

# The story of Jesus in the Gospels





# The story of Jesus in the Gospels → but principally from the synoptic gospels



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**Mark**

**Luke**

**John**

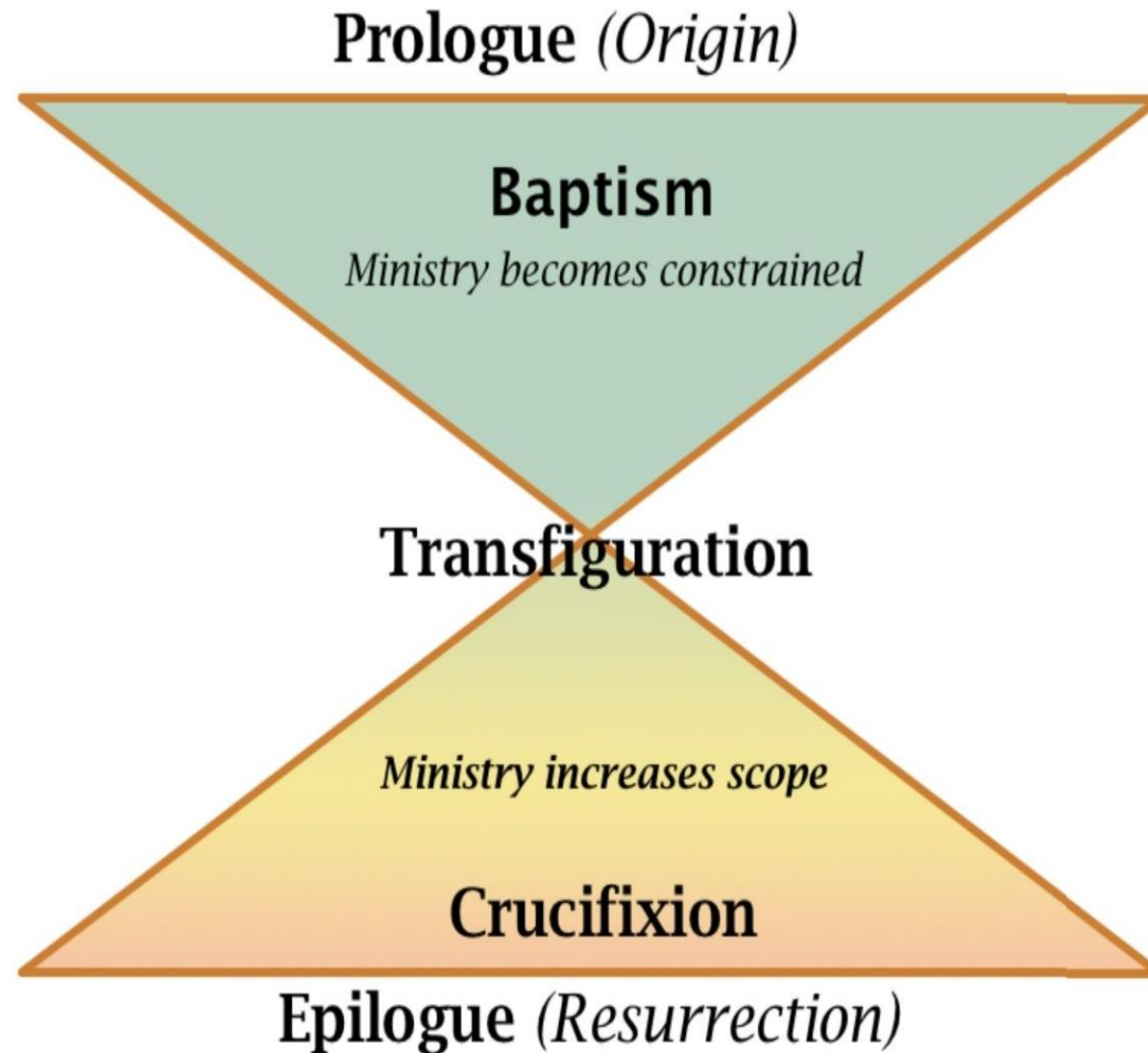


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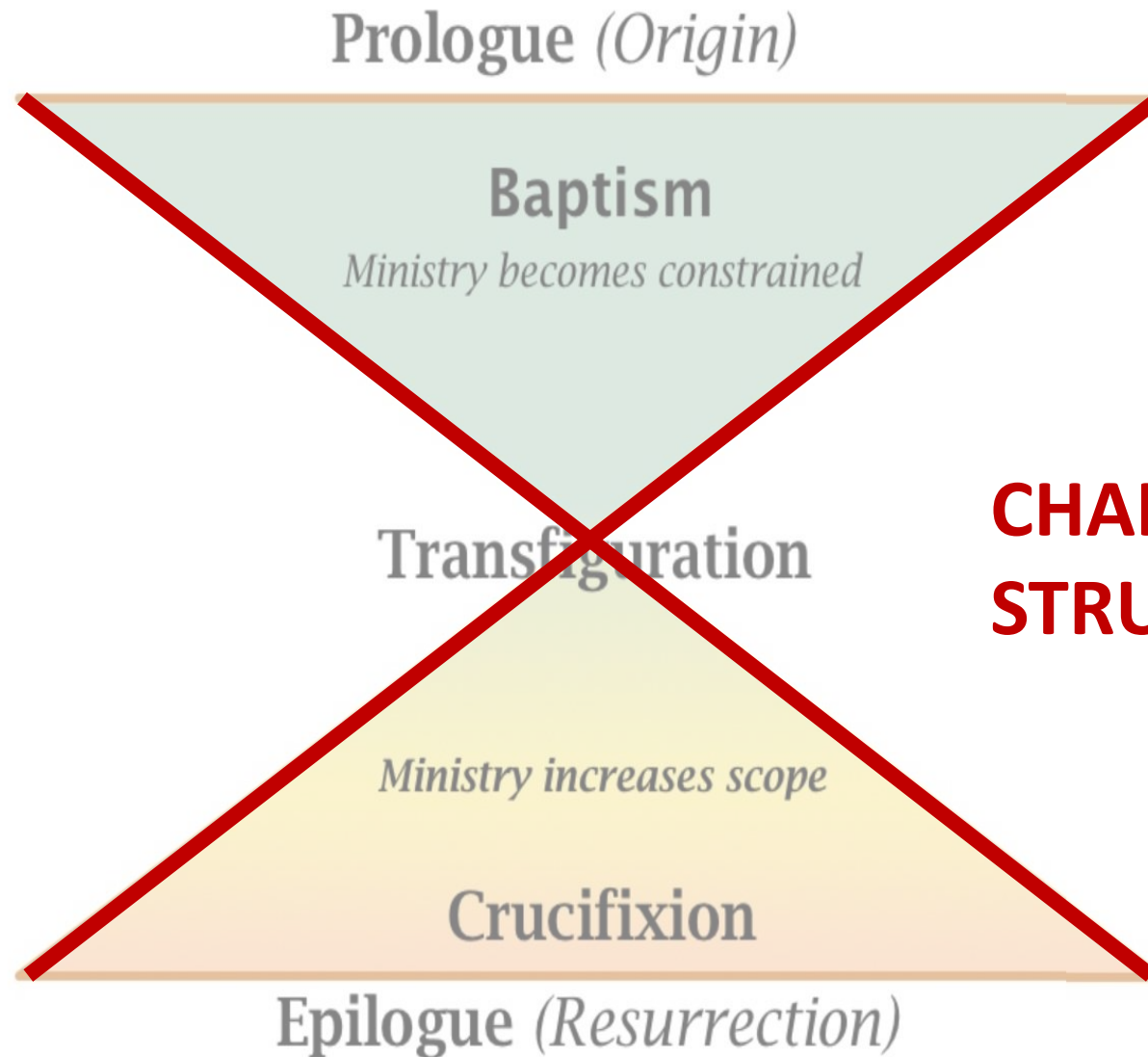
