

His Nature

**CHRISTOLOGY &**  
**PNEUMATOLOGY**

# HIS NATURE

1. Deity
2. Kenosis

Dome of Rock  
and Mt of Olives



# THE KENOSIS

1. Issue - **ΚΕΝΩΣΗ**

# THEORIES

- 1. Giving up of all Attributes**
- 2. Emptying of some Attributes**
- 3. Abandoning of Divine mode**
- 4. Taking on Humanity**

# THE KENOSIS

1. Issue - **ΚΕΝΩΣΗ**
2. Scripture - **Phil 2:6-8**
3. Meaning -

# μορφή (morphe)

- **Meaning**

**Form or Shape**

**Inner Essence or Reality**

- **Stress - 1<sup>st</sup> Deity**

**now Humanity**

# κενοω (kenoo)

## ➤ Meaning

To be emptied of something

What did He empty of?

## ➤ Emphasis - Humanity

# **KENOSIS**

- 1. Took on Servanthood**
- 2. Made in likeness of man**
- 3. Poured Himself out**
- 4. Veiled His Glory**
- 5. Limited His use of Attributes**



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# HIS HUMANITY

- ✧ His Human Parents - Lk 1
- ✧ His Human Body - Lk 24:39
- ✧ His Names
- ✧ His Limitations - Jn 4:6, Mt 24:36

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4. Hypostatic Union

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# HYPOSTATIC UNION

❖ Fully God

❖ Fully man

❖ United without Mixing

Shepherds'  
Fields

# UNION

- ✓ **Not mingled or mixed**
- ✓ **Not 2 personalities**
- ✓ **Not mere indwelling**
- ✓ **No transfer of attributes**
- ✓ **No changes in divine nature**
- ✓ **Priority of divine nature**

# HYPOSTATIC UNION

- ❖ Fully God
- ❖ Fully man
- ❖ United without Mixing
- ❖ 1 person
- ❖ Eternally

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# ETERNAL

- ✓ **Appearances**
- ✓ **Ascended bodily - Act 1:9-11**
- ✓ **Son of Man in heaven - Rev 1:13**
- ✓ **Return bodily - Act 1:11**
- ✓ **No evidence of ending**

# 1 PERSON

## DIVINE

- ✓ **Worshiped**
- ✓ **Prayed to**
- ✓ **Called God**
- ✓ **Sinless**
- ✓ **Omniscient**
- ✓ **Give life**
- ✓ **David's Lord**

## HUMAN

- ✧ **Worshiped Father**
- ✧ **Prayed**
- ✧ **Called man**
- ✧ **Tempted**
- ✧ **Grew in wisdom**
- ✧ **Died**
- ✧ **David's son**