

# The Following slides....

- This is a list of Historical and Book of Mormon scriptures teaching that God is Jesus, Jesus is God, God took on flesh and walked the Earth.
- Jesus and Satan are NOT Brothers.
- Includes discrepancy of how grove experience was told vs what JS2 wrote in his diary. These words, by the way, were hidden in LDS Historian safe for a generation.
- This list is not exhaustive, but comprehensive.

# Who Did this to us??

The Book of Mormon editions after the first publication (March 1830) were modified.

These changes began changing the understanding that God is Jesus.

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	<u>Original Version 1830 (RCE)</u>	<u>1837 and Subsequent Versions (1908)</u>
<b>1 Nephi 3:58</b>	And he said unto me Behold the virgin which thou seest is the <b>mother of God</b> after the manner of the flesh	And he said unto me Behold the virgin whom thou seest is <b>the mother of <u>the Son of God</u></b> after the manner of the flesh
<b>1 Nephi 3:62</b>	And the angel said unto me Behold the Lamb of God yea <b>even the Eternal Father</b>	And the angel said unto me Behold the Lamb of God yea <b>even <u>the Son of the Eternal Father</u></b>
<b>1 Nephi 3:86</b>	And it came to pass that the angel spake unto me again saying Look And I looked and beheld the Lamb of God that He was taken by the people <b>Yea the Everlasting God was judged of the world</b> And I saw and bear record	And it came to pass that the angel spake unto me again saying Look And I looked and beheld the Lamb of God that he was taken by the people <b>yea <u>the Son of the everlasting God was judged of the world</u></b> and I saw and bear record
<b>1 Nephi 3:193</b>	And shall make known to all kindreds tongues and people that <b>the Lamb of God is the Eternal Father</b> and the Savior of the world And that all men must come unto Him or they cannot ^ be saved	And shall make known to all kindreds tongues and people that <b>the Lamb of God is <u>the son of the Eternal</u></b> Father and the Savior of the world and that all men must come unto him or they can not be saved

# Who Did this to us??

The Joseph Smith grove experience story was changed.  
The original story included just one personage.  
Subsequent stories included two personages.

The first story, written in Joseph's own diary by his own pen, exactly follows the brother of Jared's experience in the Book of Mormon.

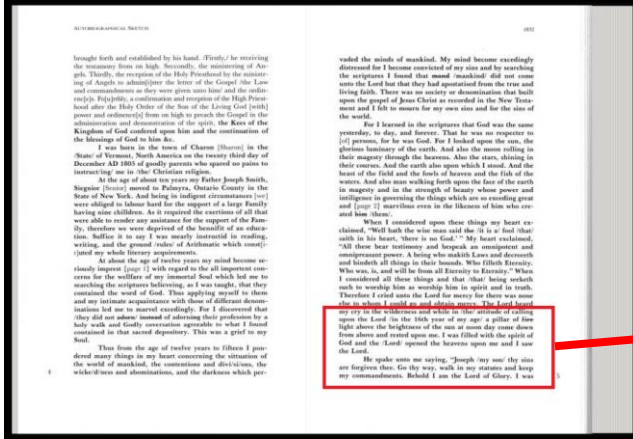
The brother of Jared's experience was not 'published' until after Jesus manifested himself in the flesh, although this is the lesson taught by all the Book of Mormon writers.

## What is the Problem Here?

Apparently it didn't happen this way.  
Yet, we write of it,  
we sing of it,  
We teach our children of two  
personages, but Joseph Smith's diary  
account names **ONLY ONE**.



# Joseph Smiths Diary (First Account)

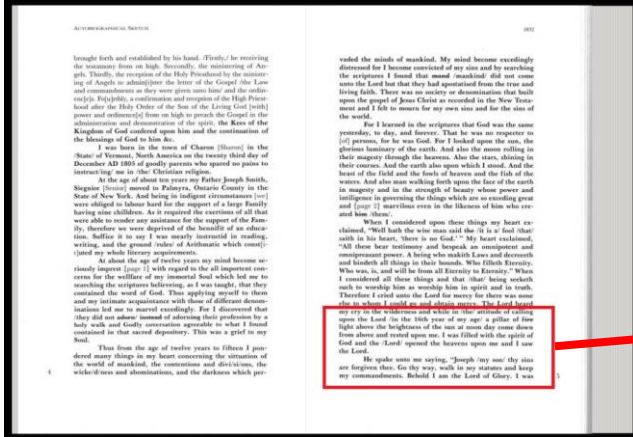


Therefore I cried unto the Lord for mercy for there was none else to whom I could go and obtain mercy. The Lord heard my cry in the wilderness and while in /the/ attitude of calling upon the Lord /in the 16th year of my age/ a pillar of fire light above the brightness of the sun at noon day come down from above and rested upon me. I was filled with the spirit of God and the /Lord/ opened the heavens upon me and I saw the Lord.