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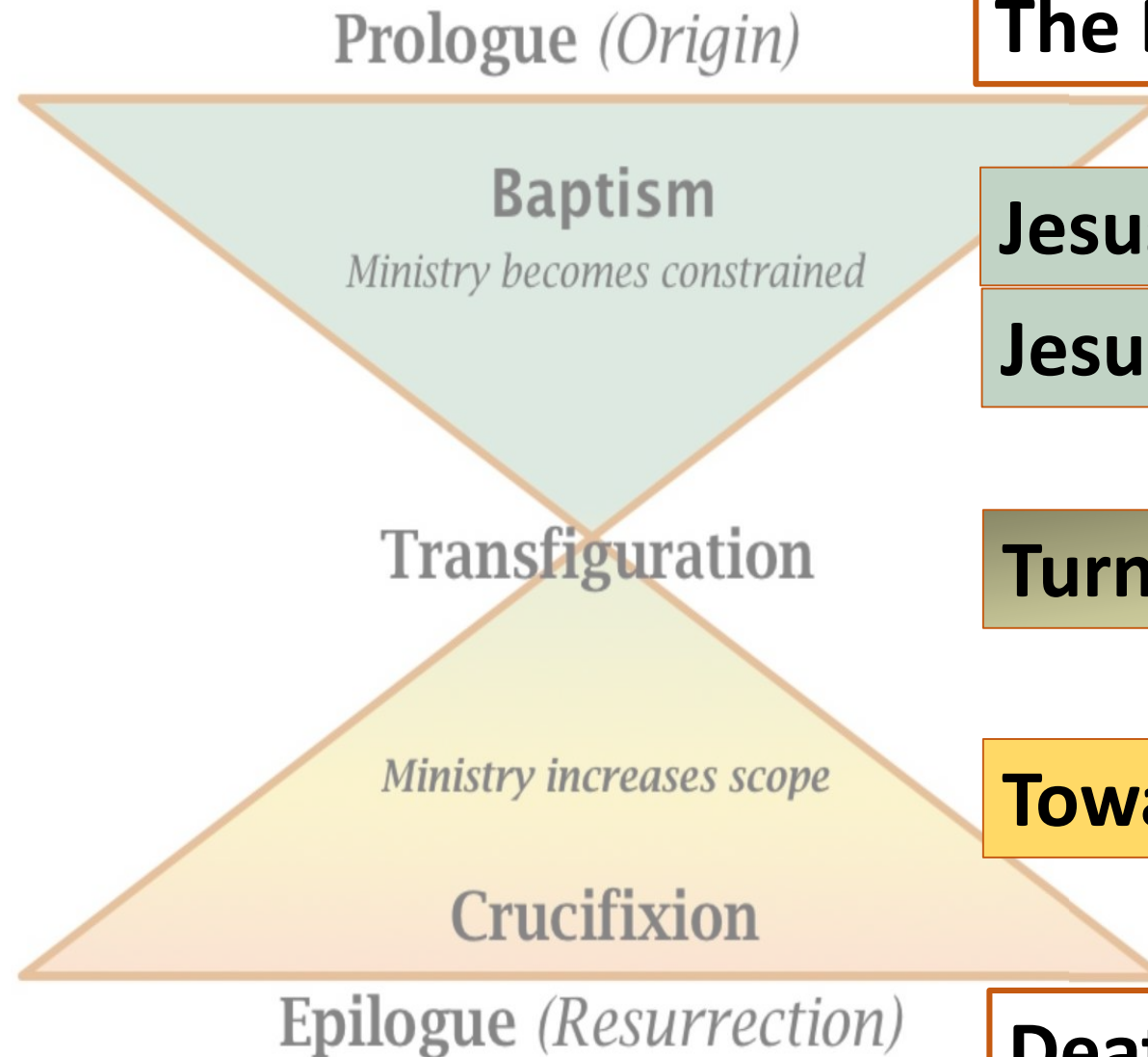
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## Our Sermon Series



