

1 John 5:6-13

GODHEAD



“ONE, TWO, THREE”
(DIVINE PERSONS)

...and what does this mean for you and me?

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“ONE”

BODY

SPIRIT

HOPE

LORD

FAITH

BAPTISM

FATHER

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who is:

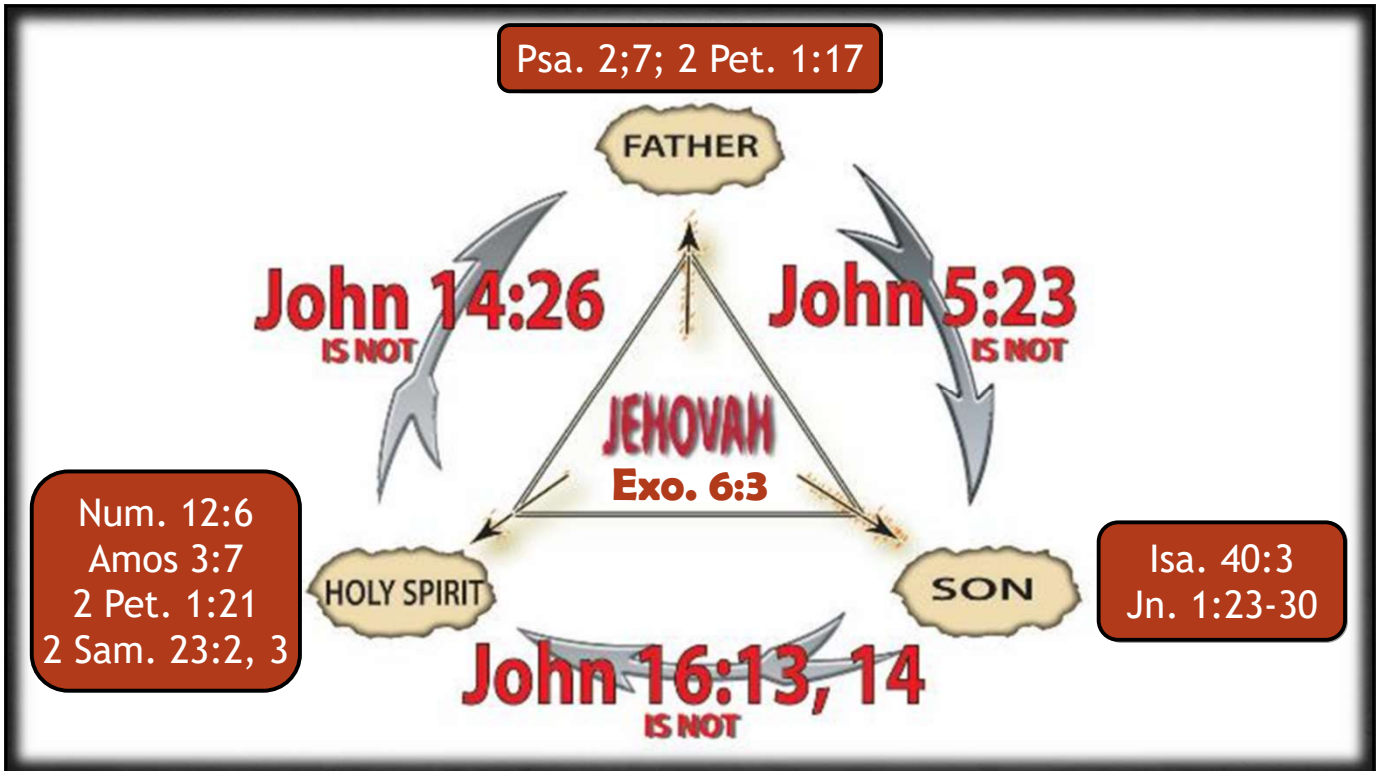
THE FATHER?

THE SON?

THE HOLY SPIRIT?

"THREE"

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- ✓ He sees and hears everything in my life
- *Gen. 16:6-14*
- ✓ He is over all things to me - *Eph. 6:4*
- ✓ He is under me as a support - *Deut. 33:26, 27*
- ✓ He surrounds me - *Psa. 125:2*, "As the mountains surround Jerusalem, So the LORD surrounds His people from this time forth and forever."

What practical lessons does the omnipresent quality of God mean for a child of God?

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- ✓ He is within me - *Col. 1:27*, "To them God willed to make known what are the riches of the glory of this mystery among the Gentiles: which is Christ in you, the hope of glory."
 - *Related: Eph. 3:17; Rom. 10:17*

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“For as many as are led by the Spirit of God, these are sons of God. ...The Spirit Himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children, then heirs— heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ, if indeed we suffer with [Him], that we may also be glorified together.”

ROMAN 8:14-17

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HOW? “The Spirit Himself bears witness with our spirit”

Parallel: Jeremiah 31:33, 34 → Hebrews 10:15-17

Witnesses Through His Written Word!

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"It is crucial for people to base their assurance on the Scripture which makes sense of experiences. When we make experiences the basis and ground of salvation we have the cart before the horse. ...The Spirit has borne testimony in the Bible, let's major in that. Let's interpret our experiences by the Bible and not the Bible by our experiences."

(Jim McGuiggan)