

FOURFOLD PRESENTATION OF CHRIST IN THE GOSPELS

	SYNOPTIC GOSPELS			JOHN
	MATTHEW	MARK	LUKE	
Apostolic Authority	Matthew	Peter	Paul	John
Audience	Nation of Israel (Jews)	Romans	Greeks	Church
Christ presented as...	<u>King</u> Messiah	<u>Servant</u> of Jehovah	Son of <u>Man</u> (humanity emphasized)	Son of <u>God</u> (Deity emphasized)
OT Prophecy...	"Behold, thy <u>King</u> " (Zec9:9) "Branch", " <u>King</u> " (Jer23:5)	"Behold, My <u>Servant</u> " (Isa52:13) "Branch", " <u>Servant</u> " (Zec3:8)	"Behold, the <u>Man</u> " (Zec6:12) "Branch", " <u>Man</u> " (Zec6:12)	"Behold, your <u>God</u> " (Isa40:9) "Branch", " <u>LORD</u> " (Isa4:2)
Corresponding Face of Cherubim	Lion	Ox	Man	Eagle
Genealogy of Christ	from Abraham (Matt1) (first Hebrew)	None (no pedigree for servant)	from Adam (Luk3) (first man)	God (Jn1:1) (eternally pre-existent)
Ministry Focus	Galilean	Galilean	Galilean	Judean
First Miracle	Leper cleansed	Demon cast out	Demon cast out	Water turned to wine
Progressive Endings	Resurrection	Ascension	Promise of Holy Spirit (Luke's Vol. 2: Acts)	Promise of Lord's Return (John's Vol. 2: Revelation)