping the same God. But many within those religions would even disagree with that belief because they will even identify their god totally different than from the God of the Bible. Religious groups that are classified as cults like the Mormons and Jehovah Witnesses would also disagree with the common belief of the world. They themselves know that the God of Christianity is a totally different god than the one that they believe in.

One of the reasons that the cults themselves agree with that is because they fail to believe in the doctrine of the Trinity. As we have seen previously, they will say that since the word Trinity is not in the Bible the Trinity therefore is not true. But one of the many grave errors that they make is that they fail to see that the teaching of the Trinity does exist in Scripture. And unfortunately for them as well, their leaders have fabricated their own god to fit their teachings.

Since the beginning of time, God has revealed Himself as a Trinity. To begin to see that fact let us first focus on how He uses plural pronouns and verbs when He refers to Himself. In Genesis 1:26 He says; "And God said, Let us make man in our image, after our likeness: and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the earth, and over every creeping thing that creepeth upon the earth." Genesis 3:22 also says; "And the LORD God said, Behold, the man is become as one of us, to know good and evil: and now, lest he put forth his hand, and take also of the tree of life, and eat, and live forever:" Genesis 11:7 also says; "Go to, let us go down, and there confound their language, that they may not understand one another's speech." The Lord also spoke through the Prophet Isaiah by saying; "Also I heard the voice of the Lord, saying, Whom shall I send, and who will go for us? Then said I, Here am I; send me."

Now if the Trinity was not a true and biblical doctrine, then the above references would make no sense. On the contrary, there would exist a major problem with the personage of God since He would be talking in a plural form and if there would only be one person within the godhead as the cults believe. But since God exists in three distinct persons, He expresses plurality with the above references.

Henry C. Thiessen writes in his book titled 'Lectures in Systematic Theology;' "More definite indications that this plurality is a trinity are found in the following facts: (1) The Lord is distinguished from the Lord. Gen. 19:24 states, 'Then the Lord rained on Sodom and Gomorrah brimstone and fire from the Lord out of heaven,' and Hosea 1:7 declares, 'I will have compassion on the house of Judah and deliver them by the Lord their God.' (cf. Zech. 3:2, 2 Tim. 1:18)."

In the Genesis 19:24 reference, the Lord that rained fire and brimstone out of the Lord out of heaven was the Lord that appeared to Abraham in Genesis 18 (Genesis

18-19). That in itself is a clear indication that there is plurality within the godhead as Christianity has believed and taught throughout history.

We also see the Trinity through other various forms. For example, the Prophet Isaiah wrote; Isaiah 6:3-5 says; “And one cried unto another, and said, Holy, holy, holy, is the LORD of hosts: ...Then said I, Woe is me! for I am undone; because I am a man of unclean lips, and I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips: for mine eyes have seen the King, the LORD of hosts.”

In the above passage Isaiah states that he saw the LORD of hosts, the King. But the interesting thing about that is that the Seraphims that cried out cried out three times saying “...Holy, holy, holy...” Why did they do that? First of all because they were worshipping the Lord. Second of all was because God is a triune God and each holy was for each and all three persons of the godhead. The Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

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