

A NAME WHICH IS ABOVE EVERY NAME PHILIPPIANS 2:9

Text: Philippians 2:9

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⁹ Wherefore God also hath highly exalted him, and given him a name which is above every name:

Introduction:

1. PARTICULAR NAME

A. It's A Name Picked by the Father

The name Jesus was not given to our Lord by Mary and Joseph. It was a name handpicked by God, Matt. 1:21.

Matthew 1:21

²¹ And she shall bring forth a son, and thou shalt call his name JESUS: for he shall save his people from their sins.

This alone makes it a name that stands out as special.

B. It's A Name that Paints God's Portrait

The name Jesus at once reveals the Son's mission.

Luke 19:10

¹⁰ For the Son of man is come to seek and to save that which was lost.

The name Jesus reveals the Father's heart.

2 Peter 3:9

⁹ The Lord is not slack concerning his promise, as some men count slackness; but is longsuffering to us-ward, not willing that any should perish, but that all should come to repentance.

When the Father chose the name Jesus as the one His Son would bear during His time on earth, He was telling every creature in one word that His goal was the redemption and salvation of mankind.

2. PURE NAME (VS 10-11)

Philippians 2:10-11

¹⁰ That at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of things in heaven, and things in earth, and things under the earth; ¹¹ And that every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

To every other name could be attached a list of the good and evils done by that person. To the name of Jesus, however, can only be attached praise, honor and

worship. The Bible tells us that when this name is heard, it is to be revered.

Reverence involves:

A. Humility

The bowing of the knee is a clear sign of humility and reverence.

B. Honor

Not only will there be a bowing of knees before Jesus, but the name of Jesus will also be confessed by the lips of every creature. Men, angels and devils alike will join their voices in one mighty chorus and will together exalt the blessed name of Jesus Christ!

3. Purpose of His Name (vs 11)

Philippians 2:11

¹¹ And that every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

His name should cause us to glorify God.

Note His name

Advocate 1Jo 2:1 **Almighty** Rev 1:8 **Alpha and Omega**

Rev 1:8 **Author and Finisher of Our Faith** Heb 12:2

Beginning and End of the Creation of God [Rev 3:14](#);

[Rev 22:13](#) **Beloved** [Eph 1:6](#) **Bread of Life** [Joh 6:48](#)

Bridegroom [Mat 9:15](#) **Bright and Morning Star** [Rev 22:16](#)

Captain of the Lord's Host [Jos 5:14](#) **Chief Shepherd** [1Pe 5:4](#)

Chief Cornerstone [1Pe 2:6](#) **Cornerstone** [Eph 2:20](#)

Counselor [Isa 9:6](#) **Dayspring** [Luk 1:78](#) **Day Star** [2Pe 1:19](#)

Deliverer [Rom 11:26](#) **Desire of All Nations** [Hag 2:7](#) **Door**

[Joh 10:7](#) **Emmanuel** [Isa 7:14](#) **Eternal life** [1Jo 5:20](#) **Everlasting**

Father [Isa 9:6](#) **Faithful and True** [Rev 19:11](#) **Faithful Witness**

[Rev 1:5](#) **Finisher of Faith** [Heb 12:2](#) **First and Last** [Rev 1:17](#);

[Rev 2:8](#); [Rev 22:13](#) **Foundation** [Isa 28:16](#) **Fountain** [Zec 13:1](#)

Forerunner [Heb 6:20](#) **Friend of Sinners** [Mat 11:19](#) **Gift of**

God [Joh 4:10](#) **God Manifest in the Flesh** [1Ti 3:16](#) **God's**

Dear Son [Col 1:13](#) **God With Us** [Mat 1:23](#) **Good Master**

[Mat 19:16](#) **Great Shepherd of the Sheep** [Heb 13:20](#) **Head of**

the Church [Eph 5:23](#) **Heir of all Things** [Heb 1:2](#) **High Priest**

[Heb 4:14](#) **Head of Every Man** [1Co 11:3](#) **Head of the Church**

[Col 1:18](#) **Head of the Corner** [Mat 21:42](#) **Holy One** [Psa 16:10](#);

