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"And the Word (who was God) was made flesh, and dwelt among us; and we beheld His glory, the glory as of the Only Begotten of the Father, Full of Grace and Truth. John (the baptist) bore witness of Him (Jesus), and cried-out, saying, 'This was Him of whom I spoke. He (Jesus) who comes after me is before me (in importance, preference, etc.); for He existed before Me. And of His fulness we have all received, and grace for grace. For the law was given by Moses, but Grace and Truth came through Jesus Christ. No man has seen God at any time; the Only Begotten Son Who Is In The Bosom of the Father, He (Jesus) has revealed (Him - the Father)." (John 1:14-18)

Is In: from the Greek words <u>on eis</u> which mean: <u>being in</u>, or <u>is in</u>, or <u>existing in</u>; in the sense of eternally existing in Oneness within the 'Bosom' of the Father!

The Bosom: from the Greek words *kon kolpon (kolpos)* which mean: the <u>bosom</u>; properly, the upper part of the chest: the position synonymous with intimacy and union. In context: Jesus exists in the closest and most intimate "<u>oneness</u>' relationship possible with the Father: in the sense of existing in the very 'heart' of God the Father!

Of-the Father: from the Greek words *tou Patros* which means: <u>of-the Father</u>; speaking of Yahweh, the God of all Creation.

He: from the Greek word **ekeinos** which means: <u>He</u>; speaking of **Jesus!**

Has Revealed (Him): from the Greek word <u>exegesato</u> a verb which means: <u>has-made-known</u>; <u>has-revealed</u>, <u>has-declared</u>, <u>has-explained</u>; both by teachings, and often by other means and works: signs, wonders, and miracles, etc.. (from **exegeomai**: to show the way, to reveal, to explain, to relate) (from **ek** and **hegeomai**); **ek**: from out, out from among, from, <u>suggesting from the interior outwards</u>; **hegeomai**: to <u>lead</u> and or show the way - in the sense of, or concerning something of primary importance. In context: from His positional existence - in the bosom of the Father - Jesus alone, is able to <u>fully make known</u>, reveal, and declare unto people God the Father: His will, His nature, His love, His mercy, His compassion, His ..., ..., etc. !!

The 'Bosom-Oneness' of the Father and Son is a central attribute of their Unity, along with the Holy Spirit. This 'Bosom-Oneness-Unity' was often proclaimed by Jesus Himself. Please consider the following:

"Then came the Jews around about Him (Jesus), and said unto Him, 'How long do You make us to doubt? If You are the Christ, tell us plainly.' Jesus answered them, 'I told you, and you did not believed. The works that I do in My Father's Name, they bear witness of Me. But you do not believe, because you are not of My sheep, as I said unto you. My sheep hear My voice, and I know them, and they follow Me; and I give unto them Eternal Life; and they shall never perish, nor shall any man pluck them out of My hand. My Father, who gave them to Me, is greater than all; and no man is able to pluck them out of My Father's hand. I and My Father are One.!!" (John 10:22-30)

"Do you say of Him (Jesus, speaking of Himself), whom the <u>Father has Sanctified</u>, and sent into the world, 'You blaspheme;' because I said, 'I am the <u>Son of God</u>?' If I do not the works of My Father, do not believe Me. But if I do, though you believe Me not, <u>believe the works</u>; so that <u>you may know, and believe, that the Father is in Me, and I in Him</u>. Therefore they sought again to take Him; but He escaped out of their hands." (John 10:36-39)

"Yet in a little while, and the world will see Me no more; but you see Me; and because I live, you shall live also. In that day you shall know that <u>I am in My Father</u>, and you in Me, and I in you." (<u>John 14:19-20</u>)

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This was a difficult attribute for even His closest disciples to understand; please consider the following discourse of Jesus:

"Jesus said unto him, 'I am the Way, the Truth, and the Life; no man comes unto the Father, but through Me. If you had known Me, you would have known My Father also; and from henceforth you know Him, and have seen Him.' But Philip said unto Him, 'Lord, show us the Father, and it is enough for us.' Jesus said unto him, 'Have I been so long time with you, and yet you have not known Me Philip? He who has seen Me has seen the Father; and how do you then say, 'Show us the Father?' Do you not Believe that I am in the Father, and the Father is in Me? The words that I speak unto you I speak not of Myself; but the Father who dwells in Me, He does the works (miracles, etc...). Believe Me that I am in the Father, and the Father is in Me; or else believe Me for the very works' sake." (John 14:6-11)

As mentioned above, Jesus, in His positional existence - in the bosom of the Father - Jesus <u>alone</u>, is able <u>to fully make known</u>, <u>reveal</u>, and <u>declare</u> unto people 'God the Father' - His will, His nature, His love, His mercy, His compassion, etc.!! Please consider the following:

"All things have been delivered unto Me by My Father; and no man knows the Son, but the Father; nor does any man know the Father, except the Son, and if, to-whom the Son will reveal (Him)." (Matthew 11:27) (Luke 10:22)

Jesus declared and revealed the Father to the people though His comments, teachings, healings, and miracles; which also made evident His 'bosom-oneness' with God the Father. Please consider the following:

"And, behold, they brought to Him (to Jesus) a paralyzed man, lying on a bed; and Jesus seeing their faith said unto the one paralyzed; 'Son, be of good cheer; <u>your sins are forgiven you</u>.' And, behold, certain of the scribes said within themselves, 'This man blasphemes.' And Jesus knowing their thoughts said, for what reason do you think evil in your hearts? For what is easier, to say, 'Your sins be forgiven you;' or to say, 'Arise, and walk?' But so that you may know that <u>the Son of Man has power on earth to forgive sins</u>, then He said to the one paralyzed, 'Arise, take up your bed, and go unto your house.' And he arose, and departed to his house. But when the multitudes saw it, <u>they marveled</u>, and glori fied **God (the Father)**, **who** had given such power unto men (i.e. unto Jesus)." (Matthew 9:2-8)

"But Jesus answered them, 'My Father works until now, and I work.' Therefore the Jews sought the more to kill Him, because He not only had broken the sabbath (in their wrong opinion), but said also that **God was His Father**, making **Himself** equal with God. Then Jesus answered and said unto them, 'Truly, truly, I say unto you, the Son can do nothing of Himself, but what **He** sees **the Father** do; for whatever things **He** does, these also **the Son** does likewise. For the Father loves the Son, and shows Him all things that He does; and **He** will show **Him** greater works than these, that you may marvel. For **as the Father raises** up the dead, and makes them alive; even so the Son makes-alive whom He will. For the Father judges no man, but has committed all judgment unto the Son; so that all men should honor the Son, even as they honor the Father. He who does not honor the Son does not honor the Father who has sent Him. Truly, truly, I say unto you, he who hears My word, and believes on Him (the Father) who sent Me, has Everlasting Life, and shall not come into condemnation; but has passed from death unto life. Truly, truly, I say unto you, the hour is coming, and now is, when the dead shall hear the voice of the Son of God; and those who hear shall live. For as the Father has Life in Himself; so He has given to the Son to have Life in Himself; And has given Him authority to execute judgment also, because He is the Son of Man. (John 5:17-26)

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And again, just a few revealings about the Father, of many, from the teachings of Jesus:

"But you, when you pray, enter into your closet, and when you have shut your door, pray to your Father who is in secret; and your Father who sees in secret shall reward you openly." (Matthew 6:6)

"For if you forgive men their trespasses, your heavenly Father will also forgive you" (Matt.6:14)

"Then Jesus said unto them, 'Truly, truly, I say unto you, Moses did not give you that bread from heaven; but My Father gave you the True Bread from Heaven. For the Bread of God is He (Jesus) who comes down from Heaven, and gives Life unto the world.' Then said they unto Him, 'Lord, forevermore give us this Bread.' And Jesus said unto them, "I am the Bread of Life; he who comes to Me shall never hunger; and he who believes on Me shall never thirst." (John 6:32-35)

"In that hour Jesus rejoiced in spirit, and said, 'I thank You, **O Father**, <u>Lord of heaven and earth</u>, that You have hid these things from the wise and prudent, and **has <u>revealed</u>** them unto babes: even so, Father; for so <u>it seemed good in Your sight</u>." (<u>Luke 10:21</u>) (<u>Matthew 11:25</u>)

"Take heed that you do not despise one of these little ones; for I say unto you, in Heaven their angels do always behold the face of **My Father** who is in Heaven. ... it is not the will of **your Father** who is in Heaven, that one of these little ones (children) should perish." (Matt. 18:10, 14)

"And again I (Jesus) say unto you, 'It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle, than for a rich man to enter into the Kingdom of God.' When His disciples heard it, they were exceedingly amazed, saying, 'Who then can be saved?' But Jesus looked at them, and said unto them, 'With men this is impossible; but with God all things are possible.' " (Matt. 19:24-26)

Finally, please consider this prayer of Jesus:

"I have manifested (revealed) Your Name unto the men whom You gave Me out of the world; Yours they were, and You gave them to Me; and they have kept Your word. Now they have known that all things whatever You have given to Me are of You. For I have given unto them the words which You gave Me; and they have received them, and have surely known that I came out from You, and they have believed that You did send Me. ... O Righteous Father, the world has not known You; but I have known You, and these have known that You have sent Me. And I have declared (revealed) unto them Your Name, and will declare (reveal) it; so that the love with which You have loved Me may be in them, and I in them." (John 17:5-8; 25-26)

Jesus abides In The Bosom of the Father and Has Revealed Him to Us

The Father abides in Jesus, and Jesus abides in the Father !!

Christ Jesus and the Father are One!

The Father has Life in Himself; and has given to the Son Jesus to have Life in Himself!

His perfect Oneness with the Father enables Jesus to reveal the Father like no other!

In all that Jesus did and spoke He revealed the Father!

Jesus revealed the Father's Love, Mercy, Compassion, Forgiveness, Salvation, Power, and so much more!!!

For <u>God so loved the world</u>, that He gave His only begotten Son Jesus, so that whoever believes in Jesus should not perish, but have Everlasting Life. For God did not send Jesus into the world to condemn the world; but that the world <u>through Jesus</u> might be saved. !!

All Praise and Glory and Honor and Thanksgiving be to the Father & Son !!!

Forever and Ever, Amen and Amen !!!