He spake unto me saying, "Joseph /my son/ thy sins are forgiven thee. Go thy way, walk in my statutes and keep my commandments. Behold I am the Lord of Glory. I was

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crucified for the world that all those who believe on my name may have Eternal life. /Behold/ the world lieth in sin at this time and none doeth good, no not one. They have turned aside from the gospel and keep not /my/ commandments. They draw near to me with their lips while their hearts are far from me and mine anger is kindling against the inhabitants of the earth to visit them according to th/e/ir ungodliness and to bring to pass that which /hath/ been spoken by the mouth of the prophets and Ap/o/stles. Behold and lo, I come quickly as it [is] written of me, in the cloud /clothed/ in the glory of my Father."

# The accusation against Abinadi

...Abinadi was murdered for teaching that God Himself would take on flesh.



# Mosiah 9

10 And he said unto him: Abinadi, we have found an accusation against thee and thou art worthy of death,

11 For thou hast said that God Himself should come down among the children of men;

# What did other Book of Mormon writers say?

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They all taught that God Himself would come to earth

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## 2 Nephi 1:23

Behold I say,  
if the day shall come that they will reject  
**the Holy One of Israel,**  
**the true Messiah,**  
**their Redeemer and their God,**  
Behold, the judgments of Him that is just  
shall rest upon them –

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**1 Nephi 3:62** And the angel said unto me:  
**"Behold the Lamb of God, yea, even  
the Eternal Father!**

**(1908 VS RCE)**

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## 1 Nephi 5:240

Yea, the God of Abraham and of Isaac  
and the God of Jacob

yieldeth Himself according to the words of the **angel**,  
as a man into the hands of wicked men,

2 Nephi 5:25-26 ..And after that He should manifest Himself, they should scourge Him and crucify Him, according to the words of the **angel** which spake it unto me; And after that they have hardened their hearts and stiffened their necks against the Holy One of Israel, Behold, the judgments of the Holy One of Israel shall come upon them.

# Changes from Original Book of Mormon

## Reference

## 1908 Verses

## RCE Verses

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And it came to pass that the angel spake unto me again, saying, Look! And I looked and beheld the Lamb of God, that he was taken by the people; yea, the Son of the everlasting God was judged of the world; and I saw and bear record.

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## 2 Nephi 7:12

But behold, thus saith the Lord God:

**"When the day cometh that they shall believe in Me, that I Am Christ, Then have I covenanted with their fathers that they shall be restored in the flesh upon the earth unto the lands of their inheritance.**



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## 2 Nephi 11:55

And now behold,  
I say unto you that the right way  
is to believe in Christ and deny Him not.  
**And Christ is the Holy One of Israel.**

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2 Nephi 11:78 And as I spake concerning the convincing of the Jews **that Jesus is the very Christ,** It must needs be that the Gentiles be convinced **also that Jesus is the Christ, the Eternal God.** And that He manifesteth Himself unto all they that believe in Him by the power of the Holy Ghost,

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## 2 Nephi 13:32

**And now behold this is the doctrine of Christ.**

And the only and true  
**doctrine of the Father**  
**and of the Son**  
**and of the Holy Ghost**  
**which is one God without end.** Amen.

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## 2 Nephi 5:22-26

For behold, the Lord hath shown me that they which were at Jerusalem from whence we came have been slain and carried away captive; Nevertheless, the Lord hath shown unto me that they should return again.

And He also hath shown unto me that

**the Lord God, the Holy One of Israel,**  
**should manifest Himself unto them in the flesh;**

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## **2 Nephi 6:43-47**

**O the greatness of the mercy of our God, the Holy One of Israel.**

For He delivereth His saints from that awful monster the devil and death and hell,  
And that lake of fire and brimstone, which is endless torment.

