A mosaic of Jesus Christ's face is positioned at the top center, with only his eyes and forehead visible above a horizontal scroll. The scroll is unrolled and contains the text "JESUS IS" followed by a blank line. The background is a textured, golden-brown color. The scroll is held by two wooden rollers on either side. Below the scroll, a portion of Jesus's hands and a blue and gold robe are visible. At the bottom of the image, there is a horizontal band of light blue color.

**JESUS IS \_\_\_\_\_**

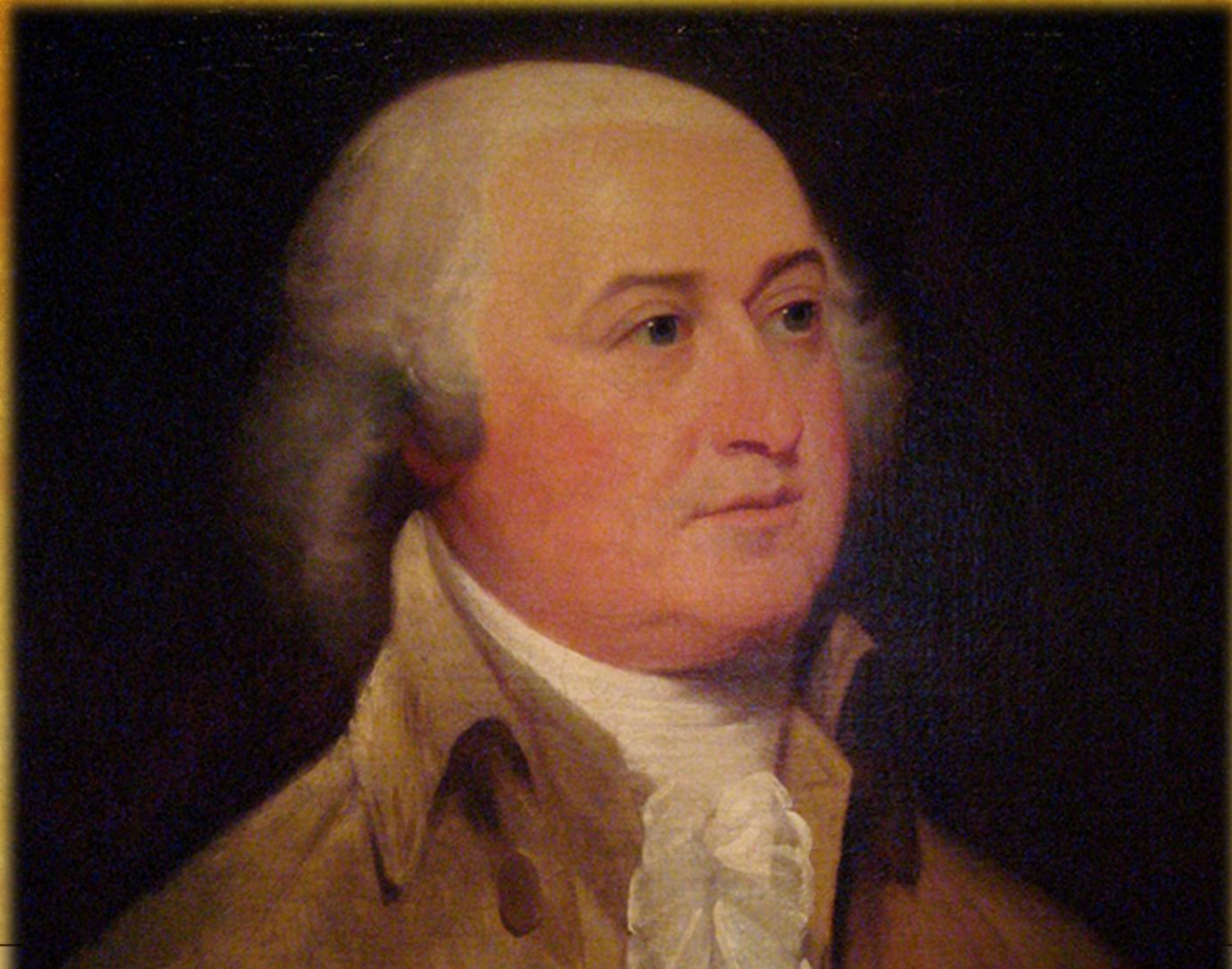
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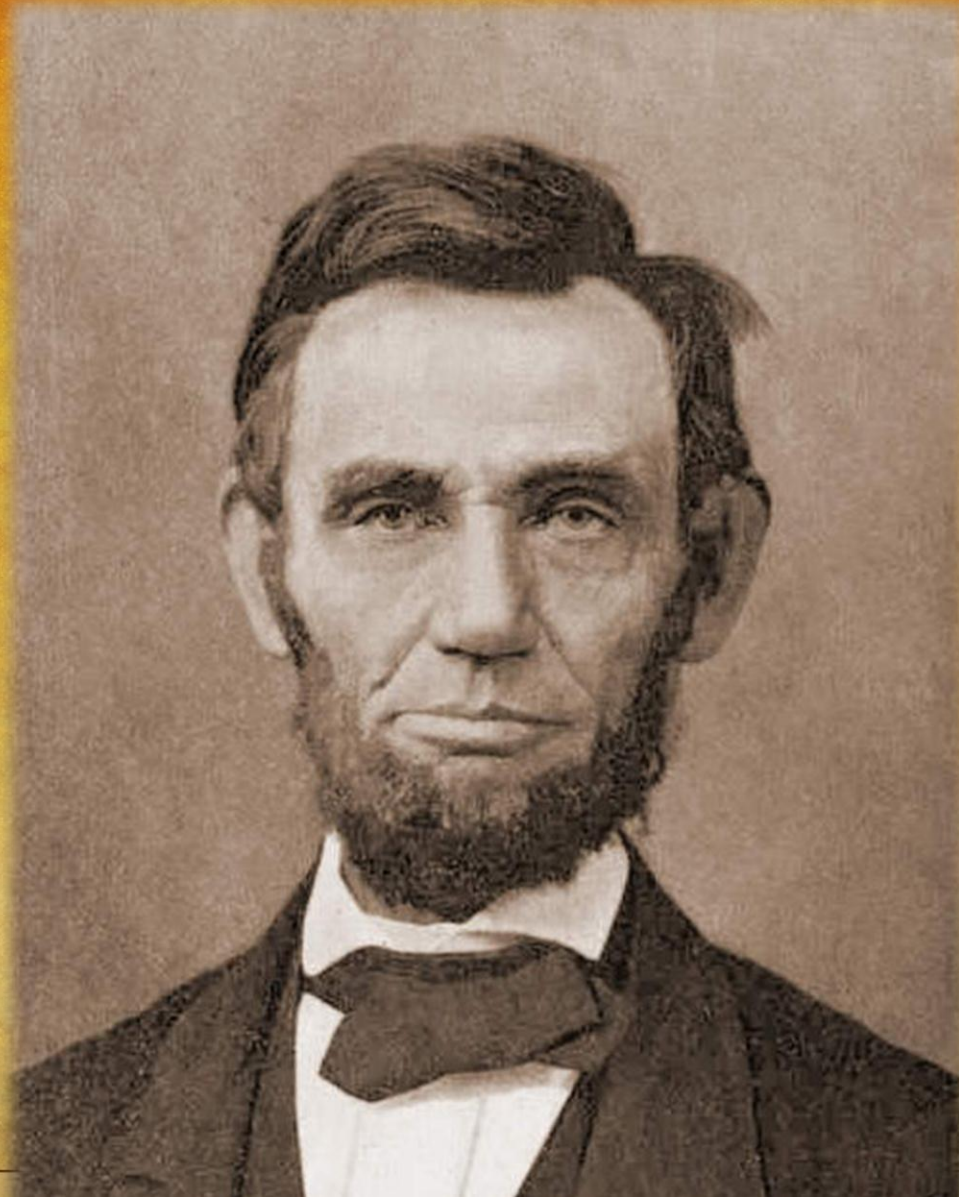
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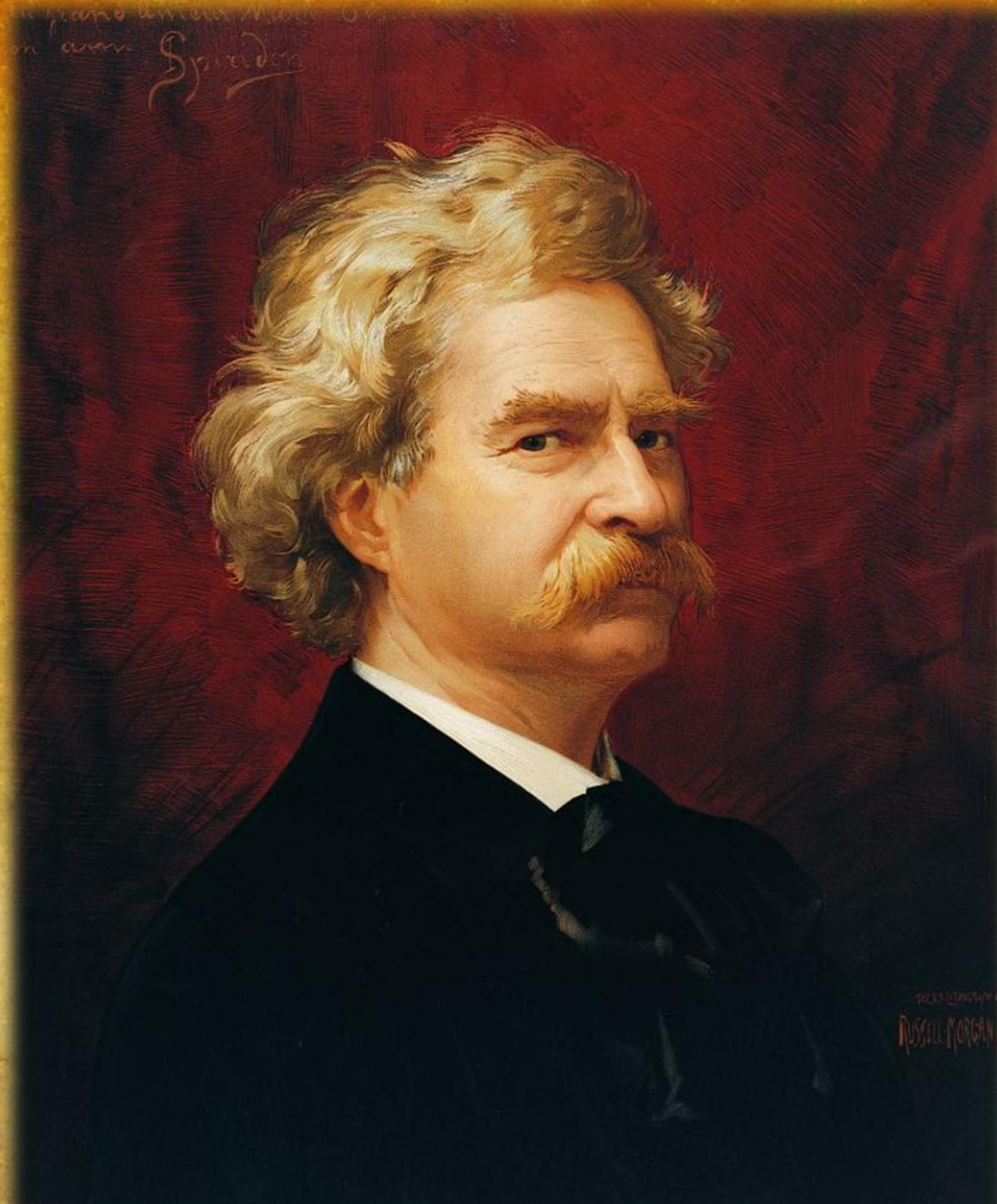
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# JESUS IS...THE WORD / GOD

