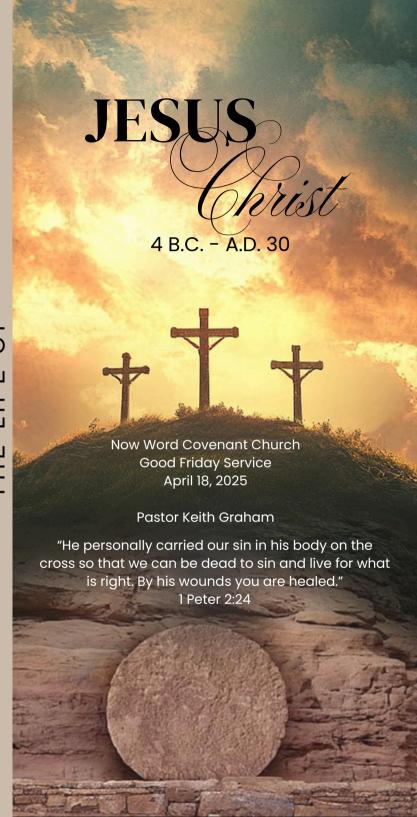
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Jesus Son Of God Obituary

Jesus, 33, of Nazareth also referred to as the Christ, died at approximately 3:00 p.m. on Friday, April 1, 30 A.D. on Mount Calvary, also known as Golgotha, the place of the skull, outside the walls of the City of Jerusalem, Israel. Jesus Christ, a descendant of Abraham, was a member of the house of David. He was born in a stable in 4 B.C. in Bethlehem, Judea to Mary, the virgin, and his stepfather Joseph, better known as Joseph the Carpenter. Jesus never married. Jesus grew up in humble dwellings learning the carpenter trade from his stepfather in Nazareth, where they settled after returning from an extended stay in Egypt.

Jesus, around the age of twelve, following the desires of his heart to follow his heavenly father's teachings, began conversing with extreme knowledge with the teachers in the temple. At age 30, Jesus set out to spread the good news of the kingdom of God, after his baptism by cousin, John the Baptist. God, his heavenly father, placed a special anointing upon him, and he performed miracles and healings. Jesus traveled with 12 men, which he called them disciples or fishers of men. Last Sunday, he entered Jerusalem, riding a donkey to many cheers, but by Thursday, after his last supper with his disciples, Jesus was betrayed by Judas, one of the twelve and He was crucified by the Romans by order of the ruler Pontius Pilate. The causes of death were crucifixion, extreme exhaustion, severe torture, and loss of blood.

Up until the time of His death, Jesus was teaching and sharing the Good News, healing the sick, touching the lonely, feeding the hungry, and helping the poor. Jesus was most noted for telling parables about His Father's Kingdom and performing miracles, such as feeding over 5,000 people with only five loaves of bread and two fish and healing a man who was born blind. The body was quickly buried in a stone grave, which was donated by Joseph of Arimathea, a loyal friend of the family. By order of Pontius Pilate, a boulder was rolled in front of the tomb. Roman soldiers were put on guard. He was preceded in death by cousin, John the Baptist, and Father Joseph. He leaves behind his loving mother Mary, siblings, disciples, and a host of followers. In lieu of flowers, the family has requested that everyone try to live as Jesus did. Donations may be sent to anyone in need.

Now Word Covenant Church would like to encourage everyone to come back this Resurrection Sunday @10am to hear the rest of the story.

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