

# Yeshua of Nazareth

“Who do you say I am?”

*Legend, Liar, Lunatic, or Lord?*

Corroborating witnesses left written testimony that Yeshua of Nazareth was born of a virgin, changed water to wine, made the blind see, healed the lame, raised the dead, walked on water, calmed the storm, fed 5,000 people with five loaves and two fishes, was seen alive a few days after his execution, and ascended to heaven. According to witnesses and contemporary biographers, this Yeshua also made the following claims:

I have always existed. [John 8:58](#); [17:5](#)  
I am the First and the Last. [Revelation 1:17](#)  
I hold the keys to death. [Revelation 1:18](#)  
I have never sinned. [John 8:46](#)  
I have all authority on heaven and earth. [Matthew 28:18](#)  
I and the Father are one. [John 10:30](#)  
I must be placed above your family. [Matthew 10:37](#)  
I have authority to forgive sins. [Mark 2: 5-12](#)  
I am the light of the world. [John 8:12](#)  
I am prophesied about in the Scriptures. [Luke 24:25-27](#)  
I am from heaven. [John 8:23](#)  
I will be resurrected. [Mark 8:31](#)  
I am the bread of life. [John 6:35](#)  
I will send the Spirit of God Almighty. [John 16:7](#)  
I am coming again to the earth. [Revelation 22:20](#)  
I am a king but not of this world. [John 18:37](#)  
I came to give life. [John 5:24](#); [John 10:10](#)  
I am the one through whom you must pray. [John 16:23-24](#)  
I raise the dead and heal diseases. [John 11:38-44](#); [Luke 13:32](#)  
I will judge the world on Judgment Day. [John 5:22-30](#)  
The words I have spoken will condemn at the last day. [John 12:47-48](#)  
I am the Son of God. [Matthew 16:16-17](#)  
I will raise the dead at the end of time. [John 5:28-29](#)  
I am the only way to God. [John 14:6](#)  
My words will never pass away. [Matthew 24:35](#)  
If you reject me, you reject God himself. [Luke 10:16](#)  
I became poor and bid you to follow. [2 Corinthians 8:9](#); [Luke 14:33](#)  
I taught love for neighbour and even your enemies. [Luke 6:27-29](#); [Mark 12:31](#)

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