

## John and the Cross — notes #4

**John 8** <sup>28</sup> Then Jesus said to them, “When you lift up the Son of Man (Ὅταν ὑψώσητε τὸν υἱὸν τοῦ ἀνθρώπου), then you will know that I am (ἐγὼ εἰμι), and I do nothing of myself; but as My Father taught me, I speak these things.

**John 8** <sup>23</sup> And He said to them, “You are from beneath; I am from above. You are of this world; I am not of this world.<sup>24</sup> Therefore I said to you that you will die in your sins; for if you do not believe that I am (ἐὰν γὰρ μὴ πιστεύσητε ὅτι ἐγὼ εἰμι), you will die in your sins.”

**John 3** <sup>13</sup> No one has ascended to heaven but He who came down from heaven, the Son of Man (mss **P66 P75 X B L**)

**John 8** <sup>56</sup> Your father Abraham rejoiced (ἠγαλλιάσατο) to see my day, and he saw it and was happy (ἐχάρη).” <sup>57</sup> Then the Jews said to him, “You are not yet fifty years old, and have you seen Abraham?” <sup>58</sup> Jesus said to them, “Amen, I say to you, before Abraham came to be, I am (πρὶν Ἀβραὰμ γενέσθαι ἐγὼ εἰμί).”

**John 13** <sup>19</sup> From this point on, I tell you before it comes, that when it does come to pass, you may believe that I am (ἵνα πιστεύσητε ὅταν γένηται ὅτι ἐγὼ εἰμι).

**MT Exodus 3** <sup>13</sup> And Moses said to God, "Behold I come to the children of Israel, and I say to them, 'The God of your fathers has sent me to you,' and they say to me, 'What is His name?' (יְהוָה מַה שְׁמֵוֹ) what shall I say to them?" <sup>14</sup> God said to Moses, "I am what I am (אֲנִי אֲשֶׁר אֲנִי), "So shall you say to the children of Israel, I am has sent me to you (אֲנִי אֲשֶׁר אֲנִי אֲשֶׁר אֲנִי)." "

**LXX Exodus 3** <sup>13</sup> And Moses said to God, "Behold I come to the children of Israel, and I say to them, 'The God of your fathers has sent me to you,' and they say to me, 'What is His name?' (τί ὄνομα αὐτῷ) what shall I say to them?" <sup>14</sup> God said to Moses, "I am He who is (ἐγὼ εἰμι Ὁ ὢν), "So shall you say to the children of Israel, He who is has sent me to you (Ὁ ὢν ἀπέσταλκέ με πρὸς ὑμᾶς)." "

**LXX 41** <sup>4</sup> Who has done and wrought these things, and summoned it, calling it forth (ἐκάλεσεν αὐτήν ὁ καλῶν αὐτήν) from the beginning of generations — I God, first and unto all future, I am (ἐγὼ Θεὸς πρῶτος καὶ εἰς τὰ ἐπερχόμενα ἐγὼ εἰμι).

**LXX Isaiah 43** <sup>10</sup> That you may know and believe and understand that I am (ὅτι ἐγὼ εἰμι)

**LXX Isaiah 48** <sup>12</sup> Hear me, Jacob, and Israel whom I call; I am first, and I am forever (ἐγὼ εἰμι πρῶτος, καὶ ἐγὼ εἰμι εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα).