

The Authority of the Son

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John 5:18-29

- I. The Source of the Son's Authority (verses 18-24)
 - A. A glimpse into the mystery of the Trinity
 - B. To be a son is to be an equal
 - C. The Son imitates the Father
 - D. The Father delegates, the Son imitates

- II. The Extent of the Son's Authority (verses 25-29)
 - A. The authority of the Son of God (see 4:23; Genesis 2:7)
 - B. The authority of the Son of Man (see Daniel 7:13-14; 12:2-3)
 - C. The central importance of the resurrection
 - D. Resurrection and judgment
 - E. To rule is to judge

- III. The Blessing of the Son's Authority (verse 24)
 - A. Having eternal life (see Psalm 139:18b)
 - B. Passing from death to life (see Romans 8:1)