**The Early years**

**Jesus' Teachings**

**Jesus' Galilean Ministry**

**Turning up the heat**

**Towards the cross**

**Death and resurrection**



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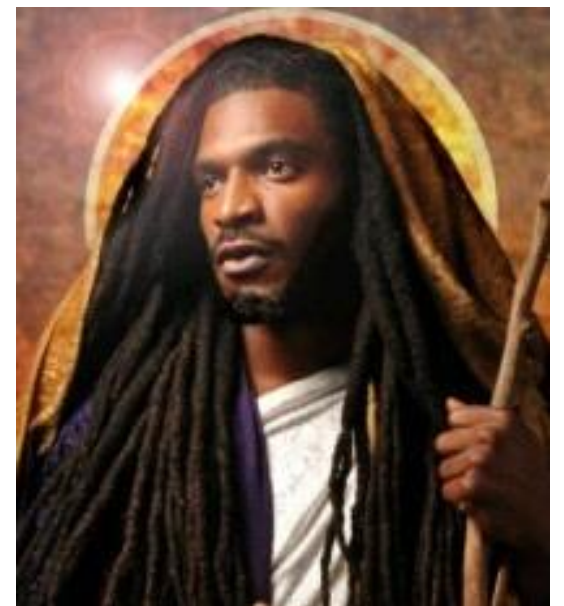
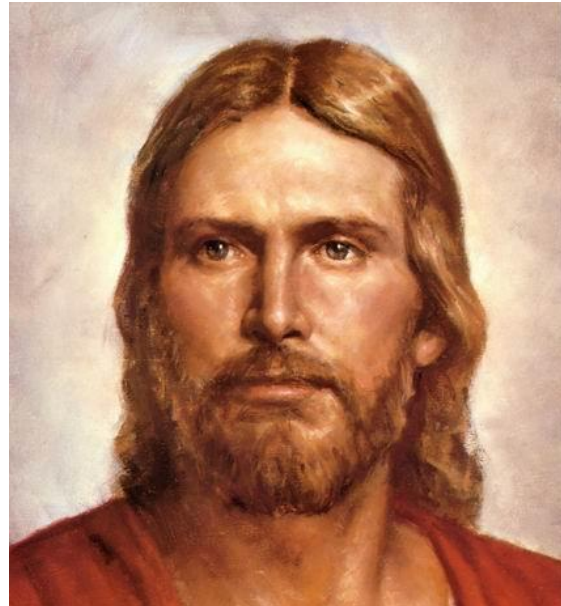
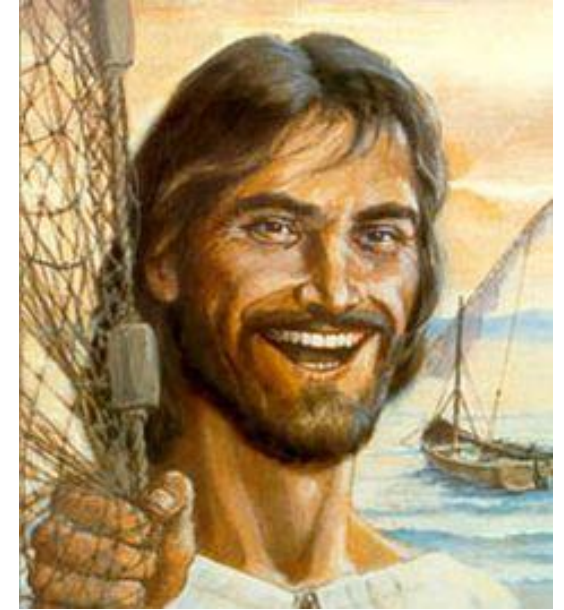
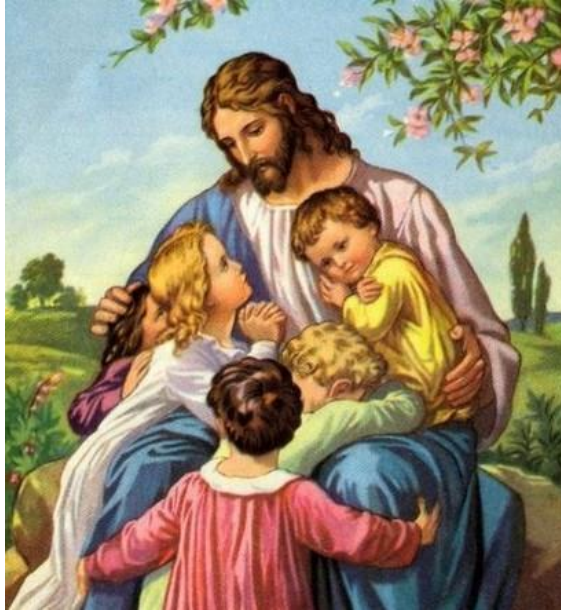


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## Who do the gospel writers think Jesus is?



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## The Prologue – starting the story



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- Genealogy
- Birth Narratives
- John the Baptist
  - Jesus' baptism
- Temptations
- Calls initial disciples
- Starts ministry

### Mark

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- Temptations
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### Luke

- Introduction
- Birth Narratives  
(inc: John the Baptist)
- Boy Jesus at temple
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## the identity of Jesus



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<sup>42</sup> When he was twelve years old, they went up to the festival, according to the custom. <sup>43</sup> After the festival was over, while his parents were returning home, the boy Jesus stayed behind in Jerusalem, but they were unaware of it. <sup>44</sup> Thinking he was in their company, they travelled on for a day. Then they began looking for him among their relatives and friends. <sup>45</sup> When they did not find him, they went back to Jerusalem to look for him.



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<sup>46</sup> After three days they found him in the temple courts, sitting among the teachers, listening to them and asking them questions. <sup>47</sup> Everyone who heard him was amazed at his understanding and his answers. <sup>48</sup> When his parents saw him, they were astonished. His mother said to him, 'Son, why have you treated us like this? Your father and I have been anxiously searching for you.'

<sup>49</sup> 'Why were you searching for me?' he asked. 'Didn't you know I had to be in my Father's house?' <sup>50</sup> But they did not understand what he was saying to them.





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## Jesus at the temple



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<sup>21</sup> When all the people were being baptised, Jesus was baptised too. And as he was praying, heaven was opened <sup>22</sup> and the Holy Spirit descended on him in bodily form like a dove. And a voice came from heaven: 'You are my Son, whom I love; with you I am well pleased.'

<sup>23</sup> Now Jesus himself was about thirty years old when he began his ministry. He was the son, so it was thought, of Joseph





Pietro Perugino – 1482 - Sistine Chapel





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## Jesus' baptism – Jesus' identity



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- **Approval**



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# The story of Jesus in the Gospels

## Jesus' baptism – Jesus' identity

- Approval
- **Affirmation**



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