

Being Present





being present is giving your full attention to what is happening right now, instead of being distracted by thoughts about the past, future or something else



Wherever you are, be all there

Dr. Arnold Cook



Live Jesus in another culture – Rhonda Wilson



Live incarnationally

“In the beginning the Word already existed. The Word was with God, and the Word was God. He existed in the beginning with God. God created everything through him, and nothing was created except through him. The Word gave life to everything that was created, and his life brought light to everyone.” - John 1:1-4

“So the Word became human and made his home among us. He was full of unfailing love and faithfulness. And we have seen his glory, the glory of the Father’s one and only Son.” - John 1:14

“No one has ever seen God. But the unique One, who is himself God, is near to the Father’s heart. He has revealed God to us.”
- John 1:18

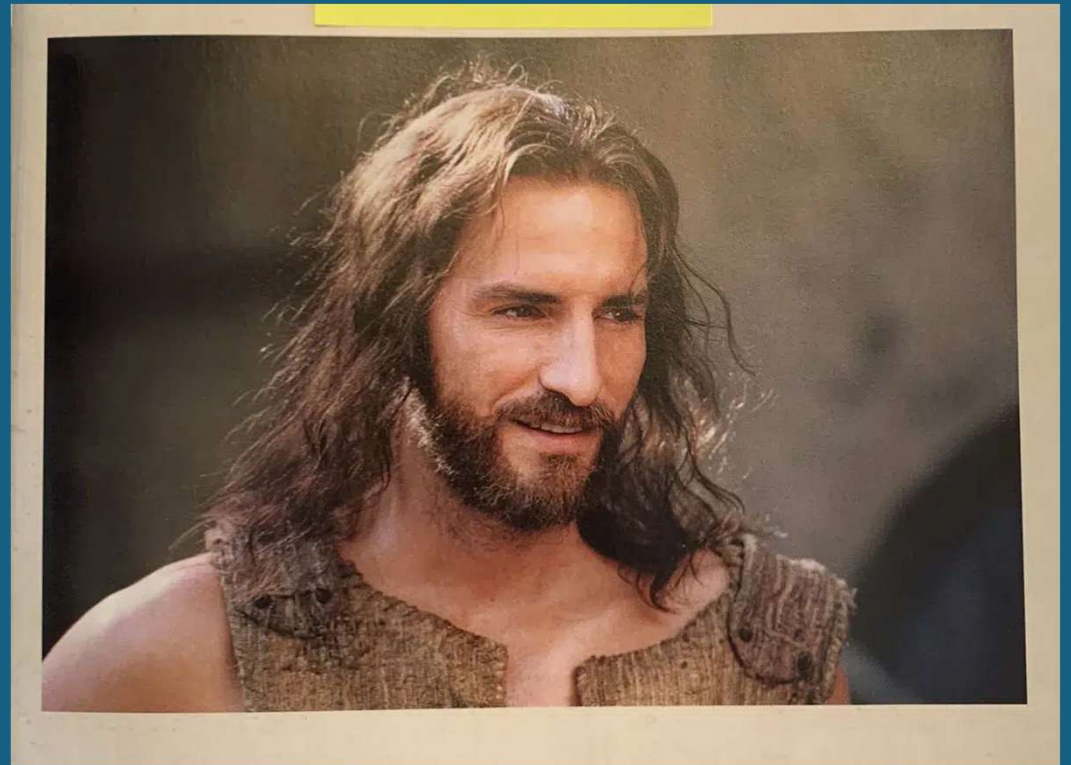
“You must have the same attitude that Christ Jesus had. Though he was God, he did not think of equality with God as something to cling to. Instead, he gave up his divine privileges, he took the humble position of a slave and was born as a human being. When he appeared in human form, he humbled himself in obedience to God and died a criminal’s death on a cross.” Phil. 2:5-8

“You will conceive and give birth to a son, and you will name him Jesus. He will be very great and will be called the Son of the Most High. The Lord God will give him the throne of his ancestor David.” Luke 1:31

“The Holy Spirit will come upon you, and the power of the Most High will overshadow you. So the baby to be born will be holy, and he will be called the Son of God.” Luke 1:35

“he was named Jesus, the name given him by the angel even before he was conceived.” Luke 2:21

He was hungry (Matt.4:2);
thirsty (John 19:28);
got tired (John 4:6);
felt sad (John 11:35);
had compassion (Matt. 9:36);
was tempted to sin (Matt.4);
got angry (Mark 3:5);
felt lonely (Matt. 27:46);
felt pain (Matt.27:26ff);
and eventually died (Matt.27:50)



How was Jesus fully present?

Jesus did life with his family and friends.



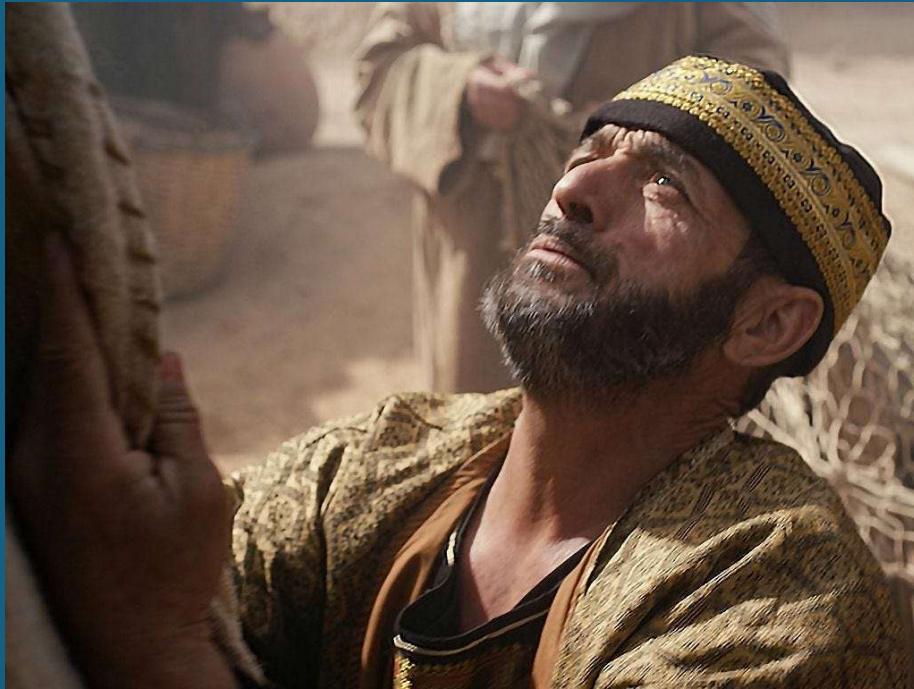


Jesus engaged with the crowds





Being ready for the unexpected





Constant connection with the Father





Hat Yai Flood – November 2025





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- Go where people are, but be ready for the unexpected



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- Go where people are, but be ready for the unexpected
- Engage with the people around you
- Be attentive to the voice of God
- Reflect the character and conduct of Jesus

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