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It may be true that a rose by any other name would smell as sweet. But not so concerning Bible names, which often give keen insight into the lives of those who bear the titles. This is especially true concerning Christ. A wealth of information concerning His person and work can be obtained from studying some of the names and titles ascribed to Him. Note some of these:

Adam (1 Cor. 15:45)  
Advocate (1 John 2:1)  
Almighty (Rev. 1:8)  
Alpha (Rev. 1:8; 21:6)  
Amen (Rev. 3:14)  
Angel of the Lord (Gen. 16:9-14; Judg. 6:11-24)  
Anointed (Psa. 2:2)  
Apostle (Heb. 3:1)  
Author (Heb. 12:2)  
Babe (Luke 2:16)  
Beginning of Creation (Rev. 3:14)  
Begotten of the Father (John 1:14)  
Beloved (Eph. 1:6)  
Beloved Son (Mark 1:11)  
Bishop (1 Pet. 2:25)  
Blessed (1 Tim. 6:15)  
Branch (Zech. 3:8)  
Bread of Life (John 6:35)  
Bridegroom (Matt. 9:15; John 3:29)  
Bright and Morning Star (Rev. 22:16)  
Captain (Josh. 5:14)  
Carpenter (Mark 6:3)  
Child (Isa. 9:6)  
Christ (Matt. 1:16; 2:4)  
Commander (Isa. 55:4)  
Consolation of Israel (Luke 2:25)  
Cornerstone (Eph. 2:20)  
Counselor (Isa. 9:6)

Dayspring from on High (Luke 1:78)

Day Star (2 Pet. 1:19)

Deliverer (Rom. 11:26)

Desire of all Nations (Hag. 2:7)

Door of the Sheep (John 10:7)

Emmanuel (Matt. 1:23)

Eternal Life (1 John 5:20)

Everlasting Father (Isa. 9:6)

Express Image of God (Heb. 1:3)

Faithful Witness (Rev. 1:5; 3:14)

Faithful and True (Rev. 19:11)

First Fruits (1 Cor. 15:23)

Forerunner (Heb. 6:20)

Foundation (Isa. 28:16)

Fountain (Zech. 13:1)

Friend of Sinners (Matt. 11:19)

Gift of God (2 Cor. 9:15)

Glory of the Lord (Isa. 60:1)

God (John 1:1; Rom. 9:5; 1 Tim. 3:16)

Good Master (Mark 10:17)

Governor (Matt. 2:6)

Guide (Psa. 48:14)

Head of the Church (Col. 1:18)

Heir of all things (Heb. 1:2)

High Priest (Heb. 2:17; 3:1)

Holy Child (Acts 4:30)

Holy One of God (Mark 1:24)

Holy One of Israel (Isa. 41:14)

Horn of Salvation (Psa. 18:2)

I AM – He calls Himself this name seven times in John's Gospel:

I am the Bread of Life (John 6:35)

I am the Light of the World (John 9:5)

I am the Good Shepherd (John 10:11)

I am the Door (John 10:9)

I am the Resurrection (John 11:25)

I am the True Vine (John 15:1)

