

Do you know?

Part 2

Have you ever considered our mighty Creator's modesty?

First, all manufacturers put their name on their products. Right? Wrong! God doesn't. Not one tree, plant or flower anywhere in the world is labelled “made by God.” No living creature in the air or sea or on the land advertises its Creator like that.

Second, does he talk down to us from heaven, using a megaphone? No. He uses ordinary men to speak to us, even though they are often given a rough time. See Acts 7.5.

Third, when he decided to become flesh himself (John 1.14), there was no midwife or maternity ward – he was born in a stable!

Fourth, did getting alongside us in this way help his cause? After three short years of public ministry, he was crucified!

Fifth, he forewarned his disciples about this: “the Son of Man must suffer many things, and be rejected by the elders and chief priests and scribes, and be killed.” Mark 8.31.

Sixth, this forecast was so low key his disciples missed the last triumphant bit – “After three days” he would “rise again”!! Mark 8.31.

Yes, even his mighty resurrection and victory over death was low key.

What a Saviour he is – for those who accept him.

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Jesus didn't boast about his greatness. See Matthew 11.29.

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