## JOHN 1:1-3

- JOHN KNEW JESUS INTIMATELY AND WANTED TO LET US KNOW HOW HE HAD BEEN AFFECTED BY HIS LOVE
- WHAT WOULD YOUR BIOGRAPHY OF JESUS LOOK LIKE?
- I HAVE BEEN MOST AFFECTED BY \_\_\_\_\_ FROM JESUS



**JESUS IS** \_\_\_\_\_

# JESUS IS...THE WORD / GOD

## JOHN 1:1-3

- FROM THE BEGINNING JOHN WANTS US TO KNOW THAT JESUS IS-
- GOD
- CREATOR
- SUPREME LORD



**JESUS IS \_\_\_\_\_**



# JESUS IS...THE WORD / GOD

## JOHN 1:1-3

- HE WANTS US TO UNDERSTAND THAT THE JESUS WHO SAID "LOVE YOUR ENEMIES" AND "LOVE YOUR NEIGHBOR" IS THE ETERNAL, MAJESTIC GOD
- JOHN WANTS YOU TO KNOW THAT YOU BELIEVE IN A SPECTACULAR SAVIOR!



**JESUS IS** \_\_\_\_\_

# JESUS IS...THE WORD / GOD

## JOHN 1:1-3

- JOHN 1:1 (ENGLISH STANDARD VERSION)

<sup>1</sup> IN THE BEGINNING WAS THE WORD,  
AND THE WORD WAS WITH GOD, AND  
THE WORD WAS GOD.



