

Jesus Creed

The creed explores paradoxes – the word paradox combines the Greek word para- meaning “along side” with doxa which means glory.

The Three in One God could have taken your heart by storm.

Look at Jesus. What does Jesus life reveal? 1) God's way of relating to us is love. 2) human beings flourish when they love God with all their heart, soul, strength and mind – and their neighbor as themselves.

Religion can be a very effective way to avoid handing over your life.

Peter missed 2 truths:

1) That he loved himself most

2) The heart of gospel is a paradoxical truth : you have to lose your ego life to find real life.

The last thing our ego wants is to let go and lose our life. The ego wants what it wants.

Jesus never underestimated the power of his ego.



Jesus surrendered and undid the illusion that we 1) possess our lives and 2) that happiness depends on getting our way.

To become an integrated vulnerable human being — a human being like Jesus — who puts love of God and neighbor before your ego — It is far and away the best gift you can give this world.