Biblical Authority —

“Christ’s Obedience to the Authority of God”

Use the following discussion questions in your Sunday school class, small group, or family devotions. Read the article “Christ’s Obedience to the Authority of God” on page 102 of Answers (Vol. 3 No. 1) before answering the questions.

1. Does the verse that Jesus “learned obedience” sound strange to you? Why? _______________
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2. Can you think of anything Jesus taught or said that was in opposition to God? _______________
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3. What event in Jesus’s childhood illustrates His desire to honor His Father? _______________
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4. How does Christ’s complete obedience evidence His own deity and humanity? _______________
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5. In John 9:1–6 Jesus said He healed a man to show what truth? _______________
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6. Read and discuss John 4:31–34 in light of the question, “How important was it for Jesus to obey His Father?” _______________
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7. What if Jesus had not been obedient? Read Galatians 1:3–5 to learn what His obedience made possible. (For this reason we should give thanks for Christ’s obedience.) _______________
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8. How does the creation account motivate me to obey my Lord? _______________
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