

In the course of our Lord's journey on earth, we see Him in the following ways :

1. As the born One—holy, meeting God's mind in the nature or human material.
2. As the circumcised One—perfect under the law, meeting God's mind in it.
3. As the baptized One—meeting God's mind in dispensational order and righteousness.
4. As the anointed One—meeting God's mind as His image or representative.
5. As the obedient One—doing always those things that pleased the Father.
6. As the devoted One—meeting God's mind in all things; and in laying down His life. (John x. 17, 18.)
7. As the risen One—sealed with God's approval in victory for sinners.

Thus does He meet all the mind of God while providing for us. All was magnified in Him and by Him, all made honourable. God's proposed delight in man, or glory by him, has been richly answered in the blessed JESUS. While in His person He was "God manifest in the flesh," in the succession of His stages through the earth He was accomplishing all the divine purpose, delight and glory, in man. Nothing unworthy of God was in the man Christ Jesus, His person, experiences or ways.



A perfectly humble man would be one who was always thinking of the *Lord Jesus*, and never of *himself*.