

Appendix B

The word “son” can be applied to your biological sons, non-biological sons, or anyone who is your son’s age. For example:

- If I am your biological father, adoptive father, or step father, I can call you “son”. For example: I love you, son.
- If I am not your father but someone who is your father’s age, I can call you “son” too. For example: What’s your name, son?

In the Bible, the phrase “son of God” is sometimes used in physical/literal sense and sometimes in spiritual/metaphorical sense. In the Bible, God calls his biological sons by “son” in physical/literal sense and calls his non-biological sons by “son” in spiritual/metaphorical sense.

Some Jews and Christians are embarrassed by the pagan concept of “God’s children” their religions teach. This is why they claim the phrase “son of God” used in the Bible is always spiritual/metaphorical. But if we analyze the Bible with attention, we see that the phrase “son of God” used in the Bible is sometimes physical/literal and sometimes spiritual/metaphorical.

Proof that the phrase “son of God” is sometimes used in spiritual/metaphorical sense in the Bible:

Romans 8:14 says people who are led by the spirit God are sons of God. This means all righteous people are God’s sons in spiritual/metaphorical sense.

Proof that the phrase “son of God” is sometimes used in physical/literal sense in the Bible:

The Book of Genesis 6:2-4 says the children born out of the sexual intercourse between sons of God and daughters of men will not be eternal/immortal like their fathers. Instead, the children will be mortal like their mothers. This means children born out of the sexual intercourse between sons of God and daughters of men will not have the genetic attribute of their fathers’ immortality. But children born out of the sexual intercourse between sons of God and daughters of men will have genetic attribute of their fathers’ courage and physical strength.

Chapter six of the Book of Genesis always reminds me of the Greek mythological man called Hercules. Hercules was a son of God in physical/literal sense. Hercules’s father was a God who had sexual intercourse with a woman. Hercules was born out of that sexual intercourse. Hercules didn’t have the genetic attribute of his fathers’ immortality but he did have the genetic attribute of his fathers’ courage and physical strength.

The Quran 9:30 confirms that Jews and Christians believe Israel and Jesus are God's sons in physical/literal sense. The Quran 9:30 also condemn their belief saying Jews and Christians imitate the sayings of pagans who existed before them, such as Roman and Greek pagans.

Christianity teaches that Jesus is the literal son of God. Gospel of John 3:16 says-

“Οὕτως γὰρ ἠγάπησεν ὁ θεὸς τὸν κόσμον, ὥστε τὸν υἱὸν τὸν μονογενῆ ἔδωκεν, ἵνα πᾶς ὁ πιστεύων εἰς αὐτὸν μὴ ἀπόληται ἀλλ’ ἔχῃ ζωὴν αἰώνιον”. This means: “For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, so that everyone who believes in him would not perish, but have everlasting life”.

Note that the original language of Gospel of John is Greek. Google translate says the Greek word “μονογενή” means "unisexual" or "begotten" or "only begotten" (John 3:16). The word “begotten” indicates that Jesus is not God's son in spiritual/metaphorical sense. Instead, Jesus is God's son in physical/literal sense.

Some modern day Christians are so embarrassed by the pagan concept of “God's children” their religion teaches that they say “μονογενή” John 3:16 means "begotten" in a non-sexual sense. They say the verb “beget” can be used in a non-sexual sense to mean to create something rather than giving birth, such as, “hate begets hate” or “power begets power”. But what these Christians fail to understand is that hate and power are two abstract concepts or ideas. When we say an abstract thing begets another abstract thing, it isn't sexual. For example, hate begets hate. But when we say a person begets another person, it's sexual. For example, he begot a son. Both God & Jesus are persons. Therefore, the Bible Jesus is God's begotten son in a sexual sense.

Judaism teaches that Israel is the literal son of God. Exodus 4:22 says-“Then say to Pharaoh, ‘This is what the Lord says: Israel is my firstborn son.’” The word “firstborn” indicates that Israel is not God's son in spiritual/metaphorical sense. Instead, Jesus is God's son in physical/literal sense.

If we read the Book of Genesis, we see that God has sons in a literal sense. Let's see the chapter 6 of the Book of Genesis below:

The Book of Genesis 6:1- “When human beings began to increase in number on the earth and daughters were born to them.”

The Book of Genesis 6:2-“The sons of God saw that the daughters of humans were beautiful, and they married any of them they chose.”

The Book of Genesis 6:3-“ Then the LORD said, "My Spirit will not put up with humans for such a long time, for they are only mortal flesh. In the future, their normal lifespan will be no more than 120 years."

The Book of Genesis 6:4-“In those days, and for some time after, giant Nephilites lived on the earth, for whenever the sons of God had intercourse with women, they gave birth to children who became the heroes and famous warriors of ancient times.”

The Book of Genesis 6:5-“The LORD observed the extent of human wickedness on the earth, and he saw that everything they thought or imagined was consistently and totally evil.”

The Book of Genesis 6:6-“The LORD regretted that he had made human beings on the earth, and his heart was deeply troubled.”

The Book of Genesis 6:7-“And the LORD said, "I will wipe this human race I have created from the face of the earth. Yes, and I will destroy every living thing--all the people, the large animals, the small animals that scurry along the ground, and even the birds of the sky. I regret that I have made them."

The Book of Genesis 6:8-“But Noah found favor in the eyes of the LORD.”

It is clear in the Book of Genesis that Judaism and Christianity teach that God has sons in the literal sense. The Quran says that the idea of God’s having sons is a concept that existed before Judaism and Christianity were born. Judaism and Christianity borrowed this pagan concept of God’s having sons from ancient folklores.

The Quran 9:30 says-“The Jews say, "Ezra (Israel) is the son of God "; and the Christians say, "The Messiah (Jesus) is the son of God." **That is their statement from their mouths; they imitate the saying of those who disbelieved before them.** May Allah destroy them! How they are deluded away from the Truth!”