



## **STATEMENT OF FAITH**

I believe there is only One True God who is the Creator of the universe and everything in it (*Isa 44:24*) but because of man's disobedience sin entered into God's perfect world. So, Jesus, who was *with* God in the very beginning (*John 1:1&2*) and *was* God, took on human form, was born of a virgin and lived among us (*Isa9:6, Luke 1:26-3, John 1:14*). He did this to become the only perfect sacrifice for our sin problem (*Heb 10:10, Phil 2:5-8*) and reconcile mankind back to God.

Jesus came to reveal God's plan of redemption to mankind. While on earth he was completely sinless and submitted to His Father, saying and accomplishing everything according to the will of His Father (*Heb 10:7*). At the right time Jesus was handed over to men by God's set purpose and foreknowledge (*Acts 2:23*) to become an unblemished sacrifice for us. God then raised Him from the dead for it was impossible for death to keep its hold on Him.

However, God did not leave those who believe in Him as orphans (*John 14:16-18*), but sent the Holy Spirit, whose purpose is to convict the world of sin (*John 16:8*), reveal Jesus and begin the process of transforming the lives (*John 16:13*) of all who believe. It is through this same Holy Spirit, at work in believers, that helps them to become salt and light in our world. For all those who believe in and receive Jesus, He gives them the right to become children of God, born of God and not merely of human decision or will (*John 1:12-13*). As a child of God, we are part of Christ's church and it is our privilege to tell others about the wonderful gift of God's grace through Jesus and that believing in Him is the only way to escape the judgment that is to come (*John 3:16-18*).

Jesus is now sitting at the right hand of His Father (*Matt 26:64*) praying for us, but He will return for His church in order to fulfill everything spoken about Him by the prophets (*Isa 25:6-9, Dan 12:1-13*).

The Bible is God's inspired Word (*2 Tim 3:16-17*) to us and we are to live our lives according to its instructions. Its words are not merely suggestions but are a standard of Truth that everything should be compared to.

Because of this understanding you will find that the good news of Jesus Christ and Scripture are an important part of every drama.

## **MY PURPOSE:**

Igniting faith within the church today with dramas about Christian heroes of the past.

They may even make you LAUGH, CRY, PRAY!

Serving Christ together,

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