

Who is the “Majesty in heaven,” according to the Bible, God or Jesus?

“To the only God our Savior be glory, majesty, power and authority through Jesus Christ our Lord”—[Jude 25 NIV](#)



There is a popular song that is frequently sung in evangelical churches and groups called **“Majesty”** that calls Jesus Christ **“Majesty”**. There are two scriptures in the Bible that refer to **“the Majesty in heaven”**. Let’s look at them:

Who is “the Majesty” in the Bible?

“The Son . . . After he had provided purification for our sins, he sat down at the right hand of the Majesty in heaven”—[Hebrews 1:3 NIV](#)

“We do have such a high priest, who sat down at the right hand of the Majesty in heaven”—[Hebrews 8:1 NIV](#)

It is obvious from these two scriptures that **“the Son”**, Jesus Christ, **“sat down at the right hand of the Majesty”**, which means that Jesus Christ cannot be **“the Majesty in heaven”**. Since **“Christ is, seated at the right hand of God” ([Colossians 3:1 NIV](#))**, we can see that **“the Majesty in heaven”** is Almighty **“God”**. This means that Jesus Christ is not Almighty **“God”**.

It is true that the Bible says that Jesus Christ has **“majesty”**, because Peter said that **“we were eyewitnesses of his majesty” ([2 Peter 1:16 NIV](#))**. The word majesty here refers to a quality, not to a title. But Jesus is not **“the Majesty in heaven”**. Human kings were referred to as **“your Majesty” ([Judges 3:19](#); [1 Samuel 17:55](#); [23:20](#); [2 Samuel 14:4](#);**

15:34; 24:23; 25:7; Esther 7:3; Daniel 2:29-31,37; 3:10,12,18,24; 4:22-24,27; 5:18; 6:7,8,12,13,15,22). The Roman emperor was referred to as **"His Majesty"** (**Acts 25:26 NIV**). The title **"Majesty"** shows respect for the position, or office, that the human king holds. Of course, none of these are **"the Majesty in heaven"**.

The pagan **"goddess Artemis"** is referred to by idol-making, selling and worshipping pagans as having **"divine majesty"** (**Acts 19:27**). Since **"We know that 'An idol is nothing at all in the world'"** (**1 Corinthians 8:4 NIV**), the **"goddess Artemis"** **"is nothing"**.

The main point is that **"the Majesty in heaven"** is no one else but Almighty God, the Father of Jesus Christ! The Trinitarian tinged song **"Majesty"** is not only wrong to call Jesus Christ **"Majesty"**, because that is something that the Bible never does, but even worse, the song's lyrics actually contradict what the Bible actually does teach. Such lyrics promote false doctrine (**1 Timothy 1:4**).