# SONG OF JESUS A Gospel Project Proposal

# I. Purpose

To reveal, piece by piece, the life of Jesus—which is abundant and vivid with flesh and blood, for Christians and non-Christians alike to see and touch, to eat and drink. (John 6:55; 1 John 1:1)

## II. Origin

We know that grace and truth came by Jesus. Not only do the world's only hope and opportunity stem completely from Him, but the life and power of Christians also come from Him. (John 1:17; 15:5; 1 John 5:12; Acts 4:12, etc.)

We see that, for various reasons, the world does not value Jesus, does not know Jesus: they are missing Godgiven opportunities. At the same time, various reasons can also cause Christians to fail in focusing on Jesus, not eating and drinking Jesus, losing the power of faith.

We discover that although Jesus is a ration from Heaven, unless someone breaks the bread of Jesus from the Bible and feeds the people, piece by piece, it is difficult for individuals to be nourished by His life. (John 5:39-40; Luke 14:27; Acts 8:35)

#### III. Content

Focusing on the four Gospels, from the Old to the New Testament, to know Jesus. SONG OF JESUS consists of seven parts, 120 chapters:

The Great Love, layer by layer, unveiling the loving nature of Jesus (8 chapters).

The Great Grace, bit by bit, displaying the overwhelming grace of Jesus (25 chapters).

The Great Truth, piece by piece, revealing the pure truth of Jesus (24 chapters).

The Great Power, one by one, illustrating the amazing miracles of Jesus (19 Chapters).

The Great Suffering, step by step, experiencing the tremendous sacrifice of Jesus (10 Chapters).

The Great Righteousness, case by case, presenting the accomplishments of Jesus for mankind (17 chapters).

The Great Faith, stage by stage, understanding the Commission of Jesus to mankind (17 chapters).

#### IV. Format

A set of teaching materials. With a total of 120 lessons, each lesson includes leading questions and discussion questions. They can be used for Bible study, seminary courses, Sunday school, and personal spiritual enrichment.

*A set of videos.* With a total of 120 episodes, each about 30-40 minutes long, sermon based, produced with pictures, text, and music.

A monograph. Based on usage, discussion, and feedback, that will be edited into a book.

## V. Progress

It will be completed in four years: 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022.

*Teaching materials:* the 120 lessons were being developed as early as 2018; the first edited draft was completed in 2019. It will be test-run at a smaller scale in 2020. The final version will be done by the end of 2020.

#### Video:

As of April 2019, the preaching portion of the 120 lessons has been recorded.

Before April of 2020, the editing of the sermons in all 120 episodes will be completed.

By mid-2021, post-production of episodes 1-60 will be completed (around one episode per week), to be released slowly.

By mid-2022, post-production of episodes 61-120 will be completed.

*Monograph:* Published at the end of 2022.

## VI. Anticipation

From a big picture perspective: it is now winter – the season for roots to take hold, a time for waiting and preparation. When springtime arrives and the earth rejuvenates, we hope SONG OF JESUS can awaken Chinese believers, bringing forth a wave of energy, returning to Jesus, regaining power, and reviving life.

Inside the church – although the pastor emphasizes the church, the theologian emphasizes theology, and the average Christian follows tradition – the relationship between the foundation and the building cannot be misunderstood: in other words, the church, theology, tradition, etc. must be built upon the foundation of Jesus. (Matthew 16:18)

SONG OF JESUS is targeting those who build upon a foundation of Christ: serving the church, theology, ministry, and every single believer.

### VII. Prayer

*Manpower:* In addition to the Director and specialist that are already on staff, we need to hire a full-time video editor and a part-time text editor, as well as contractors for drawings, animations, special effects, etc.

**Resources:** film clips, drawings, animations, shooting, research, purchasing, drafting, etc.

**Distribution:** Website design, editing of teaching materials, monograph publishing, etc.

*Training:* Group trainings.

Please pray with us for the production, distribution and impact of the 120 episodes of SONG OF JESUS.