

HE MUST INCREASE,
BUT I MUST DECREASE

(Part II)

John 3:30-35

I. Christ is from Above

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Psalm 10:4, 13:2, 19:7, 103:19

2 Chronicles 7:13-14

John 3:3

John 6:33, 50-51, 8:42, 13:3

John 1:6, 3:13

1 Corinthians 15:47

II. Therefore, Christ Gives Heavenly Testimony

John 3:11a

John 8:26, 40; 15:15

John 3:11b

1 Corinthians 2:14

2 Corinthians 4:4

III. Those Who Believe Christ Prove God is True

Genesis 3:15

Deuteronomy 18:17-19

Isaiah 9:1-2

Malachi 3:1

1 John 5:10

IV. Christ is Fully Empowered as God

Luke 1:15

John 1:6

John 5:19

Matthew 3:16-17

Isaiah 42:1, 61:1-2

Luke 4:1, 14, 17-19

Matthew 12:28

Acts 10:38

Hebrews 9:13-14

Romans 1:4

V. Christ is Lord of All

Matthew 11:27, 28:18

John 10:30

Closing Thought: Jesus Christ must increase because of who He is. John gives us Biblical Christology that Jesus is: from heaven, speaks the words of God, is the fulfillment of God's promises to save, is fully empowered as God, and is Lord of all. Jesus Christ is God; therefore, salvation that is found in Him must be the focal point of our lives. Is that true of your life?