

# PENINSULA CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

## *The Word IS \_\_\_\_\_* *John 1:1-18*

### **John 1:1-18**

John didn't wait for the end of the story to give a surprise ending or a big reveal; John kicks the door wide open... You cannot miss who this Jesus is!

#### The Word IS ETERNAL

- V. 1-3 **In the beginning the Word already existed & He existed in the beginning** with God
- In the beginning. The beginning of what? Of everything!
- **Genesis 1** (Same language)
- The Word was there before matter and before time
- **Revelation 19:11-16**

#### The Word IS GOD

- V. 1 Word was **with God & Word was God**
- **1 John 5:20**
- The Word is the essence of who God is. It is who He is and at the same time uniquely with God

#### The Word IS CREATOR & SUSTAINER

- V. 2-3 **created everything & nothing was created except through Him**
- **Psalms 33:6-9**
- Creator of **everything** that was created. **Nothing** was created **without Him**.
- He was not created, He existed already
- Creator of Life itself

- He holds everything together
- As creator and sustainer of life one can only conclude that remaining in Him results in life, and likewise separation from Him results in lack of life... Death

#### The Word IS JESUS

- V. 14 So the Word became human (flesh)
- **Isaiah 40:5**
- **Colossians 1:15-23**
- **Hebrews 1:1-4**
- In all this He adopts us, He calls us His children

This Word this Jesus who made the stars & galaxies, who made the highest mountains, made you!

This Jesus who made the beauty of a hike into the woods with all the huge trees, beautiful melodies from birds, stepped out of heaven to show you His unfailing love.

Before time began, Jesus, the eternal Word of God, was. Through Him, all things were created, and by Him all things continue to exist. He is neither a created being nor separate from God, but is fully God and fully man, one with the Father and the Holy Spirit. He is the source of life, the Light that overcomes the darkness, and the living embodiment of God's truth, grace, and unfailing love. Here comes the Eternal Jesus!