

# The Word Became Flesh

**The most profound statement in the whole bible.**

Recently at our Bible study group we looked again at the favourite passage of John 1: 1-14.

In this we are reminded again that, in the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.

And in verse 14 we read that the *"Word became flesh and dwelt amongst us"*.

The late Selwyn Hughes stated that the *"Word became flesh and dwelt amongst us"* is the most profound statement in the whole bible. Without this moment in history, we would be in serious trouble, facing eternity totally relying only on the old testament laws as handed down by Moses. People then and now could not live up to the standard of the law only. Hebrews 12: 20,21 *"because they could not bear what was Commanded."*

Jesus our Saviour came from the Father in the flesh 2000 years ago at Christmas time and brought Grace to this world, so that we may come to Him in repentance for the forgiveness of sins. We read in *1 John 1:9 "if we confess our sins, He is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness"*.

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