

"TYPES OF CHRIST"

Christ throughout the Scriptures "SAMSON WAS A TYPE OF CHRIST"

PRECIS:

Dear Reader, Christ is to be found throughout the scriptures.

"Samson was a type of Jesus, who for the love of a harlot (and we are no better), was willing to part with his own strength; to be bound up by his own nation ([Judges 15:10-11](#)); to be delivered up to his enemies; to be blindfolded; to be made sport with; and put to death; yet by his death (like Samson) destroyed his enemies."

SAMSON	CHRIST
<p>1. Loved a harlot Then went Samson to Gaza, and saw there an harlot, and went in unto her. Judges 16:1</p> <p>And it came to pass afterward, that he loved a woman in the valley of Sorek, whose name was Delilah. Judges 16:4</p>	<p>1. Loved a harlot "How is the faithful city become an harlot! it was full of judgment; righteousness lodged in it; but now murderers." (Isaiah 1:21)</p>
<p>2. To part with his own strength And Samson said, Let me die with the Philistines. And he bowed himself with all his might; and the house fell upon the lords, and upon all the people that were therein. So the dead which he slew at his death were more than they which he slew in his life. Judges 16:30</p>	<p>2. To part with his own strength "When Jesus therefore had received the vinegar, he said, It is finished: and he bowed his head, and gave up the ghost." (John 19:30)</p> <p>"But we see Jesus, who was made a little lower than the angels for the suffering of death, crowned with glory and honour; that he by the grace of God should taste death for every man." (Hebrews 2:</p>
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<p>"And the men of Judah said, Why are ye come up against us? And they answered, To bind Samson are we come up, to do to him as he hath done to us." (Judges 15:10)</p>	<p>"And they that had laid hold on Jesus led him away to Caiaphas the high priest, where the scribes and the elders were assembled." (Matthew 26:57)</p>
<p>4. Delivered up to his enemies</p> <p>And she said, The Philistines be upon thee, Samson. And he awoke out of his sleep, and said, I will go out as at other times before, and shake myself. And he wist not that the LORD was departed from him. Judges 16:20</p>	<p>4. Delivered up to his enemies</p> <p>"And while he yet spake, lo, Judas, one of the twelve, came, and with him a great multitude with swords and staves, from the chief priests and elders of the people." (Matthew 26:47)</p>
<p>5. Blindfolded</p> <p>But the Philistines took him, and put out his eyes, and brought him down to Gaza, and bound him with fetters of brass; and he did grind in the prison house.</p> <p>Judges 16:21</p>	<p>5. Blindfolded</p> <p>"And the men that held Jesus mocked him, and smote him. And when they had blindfolded him, they struck him on the face, and asked him, saying, Prophecy, who is it that smote thee?" (Luke 22:63-64)</p>
<p>6. Made sport with</p> <p>And it came to pass, when their hearts were merry, that they said, Call for Samson, that he may make us sport. And they called for Samson out of the prison house; and he made them sport: and they set him between the pillars. Judges 16:25</p>	<p>6. Made sport with</p> <p>"And the men that held Jesus mocked him, and smote him. And when they had blindfolded him, they struck him on the face, and asked him, saying, Prophecy, who is it that smote thee? And many other things blasphemously spake they against him." (Luke 22:63-65)</p> <p>"Then did they spit in his face, and buffeted him; and others smote him with the palms of their hands, Saying, Prophecy unto us, thou Christ, Who is he that smote thee?" (Matthew 26:67-68)</p>
<p>7. To be put to death</p> <p>And Samson said, Let me die with the Philistines. And he bowed himself with all his might; and the house fell upon the lords, and upon all the people that were therein. So the dead which he slew at</p>	<p>7. To be put to death</p> <p>"For Christ also hath once suffered for sins, the just for the unjust, that he might bring us to God, being put to death in the flesh, but quickened by the Spirit:" (1 Peter 3:18)</p>

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"In **the body of his flesh through death**, to present you holy and unblameable and unproveable in his sight:" ([Colossians 1:22](#))

"And being found in fashion as a man, he humbled himself, and **became obedient unto death**, even the death of the cross." ([Philippians 2:8](#))

8. Thirsty

"And he was sore athirst, and called on the LORD, and said, Thou hast given this great deliverance into the hand of thy servant: and **now shall I die for thirst**, and fall into the hand of the uncircumcised?" ([Judges 15:18](#))

8. Thirsty

"After this, Jesus knowing that all things were now accomplished, that the scripture might be fulfilled, saith, **I thirst**." ([John 19:28](#))

9. Destroyed his enemies

"And he found a new jawbone of an ass, and put forth his hand, and took it, and **slew a thousand men** therewith. And Samson said, With the jawbone of an ass, heaps upon heaps, with the jaw of an ass have I slain a thousand men." ([Judges 15:15-16](#))

9. Destroyed his enemies

"And it shall come to pass in that day, that I will seek to **destroy all the nations** that come against Jerusalem." ([Zechariah 12:9](#))

"Forasmuch then as the children are partakers of flesh and blood, he also himself likewise took part of the same; that through death he might **destroy him** that had the power of death, that is, **the devil**;" ([Hebrews 2:14](#))

10. Told riddles

And the men of the city said unto him on the seventh day before the sun went down, What is sweeter than honey? and what is stronger than a lion? And he said unto them, If ye had not plowed with my heifer, **ye had not found out my riddle**.

[Judges 14:18](#)

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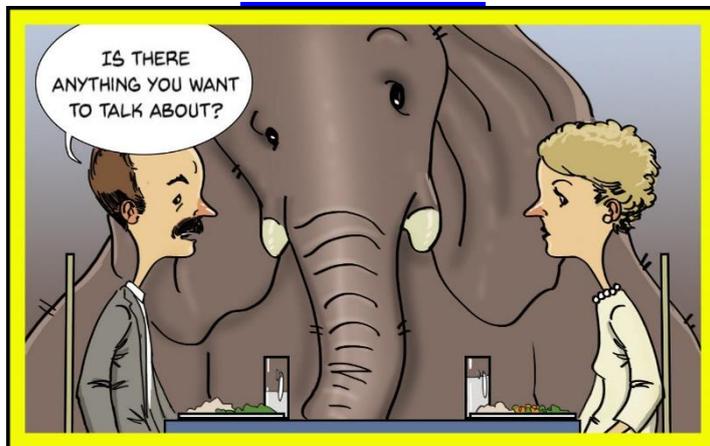
David therefore calleth him Lord, **how is he then his son?** [Luke 20:44](#)

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