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## LESSON 33: JESUS, THE PROPHET

**Main Idea:** *Jesus, as the final prophet and final revelation of God, fulfills the prophetic office and gives us the revelation we need to come to Him for reconciliation and redemption.*

“...the world did not know God through wisdom...” – 1 Corinthians 1:21

“Long ago, at many times and in many ways, God spoke to our fathers by the prophets...” (Hebrews 1:1)

### I. MOSES

- A. Moses, the prophet, bears the authority of God in what he speaks. (Exodus 4:15-16; Exodus 7:1-2)
  
- B. Moses, the prophet, serves as Mediator between God and His people. He is God’s mouthpiece. (Exodus 20:18-21)
  
- C. Moses, the prophet, is unique among prophets in His proximity to God. (Numbers 12:6)
  
- D. Moses, the Prophet, calls people to believe what God has already revealed and to obey Him. (Deuteronomy 13:1-5)
  
- E. Moses, the Prophet calls the people to believe what God will do in the future. (Deuteronomy 18:15-22)

### II. OLD TESTAMENT PROPHETS

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*... but in these last days, He has spoken to us by His Son. (Hebrews 1:1-2)*

## **III. JESUS, THE PROPHET**

### A. Identified as a prophet

1. By the people (Matthew 7:29; 21:45-46; Luke 7:11-17; 24:19; John 6:14)
2. By Himself (Matthew 13:53-58; Luke 13:31-35; John 14:10; 8:26; 12:49-50)
3. By the Father (Matthew 17:1-5)
4. By Elijah and Moses (Matthew 17:1-5)
5. By the Disciples (John 2:18-22)
6. By the Apostles (Acts 3:17-26)
7. By Creation (Mark 4:35-41)

### B. Acted as a prophet

1. By everything He spoke. (John 15:22; 3:18-19)
2. By His life and example. (John 14:9; 10:37-38)

### C. Vindicated as a prophet (Matthew 16:21; 17:22-23; 20:17-19; Luke 11:29-30; 13:33; John 2:19-22; Romans 1:4)

### D. More than a prophet (Romans 1:4; Colossians 1:15; Hebrews 1:1-3)

## **Conclusion**