

“Jesus: One with the Father”

John 10:22-42

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1. As the Son of God, Jesus shares the same power as the Father (22-28)

“My sheep hear My voice...I give eternal life to them, and they shall never perish; and no one shall snatch them out of My hand.”

2. As the Son of God Jesus shares the same nature as the Father (29-36)

“My Father, who has given them to Me, is greater than all; and no one is able to snatch them out of the Father’s hand. I and the Father are one....I am the Son of God”

3. As the Son of God, Jesus performs the very works of the Father (37-42)

*“ ‘believe the works, that you may know and understand that **the Father is in Me***, and I in the Father.’...And many believed in Him there.”*

**This is the historic doctrine of *perichoresis* = the eternal, mutual indwelling and interpenetration and simultaneous reciprocal consciousness among the three Persons of the Trinity; for further study see T. F. Torrance or Robert Letham on the Trinity.*