I am the Way (John 14:6)  
Jehovah (Isa. 26:4)  
Jesus (Matt. 1:21)  
Judge (Mic. 5:1; Acts 10:42)  
King  
    King of Israel (Matt. 27:42; John 1:49)  
    King of Kings (Rev. 17:14; 19:16)  
Lamb of God (John 1:29, 36)  
Lawgiver (Isa. 33:22)  
Lily of the Valley (Song of Sol. 2:1)  
Lion of the Tribe of Judah (Rev. 5:5)  
Living Bread (John 6:51)  
Lord of Lords (Rev. 19:16)  
Man (Acts 17:31; 1 Tim. 2:5)  
Master (Matt. 8:19)  
Mediator (1 Tim. 2:5)  
Messiah (Dan. 9:25; John 1:41)  
Mighty God (Isa. 9:6)  
Minister (Heb. 8:2)  
Nazarene (Matt. 2:23)  
Only Begotten Son (John 1:18)  
Passover (1 Cor. 5:7)  
Physician (Matt. 9:12)  
Potentate (1 Tim. 6:15)  
Power of God (1 Cor. 1:24)  
Priest (Heb. 4:14)  
Prince (Acts 3:15; 5:31)  
Prince of Peace (Isa. 9:6)  
Prophet (Acts 3:22)  
Propitiation (1 John 2:2; 4:10)  
Purifier (Mal. 3:3)  
Rabbi – On three well-known occasions He was called by this name:  
    By Nicodemus (John 3:2)  
    By Judas (Matt. 26:25)  
    By Mary Magdalene (John 20:16)  
Ransom (1 Tim. 2:6)

Redeemer (Isa. 59:20; 60:16)

Refiner (Mal. 3:3)

Refuge (Isa. 25:4)

Righteousness (Jer. 23:6; 33:16)

Rock (Deut, 32:15)

Rod (Isa. 11:1)

Root of David (Rev. 22:16)

Rose of Sharon (Song of Sol. 2:1)

Sacrifice (Eph. 5:2)

Savior – He was called Savior by:

His mother (Luke 1:47)

The angels (Luke 2:11)

The men of Samaria (John 4:42)

Second Man (1 Cor. 15:47)

Seed of Abraham (Gal. 3:16, 19)

Seed of David (2 Tim. 2:8)

Seed of the Woman (Gen. 3:15)

Servant (Isa. 42:1; 49:5-7)

Shepherd

The Chief Shepherd (1 Pet. 5:4)

The Good Shepherd (John 10:11, 14)

The Great Shepherd (Heb. 13:20)

My Shepherd (Psa. 23:1)

Shiloh (Gen. 49:10)

Son of David – He was called by this name by the following:

Two blind men in Capernaum (Matt. 9:27)

The Syro-Phoenician woman (Matt. 15:22)

Two blind men in Jericho (one named Bartimaeus – Matt. 20:30; Mark 10:46-47)

The Palm Sunday crowd (Matt. 21:9)

Son of God – Christ referred to Himself by this name on only two occasions: (John 9:35; 10:36), but many others in the Gospels also called Him by this name. He was called the Son of God by:

Satan (Matt. 4:3, 6)

Gabriel (Luke 1:35)

A demon (Matt. 8:29; Luke 4:41)

A disciple (Matt. 14:33)

Peter (Matt. 16:16)

Martha (John 11:27)

Nathanael (John 1:49)

A centurion (Matt. 27:54)

Son of Man – This was His favorite name for Himself. According to His own testimony, the Son of Man:

Came not to be ministered unto (Matt. 20:28)

Came to save that which was lost (Matt. 18:11)

Can forgive sins (Matt. 9:6)

Had nowhere to lay His head (Matt. 8:20)

Is Lord of the Sabbath (Luke 6:5)

Would be betrayed (Matt. 17:22)

Would suffer (Matt. 17:12)

Would be lifted up (John 3:14)

Would be three days in the heart of the earth (Matt. 12:40)

Would be raised from the dead (Matt. 17:9)

Will come again in the glory of His Father (Matt. 16:27; 24:30)

Will send forth His angels (Matt. 13:41)

Shall sit upon the throne of His glory (Matt. 19:28)

Son of Mary (Mark 6:3)

Son of the Highest (Luke 1:32)

Stone (Matt. 21:42; Mark 12:10; Acts 4:11; Rom. 9:32-33; Eph. 2:20; 1 Pet. 2:6-7)

Sun of Righteousness (Mal. 4:2)

Teacher (Master) (Matt. 26:18; John 3:2; 11:28)

Wonderful (Isa. 9:6)

Word – the Apostle John's favorite name for Christ (John 1:1; 1 John 5:7; Rev. 19:13)