

Dit gaan alles oor Jesus (1)



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Inleiding



Paasfees?

A screenshot of a Google search for "Easter". The search bar contains the word "Easter". Below the search bar are navigation tabs for "All", "Images", "News", "Videos", "Shopping", and "More". Underneath are several suggested search terms: "religious", "bunny", "egg", "clip art", "jesus", and "cross". The main content area displays three image thumbnails. The first shows a small brown bunny in a basket with colorful eggs, with the caption "Easter Bunny Origins" and the source "countryliving.com". The second shows a bunny in a basket with eggs in a grassy field, with the caption "strange history of the Easter Bunny" and the source "theconversation.com". The third shows a basket of colorful eggs, with the caption "Easter Eggs & Easter Bunny ..." and the source "history.com".

Paasfees?

A screenshot of a Google search for "Easter" showing a grid of image results. The search bar contains the word "Easter". The grid consists of many small image thumbnails, each with a small caption and source below it. The images are diverse, showing various depictions of Easter bunnies, baskets of eggs, and Easter-themed graphics. The thumbnails are arranged in approximately 6 rows and 15 columns.



Paasnaweek

- Die belangrikste datum op die Christelike kalender



Jes 53:5 Maar Hy is ter wille van ons oortredinge deurboor, ter wille van ons ongeregtighede is Hy verbrysel; die straf wat vir ons die vrede aanbring, was op Hom, en deur sy wonde het daar vir ons genesing gekom.

Die kruis staan sentraal (in die middel)

- Hoeveel plek gee ons aan Jesus in ons kerk en lewens?
- Praat en sing ons nog oor die kruis en die bloed?



Is jy in Christus? Soek dan die dinge daarbo

Kol 3:1 As julle dan saam met Christus opgewek is, soek die dinge daarbo waar Christus is en aan die regterhand van God sit.



Fil 3:14 Maar een ding: ek vergeet die dinge wat agter is en strek my uit na wat voor is, en jaag na die doel om die prys te verkry van die hoë roeping van God in Christus Jesus.

Soek die dinge daarbo

1. Fokus op die dinge daarbo (God se wil)
2. Mind God's business
3. Die Hemel moet jou mikpunt en fokus wees.
4. Soek God se guns
5. Hou jou verbintenis met die dinge daarbo lewendig deur geloof, hoop & liefde
6. Hardloop om die wenstreep te bereik – ewigheid saam met Jesus Christus

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Hoekom doen ons dit alles?

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Christus sit aan die regterhand van God.

- God het Hom die hoogste eer gegee
- Christus vooruit gegaan – vir ons ewige woning en blydschap te reël.

Fil 2:7 maar het Homself ontledig deur die gestalte van 'n dienskneg aan te neem en aan die mense gelyk geword;

Fil 2:8 en in gedaante gevind as 'n mens, het Hy Homself verneder deur gehoorsaam te word tot die dood toe, ja, die dood van die kruis.

Fil 2:9 Daarom het God Hom ook uitermate verhoog en Hom 'n naam gegee wat bo elke naam is,

Fil 2:10 sodat in die Naam van Jesus sou buig elke knie van die wat in die hemel en die wat op die aarde en die wat onder die aarde is,

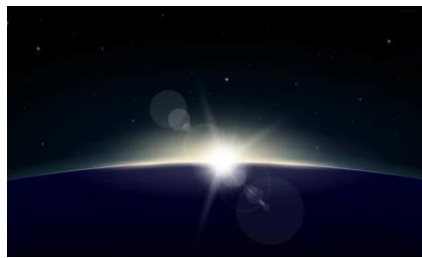
Fil 2:11 en elke tong sou bely dat Jesus Christus die Here is tot heerlikheid van God die Vader.

Alles het deur Jesus Christus ontstaan

Joh 1:1 In die begin was die Woord, en die Woord was by God, en die Woord was God.

Joh 1:2 Hy was in die begin by God.

Joh 1:3 Alle dinge het deur Hom ontstaan, en sonder Hom het nie een ding ontstaan wat ontstaan het nie.



Die bloed reinig ons

- Ontsondig

Psa 51:9 **Ontsondig my met hisop**, dat ek kan rein wees; was my, dat ek witter kan wees as sneeu. (vers 7 in meeste andere vertalings)



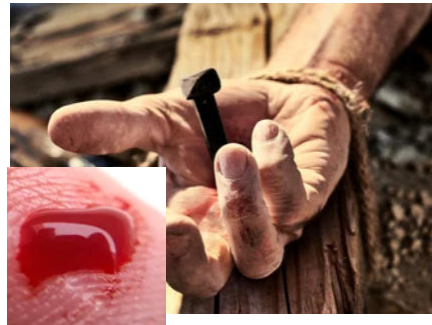
- Net die bloed van Jesus Christus kan my ontsondig



Duur gekoop deur Jesus bloed

1Pe 1:18 omdat julle weet dat julle nie deur verganklike dinge, silwer of goud, losgekoop is uit julle ydele lewenswandel wat deur die vaders oorgelewer is nie,

1Pe 1:19 **maar deur die kosbare bloed van Christus**, soos van 'n lam sonder gebrek en vlekkeloos,



Jesus Christus is die middelpunt

1Kor 2:2 want ek het my voorgeneem om niks anders onder julle te weet nie as Jesus Christus, en Hom as gekruisigde.

For I made the decision to know nothing (that is, to forego philosophical or theological discussions regarding inconsequential things and opinions while) among you except Jesus Christ, and Him crucified (and the meaning of His redemptive, substitutionary death and His resurrection). Amp

Gal 6:14 Maar wat my betref, mag ek nooit roem nie, behalwe in die kruis van onse Here Jesus Christus, deur wie die wêreld vir my gekruisig is en ek vir die wêreld.

Afsluiting

1Tim 3:16 En, onteenseglik, die verborgenheid van die godsaligheid is groot: God is geopenbaar in die vlees, is geregverdig in die Gees, het verskyn aan engele, is verkondig onder die heidene, is geglo in die wêreld, is opgeneem in heerlikheid.

'...GOD WAS MANIFEST IN THE FLESH...'

He was born in abject poverty, yet a choir of angels filled the heavens with songs of His greatness. A star that astronomers still can't explain to this day became the compass that brought world leaders to worship at His crib.

His birth defied the laws of biology and His death defied the laws of mortality. No miracle is greater than His life and teaching. He owned no cornfields or fisheries, yet He spread a table for 5,000 and had bread and fish left over. He never walked on expensive carpeting, yet when He walked on water it supported Him; when He spoke the wind and the seas obeyed Him.

His crucifixion was the crime of all crimes, yet in God's eyes no less a price could have made your redemption possible. When He died, few mourned, yet God hung black crepe over the sun. Those who crucified Him never once trembled at what they'd done, yet the earth shook beneath them. Sin couldn't touch Him. Decay couldn't claim His body. The soil that was **reddened with His blood** couldn't claim His dust.

For over three years He preached the gospel, yet He wrote no books, built no cathedrals, and seemingly had no great financial resources. Yet 2,000 years later, He's *still* the central character of human history, the perpetual theme of Christian preaching, the pivot around which the ages revolve – and the only Redeemer of the human race!

For every other job, God sent a man. But in order to redeem and rescue you, God became a man.