

# **Sermon Discussion Questions for Sunday, December 27, 2015**

## **"Cradle, Cross, and Crown: Seeing Jesus in all His Glory"**

### **"The Glory of Christ's Resurrection"**

#### **Hebrews 1:1-4**

1. Read Hebrews chapters 9-10 and Colossians chapter 1.
2. Review the 5 Glorious Results of Jesus' Death from 12/20:
  - Our Salvation...founder
  - Our Sanctifier...perfector
  - Our Sibling...brother
  - Our Substitute...atoner
  - Our Sympathizer...helper
3. Discuss: CRADLE. CROSS. CROWN. Life, Death, Resurrection, and Exaltation. The glory of Christ's resurrection is seen in His exalted position as God, His substitutionary work as Savior, and His reign forever as sovereign King.
4. Discuss: Jesus reigns as King forever so we must worship Him now. HE IS Risen. Reigning. Returning. Emmanuel, God with us. Shed His blood on the cross to save us from our sins. Only Savior. Sovereign Lord. Worship Him. God has spoken...aorist tense indicates He is finished speaking. No more new revelation.
5. YOU WANT TO GET CHRISTMAS, NEW YEARS, AND LIFE RIGHT? Worship Jesus now. How can we?
  - A. Seek Jesus with His people regularly.
  - B. Find your joy in Jesus as you journey to Him.
  - C. Offer everything to Jesus who mercifully gave everything to you.

#### **How else can we worship Jesus now?**

6. Read and discuss Albert Mohler's article: "Do Christians and Muslims Worship the Same God?" (Find it at [albertmohler.com](http://albertmohler.com)).
7. Pray together utilizing the P-R-A-Y acrostic.
  - Praise God. Acknowledge His character.
  - Remember the Gospel. Recount Gospel truth.
  - Admit your need. Declare your dependence.
  - Yield to God. Commit everything to His sovereign good pleasure.