

55 Word Gospel Examples

Grace is good news, none deserve it. Created in God's image, we chose ourselves, not him. God's mercy reached its climax when Jesus lived on earth, was executed, resurrected. In obedience to his leadership alone, we receive forgiveness and restoration from brokenness and corruption. Christ's resurrection brings freedom and healing, here on earth and beyond.

Good news of great joy! The refugee girl holds the hope of nations in her arms. Displaced and disgraced, like mother like son, he adapted himself to our wounds. Life's source drained death's bitter cup dry. When he emerged from the earth's rocky womb, a new people was born, a new world conceived. Jesus > death.

The Spirit molded earth and peoples, longing for people to know Her. People were fragmented from themselves, the land, and the Spirit. So the Spirit put on flesh to walk amongst people. The earthly life and death of the divine Spirit gave all peoples the path towards wholeness with the Spirit, the giver of life.

Life, God's gift, is beautiful. God lovingly created humans. Humans rejected God, invited evil. God didn't disengage, but became human. Jesus of Nazareth, God Incarnate, was executed; the extent of evil thrust upon him. This couldn't hold Jesus from life, and once resurrected, Jesus proved the power of the Triune God over death, evil.

We were made for God's kingdom, somehow called to be a part of creating that kingdom. Broken by our own pride, God sent his son to bring about that kingdom, and redefine His people. By Him we live as people of that kingdom; by the power of the Triune God, we love as He loves.

A Perfect World marred by deceived, ragamuffin people
disease, demise, disaster
God-with-us, setting things to rights
driven by love
Crossing death
a rescuer, a restorer came
inviting all to a community of beauty, peace, hope
be reconciled
be clean
be Free
a gift, to us, Christ's beloved
Welcome!
no fear
no shame
Peace.
Forever.

God breathed life into his human creation.
He deemed us as good.
Dominion was granted.
Relationships were whole.
Things were as intended.

Then came the fall.
Mistrust and pride.
Sin and death.
Alienation followed.

To make right what had been broken, God sent his Son to die.
Jesus conquered death in victory.
He now reigns.