

Christianity - Quotes and Key Teachings (Beliefs and Teachings)

God as omnipotent, loving and just		
<u>Omnipotent</u>	<u>Benevolent</u>	<u>Just</u>
<p>“For nothing will be impossible with God.”</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Luke 1:37</p>	<p>“For God so loved the world, that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but shall have eternal life.”</p> <p style="text-align: right;">John 3:16</p>	<p>“His works are perfect and all his ways are just. A faithful God who does no wrong, upright and just is he.”</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Deuteronomy 32:4</p>
The problem of evil and suffering		
<p>“The eyes of the Lord are everywhere, keeping watch on the evil and the good.”</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Proverbs 15:3</p>	<p>“In all this, Job did not sin by charging God with wrongdoing.”</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Job 1:22</p>	
The Oneness of God and the Trinity		
<u>Oneness of God</u>	<u>Trinity</u>	
<p>“I am the Lord your God, the one who brought you out of Egypt where you were slaves. Do not worship any god except me.”</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Exodus 20:2-3</p>	<p>“Go to the people of all nations and make them my disciples. Baptise them in the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit.”</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Matthew 28:19</p>	
<p>“We believe in One God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is seen and unseen.”</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Nicene Creed</p>	<p>“Just as Jesus was coming up out of the water, he saw heaven being torn open and the Spirit descending on him like a dove. And a voice came from heaven: ‘You are my Son, whom I love; with you I am well pleased.’”</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Mark 1:10-11 (The Baptism of Jesus)</p>	
Creation		
<p>“In the beginning, God created the heavens and the earth. Now the earth was formless and empty, darkness was over the surface of the deep, and the Spirit of God was hovering over the waters. And God said, ‘Let there be light,’ and there was light.”</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Genesis 1: 1-3</p>	<p>“In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. He was with God in the beginning. Through him all things were made; without him nothing was made that has been made.”</p> <p style="text-align: right;">John 1:1-3</p>	
The afterlife and judgement		
<u>Resurrection</u>	<u>Judgement</u>	
<p>“I am the resurrection and the life. The one who believes in me will live, even though they die.”</p> <p style="text-align: right;">John 11:25</p>	<p>“When the Son of Man comes in his glory, and all the angels with him, he will sit on his glorious throne. All the nations will be gathered before him, and he will separate the people one from another as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats.”</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Matthew 25:31-32 (The Parable of the Sheep & Goats)</p>	
<u>Heaven</u>	<u>Hell</u>	
<p>“He will wipe away every tear from their eyes. There will be no more death or mourning or crying or pain.”</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Revelation 21:4</p>	<p>“Do not be afraid of those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul. Rather, be afraid of the One who can destroy both soul and body in hell.”</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Matthew 10:28</p>	

The incarnation and Jesus as the Son of God

“The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us.”
John 1:14

“We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God ... he came down from heaven: and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the Virgin Mary, and was made man.”
Nicene Creed

The Crucifixion, resurrection and ascension

The Crucifixion
“Carrying his own cross, he went out to the place of the skull (which in Aramaic is called Golgotha).”
John 19:17

The Resurrection
“... the men said to them. ‘Why do you look for the living among the dead? He is not here; he has risen!’”
Luke 24:5-6

The Ascension
“After the Lord Jesus had spoken to them, he was taken up into heaven and he sat at the right hand of God.”
Mark 16:19

“For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried.”
Nicene Creed

“On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures.”
Nicene Creed

“He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father.”
Nicene Creed

Sin, including original sin

“And the Lord God said, ‘The man has now become like one of us, knowing good and evil. He must not be allowed to reach out his hand and take also from the tree of life and eat, and live forever.’ So the Lord God banished him from the Garden of Eden to work the ground from which he had been taken.”
Genesis 3:22-23 (The Fall)

“For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.”
Romans 6:23

The means of salvation, including law, grace and Spirit

Salvation through law (works)
“Here is the conclusion of the matter. Fear God and keep His commandments, for this is the whole duty of man.”
Ecclesiastes 12:13

Salvation through grace
“For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith - and this is not from yourselves, it is the gift of God - not by works, so that no one can boast.”
Ephesians 2:8-9

“For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you invited me in, I needed clothes and you clothed me, I was ill and you looked after me, I was in prison and you came to visit me.”
Matthew 25:35-36 (The Parable of the Sheep & Goats)

“For God so loved the world, that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but shall have eternal life.”
John 3:16

The role of Christ in salvation including the idea of atonement

“I am the resurrection and the life. The one who believes in me will live, even though they die; and whoever lives by believing in me will never die.”
John 11:25

“I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.”
John 14:6

“Jesus is ‘the stone you builders rejected, which has become the cornerstone.’ Salvation is found in no-one else, for there is no other name under heaven given to mankind by which we must be saved.”
Acts 4:11-12

“... we have an advocate with the Father - Jesus Christ, the Righteous One. He is the atoning sacrifice for our sins, and not only for ours but also the sins of the whole world.”
1 John 2:1-2