

# WOC INTERNATIONAL

## Special Service - August 20, 2021

**Introduction - Today we connect Elul's introspection to good fruit's self-replication**

**What is self-replication? - Reproducing itself by its own power or inherent nature**

**Important reality - Self-replication yields an item that's identical to the one being copied**

**Lesson - Yeshua's nature (not His attributes) is replicated in men during Sanctification**

**Yeshua has a divine and a human nature that are separate and distinct, yet united in His person**

**This concord of divine and human nature is called hypostatic union, which states**

**The essence and attributes of Yeshua's divine and human natures in His person,**

**Were not changed or diminished when He entered a human tabernacle during Sukkot**

*John 1:14 "The Word became a human being and lived with us, and we saw his Sh'khinah, the Sh'khinah of the Father's only Son, full of grace and truth." CJB*

**Yeshua's Divine Being - \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_**

**Yeshua's Divine Nature - \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_**

**Yeshua's Divine Attributes - \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_**

**Because Yeshua has a hypostatic union of divine and human natures**

**1 - The Father sent Him into the world as an exact \_\_\_\_\_ of Himself (Heb 1:3)**

**And yet, He is only subordinate to the Father in an earthly temporal sense (Phil 2:6-11)**

**2 - It was not \_\_\_\_\_ for Yeshua to ...**

**Proclaim to the High Priest that "he would see Him sitting at the right hand of God"**

*Matt 26:63-64 "Yeshua remained silent. The cohen hagadol said to him, "I put you under oath! By the living God, tell us if you are the Mashiach, the Son of God!" 64 Yeshua said to him, "The words are your own. But I tell you that one day you will see the Son of Man sitting at the right hand of HaG'vurah and coming on the clouds of heaven." CJB*

**Proclaim to the Judeans "I and the Father are one"**

*John 10:27-30 "My sheep listen to my voice, I recognize them, they follow me, 28 and I give them eternal life. They will absolutely never be destroyed, and no one will snatch them from my hands. 29 My Father, who gave them to me, is greater than all; and no one can snatch them from the Father's hands. 30 I and the Father are one." CJB*

**Receive praise from Thomas due only to the Father**

*John 20:27-29 "Then he said to T'oma, "Put your finger here, look at my hands, take your hand and put it into my side. Don't be lacking in trust, but have trust!" 28 T'oma answered him, "My Lord and my God!" 29 Yeshua said to him, "Have you trusted because you have seen me? How blessed are those who do not see, but trust anyway!" CJB*

**Notes**

## What is the significance of Yeshua being “God in man” to my personal walk and introspection?

**Hypostatic union assures me His humanity was not some \_\_\_\_\_ time in a human body**

**Yeshua exists forever simultaneously as God and glorified man!**

**For He continues to retain the human identity He acquired at His Incarnation**

*Col 2:9-10 “For in him, bodily, lives the fullness of all that God is. 10 And it is in union with him that you have been made full – he is the head of every rule and authority.” CJB*

**Hypostatic union assures me one day I will be like Yeshua; for I am of His \_\_\_\_\_ [homoios]**

*1 John 3:2 “Dear friends, we are God’s children now; and it has not yet been made clear what we will become. We do know that when he appears, we will be like him; because we will see him as he really is.” CJB*

**And while I may not know what it fully means to be “His kind,” Scripture confirms**

**I am one of Yeshua’s human brothers that are the result of Him being the firstborn**

*Rom 8:28-29 “Furthermore, we know that God causes everything to work together for the good of those who love God and are called in accordance with his purpose; 29 because those whom he knew in advance, he also determined in advance would be conformed to the pattern of his Son, so that he might be the firstborn among many brothers;” CJB*

**The glorified body I receive later will be like His, unlike the one I now have from Adam**

*1 Cor 15:35-38 “But someone will ask, “In what manner are the dead raised? What sort of body do they have?” 36 Stupid! When you sow a seed, it doesn’t come alive unless it first dies. 37 Also, what you sow is not the body that will be, but a bare seed of, say, wheat or something else; 38 but God gives it the body he intended for it; and to each kind of seed he gives its own body” CJB*

**And this glorified human body allows me to stand in my Father’s presence without fear**

*Heb 4:16 “Therefore, let us confidently approach the throne from which God gives grace, so that we may receive mercy and find grace in our time of need.” CJB*