**O how great the holiness of our God!**

For He knoweth all things and there is not anything save He knows it;  
And **He cometh into the world** that He may save all men,  
if they will hearken unto His voice.

For behold, **He suffereth the pains of all men.**

Yea, the pains of every living creature both men and women and children  
which belong to the family of Adam;

And **He suffereth this that** the resurrection might pass upon all men.  
That all might stand before Him at the great and judgment day.

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Omni 1:46 And now my beloved brethren,  
I would that ye should  
come unto Christ,  
which is the Holy One of Israel,  
and partake of His salvation  
and the power of His redemption.

47 Yea, come unto Him, and offer your whole  
souls as an offering unto Him  
And continue in fasting and praying,  
and endure to the end;  
**And as the Lord liveth, ye will be saved.**

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**Mosiah 1:93** For behold,  
I have things to tell you concerning that which is to come;  
And the things which I shall tell you **are made known unto me  
by an angel from God...**

**Mosiah 1:97** 'For behold the time cometh and is not far distant,  
that **with power the Lord Omnipotent who reigneth,**  
**which was and is from all eternity to all eternity,**  
**Shall come down from heaven among the children of men,**  
**And shall dwell in a tabernacle of clay.**

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Mosiah 1:116 'And moreover, I say unto you that there shall be no other name given, nor no other way nor means whereby salvation can come unto the children of men.

**Only in and through the name of Christ, the Lord Omnipotent.**



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## **Mosiah 3:21**

Therefore, I would that ye should be steadfast and immovable, always abounding in good works.

**That Christ, the Lord God Omnipotent, may seal you His.**

That you may be brought to heaven.

**That ye may have everlasting salvation and eternal life through the wisdom and power and justice and mercy of Him who created all things in heaven and in earth, who is God above all. Amen."**

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**Mosiah 5:44** And because he saith unto them that **Christ was the God, the Father of all things,**  
And saith that

**He should take upon Him the image of man,**  
**And it should be the image after which**  
**man was created in the beginning.**

**Or in other words, he said that**  
**man was created after the image of God.**

**And that God should come down among the**  
**children of men and take upon Him flesh and blood,**  
**and go forth upon the face of the earth;**

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**Mosiah 8:5** And moreover, I say unto you that salvation doth not come by the law alone;  
And were it not for the atonement **which God Himself shall make for the sins and iniquities of His people,** that they must unavoidably perish, notwithstanding the law of Moses.

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## **Mosiah 8:13**

Have they not said that

**God Himself should come down**

**among the children of men**

**and take upon Him the form of man**

and go forth in mighty power upon the face  
of the earth?

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## **Mosiah 8:28**

And now Abinadi saith unto them:

I would that **ye should understand that**

**God Himself shall come down among the  
children of men**

and shall redeem His people;

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## **Mosiah 11:131-132**

**For it is I that taketh upon Me the sins of the world;  
For it is I that hath created them.**

**And it is I that granteth unto him that believeth in  
the end, a place at My right hand;**

For behold, in My name are they called.

**And if they know Me, they shall come forth and  
shall have a place eternally at My right hand.**

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**Alma 8:81** Now Zeezrom saith:

**"Is there more than one God?"**

82 And he answered: "**No.**"

...

93 Now Zeezrom saith again unto him

**Is the Son of God the Very Eternal Father?**

94 And Amulek saith unto him

**Yea, He is the Very Eternal Father of heaven  
and of earth and all things which in them is;**

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## Alma 8:104

And shall be brought and be arraigned before  
the bar of

**Christ the Son and  
God the Father and  
the Holy Spirit which is one Eternal God.**

To be judged according to their works,  
whether they be good,  
or whether they be evil.



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**Alma 19:97** And now the plan of mercy could not be brought about, except an atonement should be made;

**Therefore, God Himself atoneth for the sins of the world**

**to bring about the plan of mercy to appease the demands of justice,**  
that God might be a perfect just God.  
And a merciful God also.

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## **Helaman 3:59-60**

Nephi also testified of these things, and also **almost all of our fathers**, even down to this time; Yea, they have **testified of the coming of Christ**. And have looked forward and have rejoiced in His day which is to come.