# JESUS IS...THE WORD / GOD

## JOHN 1:1-3

- "THE WORD"; WHAT IS JOHN SAYING?
- HE WAS INTERACTING WITH THE PHILOSOPHERS AND RELIGIONS OF HIS DAY
- GOD HAS SPOKEN BEFORE, BUT JESUS IS HIS FULLEST WORD ABOUT HIMSELF



**JESUS IS** \_\_\_\_\_

# JESUS IS...THE WORD / GOD

## JOHN 1:1-3

- JOHN 1:2 (ENGLISH STANDARD VERSION)

<sup>2</sup>HE WAS IN THE BEGINNING WITH GOD.



# JESUS IS...THE WORD / GOD

## JOHN 1:1-3

- "WAS" = ALWAYS HAS BEEN
- JESUS HAS ALWAYS BEEN GOD
- JESUS IS GOD AND HE IS THE ONE WHO SAVES YOU



**JESUS IS** \_\_\_\_\_

# JESUS IS...THE WORD / GOD

## JOHN 1:1-3

- JOHN 1:3 (ENGLISH STANDARD VERSION)

<sup>3</sup>ALL THINGS WERE MADE THROUGH HIM, AND WITHOUT HIM WAS NOT ANY THING MADE THAT WAS MADE.



# JESUS IS...THE WORD / GOD

## JOHN 1:1-3

- JOHN WANTS TO MAKE SURE WE UNDERSTAND THAT JESUS IS GOD, NOT CREATED
- IF JESUS WAS CREATED, THIS VERSE CAN'T BE TRUE



**JESUS IS** \_\_\_\_\_

# JESUS IS...THE WORD / GOD

## JOHN 1:1-3

- PRAISE GOD FOR THE DEITY OF AND GREATNESS OF JESUS!
- JESUS AS GOD HAS THE POWER TO CHANGE AND DIRECT THE THINGS OF YOUR LIFE
- TAKE IT ALL TO HIM AND TRUST HIM AS THE ETERNAL WORD



**JESUS IS** \_\_\_\_\_

- GOD HAS BEEN WHERE YOU ARE GOING AND WILL ALWAYS BE WITH YOU
- WALK BOLDLY AND TRUST HIM



# JESUS IS...THE WORD / GOD

## JOHN 1:1-3

- JOHN DOESN'T LET US BUILD AN "JESUS"
- IF WE THROW OUT THE DEITY OF JESUS, WE LOSE THE REST OF IT TOO!



**JESUS IS \_\_\_\_\_**

# JESUS IS...THE WORD / GOD

## JOHN 1:1-3

- WE TRUST HIM FOR TOMORROW
- WE BELIEVE IN HIM FOR OUR SALVATION
- WE PRAISE JESUS AS GOD, THE WORD, THE CREATOR!



**JESUS IS** \_\_\_\_\_

# SANCTUS

STUDENT MINISTRY

See you THIS Wednesday, January 12<sup>th</sup>!

Greatwood Rec Center / 6:30 PM

Bring your Bible, some cash & your friends...



- ◉ **Ladies Bible Study**
- ◉ **Begins Monday, January 24th at the  
Greatwood Rec Center**
- ◉ **Purchase books TODAY!**

# Retirement Home Ministry

- Retirement Home Ministry  
January 16th
- Greatwood Retirement &  
Assisted Living Center
- For more info, please see  
Cheryl Marshall immediately  
following the service



# Uganda Meeting



- ✓ Going to Uganda? Need more info?
- ✓ Then you must join us!
- ✓ January 23<sup>rd</sup> @ the home of Matt Prine
- ✓ Find all the details in your bulletin or email Matt at [mprine@thesanctuaryfellowship.com](mailto:mprine@thesanctuaryfellowship.com).

# Covenant Membership Class

## January 30 & February 6



**ARE YOU INTERESTED IN MEMBERSHIP AT  
THE SANCTUARY?**

**REGISTER ONLINE AT  
[THESANCTUARYFELLOWSHIP.COM](http://THESANCTUARYFELLOWSHIP.COM)**

**SHARE THE JOURNEY WITH US AS WE SEEK TO  
LOVE PEOPLE & ENJOY GOD!**



# Growth Goals

Ministry Table

Evaluate & sign up **TODAY!**



# The Sanctuary Fellowship Estate Planning

***TODAY!***

Don't miss this opportunity to do your estate planning. We want to help you be great stewards & equip you to be a financial participant in ministry. Wills, power of attorney, etc. ***Free of charge.***