

# Praise in the Bible

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## **Specific**

- God's act or
- God's character
- Psalm 105

## **Detailed**

- Narrative or
- Descriptive
- Psalm 105

## **Vivid**

- Imagery
- Metaphors
- 105:39

... and describes

## **Mercy**

- Loss avoided
- Disaster averted
- 130:3-4

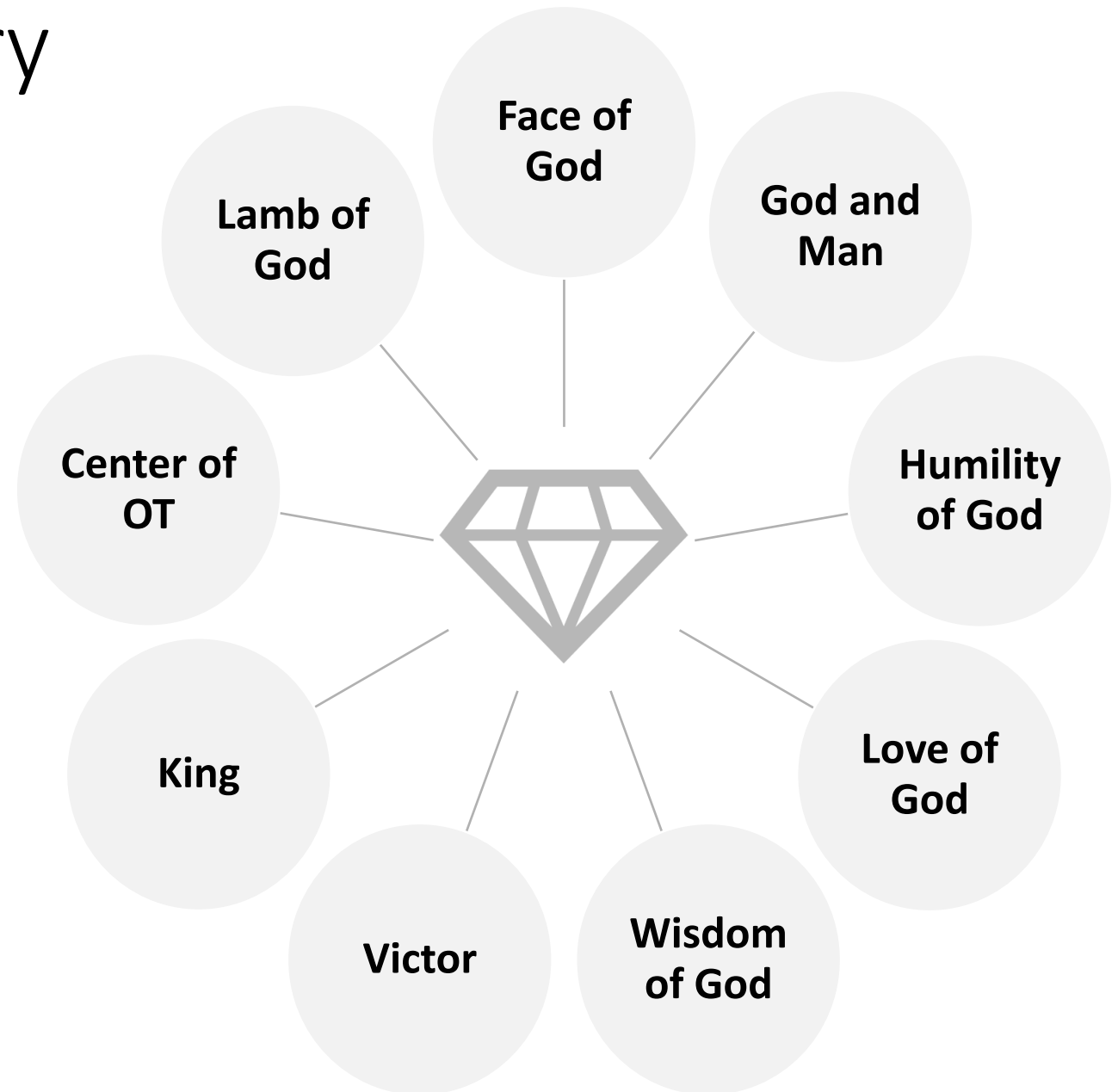
## **Grace**

- Gain
- Advantage
- 30:11-12

## **Greatness**

- Comparison
- 89:6, 8

# Facets of Christ's glory



Each of these  
can be  
an observation point

# Praise of Christ the face of God

In response to **John 14:1-14**, 2 Corinthians 4:4-6, Hebrews 1:3, Colossians 1:15

- Holy Jesus, you are the only way to know the Father.
- You are like a living hologram of the Father, his perfect image.
- The way you love and care for us shows us how the Father loves and cares for us.
  - When you were going to suffer and die, you calmed the fears of your disciples.
  - When you left the disciples, you assured them you wanted to be with them.
- If you had not consented to come into the world, we could not have known the Father and his love.
  - Because you want to be with us, we know the Father wants to be with us.
  - Because our fears touched you, we know they touch the Father.
- There are many philosophers and teachers in the world, but only you show us the Father.

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# Praise of Christ's humility

In response to Hebrews 10:5-10, Philippians 2:5-8, John 13:1-5

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# Praise of Christ the God-man

In response to John 1:1-18, Hebrews 2:14-16, Matthew 8:27, 1 Peter 1:10-12

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# Praise of Christ the love of God

In response to Galatians 2:20; 1 John 3:16, Revelation 1:5-6

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# Praise of Christ the Wisdom of God

In response to Ephesians 3:8-10, 1 Corinthians 1:24

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# Praise of Christ the Victor

In response to Isaiah 63:1-5; Hebrews 2:14-15; Revelation 5:6-14

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# Praise of Christ the King

In response to Acts 5:29-32; Hebrews 1:3-4

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# Praise of Christ in the Old Testament

In response to Luke 24:13-32; Numbers 21:6-9 and John 3:1-21

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# Praise of Christ the Suffering Servant

In response to Isaiah 53, Revelation 5:6-14, 1 Peter 1:10-11

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