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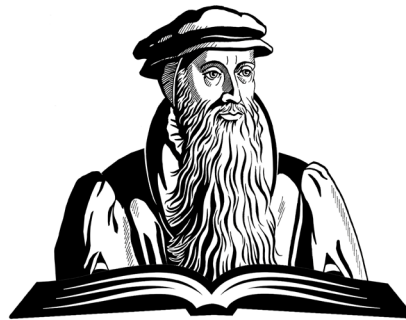
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**Jesus Christ, the Redeemer  
of God's Elect**

*Catechism Question 21*



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## YOUTH STUDY GUIDE

for Lecture #15

## Jesus Christ, the Redeemer of God's Elect

### Memorization

**Question 21;** *Who is the Redeemer of God's elect?*

**Answer:** *The only Redeemer of God's elect is the Lord Jesus Christ, who, being the eternal Son of God, became man, and so was, and continueth to be, God and man in two distinct natures, and one person, for ever.*

### Lecture Structure

1. Introduction: thinking about our Redeemer.
2. Our Redeemer's Identity.
3. Our Redeemer's divinity.
4. Our Redeemer's humanity.
5. Our Redeemer's person.
6. Applications.

### Basic Questions About Questions 21

1. What does the word "redeemer" mean in this lecture?

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2. Paraphrase the answer to Question #21, or put it into your own words.

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**Bible Study Questions**

*(Look up the Scripture texts, read them, then write them out in the space provided.)*

1. *Only Jesus Christ is the Redeemer.*

John 14:6 \_\_\_\_\_

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Acts 4:12 \_\_\_\_\_

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1 Timothy 2:5 \_\_\_\_\_

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2. *Christ is eternally the Son of God.*

John 1:1–4 \_\_\_\_\_

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Titus 2:13 \_\_\_\_\_

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3. *The eternal Son became man.*

John 1:14 \_\_\_\_\_

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Hebrews 2:14–17 \_\_\_\_\_

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*Lecture Checkup*

1. How does the Bible clearly state that only Jesus Christ is the Redeemer? Why is Jesus the only Redeemer of God's elect?

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2. What does the word "mediator" refer to?

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3. What does the word "divinity" refer to? What do the words, "the eternal Son of God" refer to?

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4. Who is it that is called "the Word" in John chapter 1? Describe how he is distinct from the Father as a person? Describe how he is one with the Father.

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5. How does the Bible show us that Jesus took to himself a true human nature. What does this human nature consist of?

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6. Why was it necessary for the Son of God to become a man?

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7. What is the thing that is hard to understand about the nature and person of Christ?

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8. What does the Bible tell us about Jesus being only one person?

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9. How does the Bible show us that Jesus has two distinct natures?

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10. At the end of the world, at the resurrection, will the Lord Jesus Christ cease to be fully man?

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**Practical Application**

1. Read Hebrews chapter 1, and meditate on the verses. Then ask yourself what the Father says about the Son? What did the Son do with the earth and heavens? What do the angels do to the Son? What does this passage of Scripture tell us about the Sonship of Christ?

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2. As we begin to understand that the Lord Jesus Christ is our only Savior, what should we do? This is a great truth, and worthy of our mediation, and He is worthy of our worship.

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