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# 3. Jesus Is Compelling

Matthew chapter 11 verses 1 to 24 • Simon Chaplin

## INTRODUCTION

IF JESUS IS SO COMPELLING WHY DON'T MORE PEOPLE BELIEVE?

1) We have wrong \_\_\_\_\_ (verses 2-3)



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2) We want to be in \_\_\_\_\_ (verses 7-15)

3) We want more \_\_\_\_\_ (verses 20-24)

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## WHY JESUS IS COMPELLING

1) He fulfils \_\_\_\_\_

Matthew 11:3-4 & Isaiah 35:5-6, Isaiah 61:1

### **Isaiah. 35:5-6**

Then the eyes of the **blind** shall be opened, and the ears of the **deaf** unstopped; then shall the **lame** man leap like a deer, and the tongue of the mute sing for joy.

### **Isaiah 61:1**

The Spirit of the Lord God is upon me, because the Lord has anointed me to bring **good news to the poor.**

### **Matt 11:5**

The **blind** receive sight, the **lame** walk, those who have leprosy are cleansed, the **deaf** hear, the dead are raised, and the **good news is proclaimed to the poor.**

2) God's word is \_\_\_\_\_

Isaiah 61:1, 1 Corinthians 12:3, 1 Thessalonians 1:4

- what are we compelled to ?

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3) God's word show us his \_\_\_\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_

2 Corinthians 5:14

- what are we compelled to ?

## CONCLUSION



***Next week...***

**'Jesus is believable' • Jodie McNeill • John 20:24-31; 1 Corinthians 15:12-19**