

The Person of Truth  
(John 1:14, 17; 14:6)

As God's Word, Jesus Christ Is The Truth for all people, in all places, at all times

Ultimate Truth Is Personal - Jo 1:14; 14:6; Heb 1:1-3; Jo 5:39

- He declares the words of God
- He demonstrates the will of God
- He discloses the nature of God
- He is the substance and the content of Christianity - Eph 4:20-21

Ultimate Truth Is Unchangeable - Jo 1:1-2

- He is unaffected by time
- He is always the same - Heb 13:8
- He is our only always reliable object of faith - I Pet 2:6

Ultimate Truth Is Radical

- He comes to separate us from error - Matt 10:34  
...we must get over the offense of His Truth - Matt 11:6
- He liberates us from captivity for freedom - John 8:32

To Pursue Life Apart from Christ Is to Pursue a Lie - Ro 1:25

- Sin is a lie about God  
...it is de-generative  
...it is dis-orienting  
...it is dis-integrative

To Pursue The Truth Is to Pursue Christ - Jo 1:14

- We give Him the pre-eminence - Col 1:18
- We make Him our standard for all valuation - Col 3:17
- The knowledge of Truth is in our obedience of faith - Jo 7:17; Ro 1:26; 16:26