

Why Did God Send Jesus?

For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life. - John 3:16 NKJV

God loves you

- Love is the very essence of God's character
- God sees you through eyes of love
- God sent Jesus because of love
- When you believe, you receive God's love

We know how much God loves us, and we have put our trust in his love. God is love, and all who live in love live in God, and God lives in them.

- 1 John 4:16 NLT

God wants to participate in life with you

- Jesus came to experience life as you experience it

This High Priest of ours understands our weaknesses, for he faced all of the same testings we do, yet he did not sin. - Hebrews 4:15 NLT

- Jesus died on the cross so you can enter into relationship with God

For since our friendship with God was restored by the death of his Son while we were still his enemies, we will certainly be saved through the life of his Son.

- Romans 5:10 NLT

- When we believe, we experience friendship with God
- Jesus rose again and ascended to heaven so you can receive the Spirit of God

But in fact, it is best for you that I go away, because if I don't, the Advocate won't come. If I do go away, then I will send him to you.

- John 16:7 NLT

God has a great future planned for you

For I know the thoughts that I think toward you, says the LORD, thoughts of peace and not of evil, to give you a future and a hope. - Jeremiah 29:11 NKJV

- God wants you to have a great future in this life and the next
- When you believe, you enter in to God's plans for you

Believes = to have faith, to entrust (especially one's spiritual well-being to Christ), to commit, to put in trust with.