

The Forgotten Jesus Podcast

S1E8

Title - This Is My Beloved Son

Description - On the Mount of Transfiguration, (Matthew 17) God the Father speaks. In this episode, we will examine what God says about Jesus, the Son of God.

This week on the podcast we're looking at what God said on the mountain of transfiguration.

Matthew 17 is a re-enactment of Moses's encounter with God on the mountain.

There are 7 kesher's (connections)

1. High mountain - Jesus takes them to a high mountain. Exodus 19
2. Three people on the mountain. - Exodus 24:9
 - a. Peter, James & John
 - b. Aaron, Nadab, and Abihu
3. Exodus - (
4. The glory of God appears on the mountain - Exodus 24
5. The glory of the Lord settled on the mountain - Exodus 24:16-17
6. After 6 days - Matthew 17:1, Exodus 24:16
7. God speaks - Exodus 19: Matthew 17:5

Deuteronomy 5:22 - "The LORD spoke these commands in a loud voice to your entire assembly from the fire, cloud, and total darkness on the mountain; he added nothing more. He wrote them on two stone tablets and gave them to me."

The first thing God instructs the people to do after Moses comes down from the mountain is to build and setup the Tabernacle with all of the instruments for it (Altar, lamp stand, bronze basin).

Torah - first 5 books of the OT

Neviim - The prophets (Joshua - the prophets)

Ketuvim - The writings

"This is my beloved son" - links to the ketuvim - Psalm 2:7 - Both Jewish and NT scholars say this psalm points to the Messiah.

"With whom I am well pleased..." - links to Nevim - Isaiah 42:1

"Listen to Him." - links to the Torah - Deuteronomy 18:15

John 6:14 - ¹⁴When the people saw the sign he had done, they said, "This truly is the Prophet who is to come into the world."

The people knew to look for the one who was to come. They even recognized that Jesus was this prophet to come, but they wanted to make him a political King.

There is a need for us to read and learn the Old Testament scriptures. In doing so we will know the New Testament better and have a greater understanding of them.

The only ones who have recognized Jesus for who he is so far have been Demons. They know exactly who he is.

God is now going to give his stamp of approval when he says, Jesus is my Son, the promised Messiah of Israel, the one like Moses who was to come and is now here. He is the fulfillment of all the OT scriptures. You need to listen to him.

We need to make sure we have slow, methodical reading time with God.