[Act 3:14](#) **Hope (Our)** [1Ti 1:1](#) **Horn of Salvation** [Luk 1:69](#)

I Am [Joh 8:58](#) **Image of God** [Heb 1:3](#) **Judge** [Act 10:42](#) **Just**

Man Mat 27:19 **Just One** Act 3:14; Act 7:52; Act 22:14 **Just**

Person Mat 27:24 **King** Mat 21:5 **King of Kings** 1Ti 6:15;

Rev 17:14 **King of Glory** Psa 24:7-10 **Lamb** Rev 5:6; Rev 5:8;

Rev 6:16; Rev 7:9-10; Rev 7:17; Rev 12:11; Rev 13:8; Rev 13:11; Rev 14:1;

Rev 14:4; Rev 15:3; Rev 17:14; Rev 19:7; Rev 19:9; Rev 21:9; Rev 21:14;

Rev 21:22-23; Rev 21:27 **Lamb of God** Joh 1:29 **Lawgiver**

Isa 33:22 **Leader** Isa 55:4 **Life** Joh 14:6 **Light** Joh 8:12 **Light of**

the World Joh 8:12 **Living Bread** Joh 6:51 **Living Stone**

1Pe 2:4 **Lion of the Tribe of Judah** Rev 5:5 **Lord** Rom 1:3

Lord of Lords Rev 17:14; Rev 19:16 **Lord of All** Act 10:36 **Lord**

God Almighty Rev 15:3 **Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ**

2Pe 1:11; 2Pe 3:18 **Lord of Glory** Jam 2:1 **Lord of Hosts** Isa 44:6

Lord, Mighty in Battle Psa 24:8 **Lord Over All** Rom 10:12

Lord Strong and Mighty Psa 24:8 **Man of Sorrows** Isa 53:3

Master Mat 23:8 **Mediator** 1Ti 2:5 **Messiah** Joh 1:41 **Mighty**

God Isa 9:6 **Mighty to Save** Isa 63:1 **Morning Star** Rev 22:16

Most Holy Dan 9:24 **Nazarene** Mat 2:23 **Only Begotten**

Joh 1:14 **Passover** 1Co 5:7 **Potentate** 1Ti 6:15 **Power of God**

1Co 1:24 **Physician** Mat 9:12 **Precious Cornerstone** Isa 28:16

Priest Heb 7:17 **Prince** Act 5:31 **Prince of Peace** Isa 9:6

Prophet [Deu_18:15](#); [Deu_18:18](#); [Mat_21:11](#); [Luk_24:19](#) **Propitiation**

[1Jo_2:2](#) **Rabbi** [Joh_1:49](#) **Ransom** [1Ti_2:6](#) **Redeemer** [Isa_59:20](#)

Resurrection and Life [Joh_11:25](#) **Redemption** [1Co_1:30](#)

Righteous Judge [2Ti_4:8](#) **Righteous Servant** [Isa_53:11](#)

Righteousness [1Co_1:30](#) **Rock** [1Co_10:4](#) **Rose of Sharon**

[Son_2:1](#) **Salvation** [Luk_2:30](#) **Sanctification** [1Co_1:30](#) **Sanctuary**

[Isa_8:14](#) **Savior** [Luk_2:11](#) **Savior of the World** [1Jo_4:14](#)

Servant [Isa_42:1](#) **Shepherd** [Mar_14:27](#) **Star** [Num_24:17](#) **Sun of**

Righteousness [Mal_4:2](#) **Stone** [Mat_21:42](#) **Sure Foundation**

[Isa_28:16](#) **Teacher** [Joh_3:2](#) **True Vine** [Joh_15:1](#) **Truth** [Joh_14:6](#)

Unspeakable Gift [2Co_9:15](#) **Way** [Joh_14:6](#) **Wisdom** [Pro_8:12](#)

Witness [Isa_55:4](#); [Rev_1:5](#) **Wonderful** [Isa_9:6](#) **Word of God**

[Rev_19:13](#) **Word of Life** [1Jo_1:1](#)