## Notes

### What are some well-known false views regarding Yeshua’s hypostatic (God in man) union?

**Apollinarianism - Says Yeshua had a normal human body but not a normal human soul**

**Instead His divine mind took the place of His regular human soul (as to what they believe).**

**Problem with this - It completely diminishes Yeshua’s full humanity (ala Docetism)**

**Nestorianism - Yeshua is 2 people with 2 distinct natures: one divine, the other human**

**Problem with this - It separates the unity of the person of Yeshua with His two natures**

**Eutychianism - Says Yeshua’s divine nature absorbed His human nature to create a third nature**

**Problem with this - It denies the independent, unified, and eternal existence of His 2 natures**

## Why do I need the Spirit's impartation of a divine nature during the sanctification process?

**While mankind was first created in Yahweh's image, a triune being, united as a single person**

**And his human nature originally resembled and reflected His God to a wonderful \_\_\_\_\_**

**Which is why he could understand His person, ways, & patterns somewhat**

**And his triunity (spirit, soul, body) showed similar separate & distinct essences & attributes**

**Because of the special creation he had that God's other creations didn't have**

**Sin ultimately corrupted their nature & transmitted this corrupt nature to all their offspring**

*Ps 51:7 "7(5) True, I was born guilty, was a sinner from the moment my mother conceived me." CJB*

### Notes

## What does Yeshua's hypostatic union have to do with His good fruit self-replicating in me?

**The \_\_\_\_\_ of the incorruptible self-replicating seed implanted in me during regeneration**

**Is to replicate Yeshua's righteousness in my spirit and His holiness in my soul**

*Eph 2:1-3 "You used to be dead because of your sins and acts of disobedience. 2 You walked in the ways of the 'olam hazeh and obeyed the Ruler of the Powers of the Air, who is still at work among the disobedient. 3 Indeed, we all once lived this way – we followed the passions of our old nature and obeyed the wishes of our old nature and our own thoughts. In our natural condition we were headed for God's wrath, just like everyone else." CJB*

**The \_\_\_\_\_ of the incorruptible self-replicating seed implanted in me during regeneration**

**Is a glorified spiritual body capable of existing holy forever in His presence**

*1 Cor 13:12 "For now we see obscurely in a mirror, but then it will be face to face. Now I know partly; then I will know fully, just as God has fully known me." CJB*

### Notes

## As I continue my introspection this Elul, what should I take home from today's lesson?

**I must cooperate with the Spirit and not hinder Him replicating Yeshua's divine nature in me**

**I must not allow transgression to corrupt my soul or the souls of those around me**

**I must avoid living a \_\_\_\_\_ I know is not right or is unholy**

*James 4:14 "So then, anyone who knows the right thing to do and fails to do it is committing a sin." CJB*

**I must avoid doing things that \_\_\_\_\_ with my spirituality or that of those around me**

*1 Cor 10:23-24 "Everything is permitted," you say? Maybe, but not everything is helpful. "Everything is permitted?" Maybe, but not everything is edifying. 24 No one should be looking out for his own interests, but for those of his fellow. CJB*

**I must cease erecting \_\_\_\_\_ blocks that interfere with other's walk or growth**

Rom 14:13 "Therefore, let's stop passing judgment on each other! Instead, make this one judgment – not to put a stumbling block or a snare in a brother's way." CJB

**I must let my knowledge of self-replication align me with the Spirit to fulfill my assignment**

**I must let the Spirit use the "holy One in me" and His holy actions replicate Himself in others**

**So that they \_\_\_\_\_ see Him via His loving, hopeful, trusting, and submissive servant**

**I must trust my nature will one day be like Yeshua's (eternal, spiritual, & unselfish)**

**And \_\_\_\_\_ prepare for my future ascension( or resurrection) and glorification**

1 Cor 15:51-53 "Look, I will tell you a secret – not all of us will die! But we will all be changed! 52 It will take but a moment, the blink of an eye, at the final shofar. For the shofar will sound, and the dead will be raised to live forever, and we too will be changed. 53 For this material which can decay must be clothed with imperishability, this which is mortal must be clothed with immortality" CJB

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