**And behold He is God and He is with them.**

And He did manifest Himself unto them, that they were redeemed by Him; And they gave unto Him glory because of that which is to come.

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## **Helaman 5:66**

And also that ye might know of  
the coming of

**Jesus Christ the Son of God,**  
**the Father of heaven and of earth,**  
**the Creator of all things from the beginning.**

And that ye might know of the signs of His coming,  
to the intent that ye might believe on His name.

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## 3 Nephi 4:44,45,48

44 **Behold, I Am Jesus Christ the Son of God.**  
**I created the heavens and the earth**  
and all things that in them is.

**I was with the Father from the beginning.**  
**I Am in the Father and the Father in Me.**

And in Me hath the Father glorified His name...  
I Am the light and the life of the world;

**I Am Alpha and Omega, the beginning and the end.**

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## **3 Nephi 1:12-14**

And it came to pass that he cried mightily unto the Lord all that day;  
And behold, the voice of the Lord came unto him, saying  
Lift up your head and be of good cheer, for behold, the time is at hand;  
And on this night shall the sign be given.

**And on the morrow come I into the world** to show unto the world that I  
will fulfill all that I have caused to be spoken by the mouth of My holy  
prophets.

Behold, I come unto My own to fulfill all things which I have made known  
unto the children of men from the foundation of the world,  
**And to do the will both of the Father and of the Son –**  
of the Father because of Me,  
and of the Son because of My flesh.

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## Ether 1:77-78

**Behold, I Am He which was prepared from the foundation of the world to redeem My people.**

**Behold, I Am Jesus Christ.**

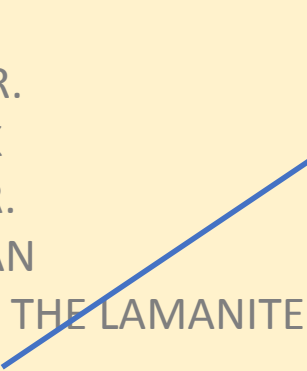
**I Am the Father and the Son;**

In Me shall all mankind have life and that eternally,  
even they which shall believe on My name.

And they shall become My sons and My daughters;

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## **Ether 1:101**

And in that day that they shall exercise faith in Me,  
**saith the Lord,**  
even as the brother of Jared did,  
that they may become sanctified in Me,  
Then will I manifest unto them the things which the brother  
of Jared saw.

Even to the unfolding unto them all My revelations,  
**saith Jesus Christ,**  
**the Son of God,**  
**the Father of the heavens and of the earth**  
**and all things that in them is.**

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## Ether 1:107-108

And I Am the same that leadeth men to all good.

He that will not believe My words  
will not believe Me that I Am.

And he that **will not believe Me**  
**will not believe the Father which sent Me;**  
For behold, I Am the Father.

**I Am the light  
and the life  
and the truth of the world.**



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## Mormon 1:88

And also that the Jews,  
the covenant people of the Lord,  
shall have other witness  
besides that which they saw and heard,  
**that Jesus whom they slew  
was the very Christ  
and the very God;**

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## (The Content of) Ether 1

Behold, I Am He which was prepared from the foundation of the world to redeem My people.

**Behold, I Am Jesus Christ.**

**I Am the Father and the Son.**

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## Ether 1:82-83

...Therefore, it sufficeth me to say that

**Jesus showed Himself unto this man in the Spirit.**

Even after the manner and in the likeness of the same body.

**Even as He showed Himself unto the Nephites.**

And He ministered unto him,

even as He ministered unto the Nephites.

And all this that this man knew that He was God, because of  
the many great works which the Lord had showed unto him;

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## Title Page 1:7

And also to the convincing of the Jew and Gentile  
that Jesus is the Christ the Eternal God,  
manifesting Himself unto all nations.

## 3 Nephi 1

11 And it came to pass that he went out and bowed himself down upon the earth.

**And cried mightily to his God in behalf of his people.**

Yea, those which were about to be destroyed because of their faith in the tradition of their fathers.

## 3 Nephi 1

12 And it came to pass that he cried mightily unto the Lord all that day.

And behold, the voice of the Lord came unto him, saying:

Lift up your head and be of good cheer,  
for behold, the time is at hand;

And on this night shall the sign be given,

## 3 Nephi 1

13 And on the morrow come I into the world

to show unto the world that I will fulfill  
all that I have caused to be spoken  
by the mouth of My holy prophets.

