

JOH 1:1 In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.

JOH 1:2 He was in the beginning with God.

JOH 1:3 All things came into being by Him, and apart from Him nothing came into being that has come into being.

JOH 1:4 In Him was life, and the life was the light of men.

JOH 1:5 And the light shines in the darkness, and the darkness did not comprehend it.

John 1:1-18 - Part 1
Pre-existence of The Word vs. 1-2

1. Introduction to John 1
2. Introduction to John 2
 - a. John in relation to the ‘Synoptic’ Gospels
 - b. Why John wrote the book?
 - c. History behind Theology and Purpose Statement

1. The Pre-existence of The Word

a. In the beginning

b. ...was the Word...

word - *logos* = to represent an idea or a statement

‘The entire universe was created such that the earth is the theatre where the drama of redemption is being played out’...John Calvin

was - *eimi* not *ginomai* - stressing that the Word always existed