The Pre-eminent Christ,  
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Colossians 1:14-19  

INTRODUCTION:  

Throughout the ages there have been great men who have excelled in their fields. But to compare all of them to Jesus Christ would be like comparing a flickering candle to a blazing sun.  

I. Pre-eminent in Name  
   A. A Saving Name (Acts 4:12)  
   B. A Name through which our Prayers are Answered (John 16:23)  
   C. An Exalted Name (Philippians 2:9-11)  

II. Pre-eminent in His Works  
   A. His work of Creation (verse 16)  
      1. Created by Him  
      2. Created for Him  
   B. His work of Redemption (John 17:4)  

III. Pre-eminent as a Teacher  
   A. The greatest of teachers came to hear Him (John 3:2)  
   B. His Teachings  

IV. Pre-eminent in Power  
   A. His Power to forgive sin (Matthew 9:1-8)  
   B. His Power to give Sight (John 9:1-7)  
   C. His Power to give Hope (John 5:1-9)  
   D. His Power to give Life  
      1. Jarius’ daughter  
      2. Young man at Nain  
      3. Lazarus (John 11:1-44)  

CONCLUSION:  

He has never met a storm He could not calm; A human need He could not meet; A broken heart He could not mend; A soul He could not save.  

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