14 Behold, I come unto My own to fulfill all things  
which I have made known unto the children of men  
from the foundation of the world,

And to do the will both of the Father and of the Son.

Of the Father because of Me.

And of the Son because of My flesh.

## 1 Nephi 3 (Vision)

192 And the angel spake unto me, saying: **These last records** which **thou hast seen among the Gentiles** shall establish the truth of the first, which are of the twelve apostles of the Lamb.

**And shall make known the plain and precious things** which have been taken away from them.

**193 And shall make known to all kindreds tongues and people, that the Lamb of God is the Eternal Father and the Savior of the world.**

**And that all men must come unto Him or they cannot be saved.**



## Knowing that God became the Savior...

- The understanding Is/Must Be revealed by The Power of the Holy Spirit

# Compare Luke 10

## King James

**Luke 10:22** All things are delivered to me of my Father:  
**and no man knoweth who the Son is, but the Father;  
and who the Father is,  
but the Son,  
and he to whom the Son will reveal him.**

## Inspired Version

**Luke 10:23** All things are delivered to me of my Father;  
**and no man knoweth that the Son is the Father,  
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## Matt. 16:14-18

And when Jesus came into the coasts of Caesarea Philippi, he asked his disciples, saying,

**Whom do men say that I, the Son of Man, am?**

And they said, Some say John the Baptist; some Elias; and others Jeremias; or one of the prophets.

He said unto them, **But whom say ye that I am?**

And Simon Peter answered and said,

**Thou art the Christ, the Son of the living God.**

And Jesus answered and said unto him,

Blessed art thou, Simon Bar-Jona;

**for flesh and blood hath not revealed this unto thee,**

**but my Father who is in heaven.**

## Matt. 16:19-21

And I say also unto thee, That thou art Peter;  
**and upon this rock I will build my church,**  
and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it.

And I will give unto thee the keys of the kingdom of heaven; and whatsoever thou shalt bind on earth, shall be bound in heaven; and whatsoever thou shalt loose on earth, shall be loosed in heaven.

**Then charged he his disciples that they should tell no man that he was Jesus, the Christ.**

## 2 Nephi 11:78

And as I spake concerning the convincing of  
the Jews

that Jesus is the very Christ,

It must needs be that the Gentiles be  
convinced also

that Jesus is the Christ the Eternal God.

**And that He manifesteth Himself unto all they  
that believe in Him by the power of the Holy  
Ghost,**

# A 'Most Important' Scripture?

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Likely the one that:

1. comforts you in time of need or
2. answers the question most pertinent to your mind.

# A 'Most Important' Scripture?

Moroni States (Ether 1):

## Ether 1:98

Behold, I have written upon these plates  
the very things which the brother of Jared saw.

**And there never was greater things made manifest than  
that which was made manifest unto the brother of Jared.**

Wherefore, the Lord hath commanded me to write them.

And I have written them.



# A 'Most Important' Scripture?

Jesus States (Ether 1):

## Ether 1:77

Behold, I Am He which was prepared from the foundation of the world to redeem My people.

Behold, I Am Jesus Christ.

I Am the Father and the Son.

# A 'Most Important' Scripture?

Jesus States (Ether 1):

## Ether 1:77

78 In Me shall all mankind have life and that eternally,  
even they which shall believe on My name.

And they shall become My sons and My daughters;

# A 'Most Important' Scripture?

Jesus States (Ether 1):

## Ether 1:79

79 And never hath I showed Myself unto man whom I have created,  
For never hath man believed in Me as thou hast.

# A 'Most Important' Scripture?

Jesus States (Ether 1):

## Ether 1:80

80 Seest thou that ye are created after Mine own image?

Yea, even all men were created in the beginning  
after Mine own image;

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# A 'Most Important' Scripture?

Jesus States (Ether 1):

## Ether 1:81

Behold, this body which ye now behold is the body of My Spirit.

**And man have I created after the body of My Spirit.**

And even as I appear unto thee to be **in the Spirit,**

**will I appear unto My people in the flesh."**

# A 'Most Important' Scripture?

Moroni States (Ether 1):

## Ether 1:82

And now as I, Moroni, said I could not make a full account of these things which are written.

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