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Philippians 2:5-6

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- ▶ He is the **Word** of God.
 - Is he a **legend**?
 - Is he a **liar**?
 - Is he a **lunatic**?
 - He is **Lord**.
- ▶ He is the **Author** of Life.
- ▶ He is the **Light** of the World.
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