Name Date

Handout 1-A

Who Do You Say That I Am?

**Part I: *“Who do you say that I am?”***

Imagine that Jesus is asking you this question, right here, right now. How do you respond? Write your honest, substantive answer in the blank space below. There are no wrong answers! Simply write thought- fully and authentically.

**Part II: *Questions.***

What are three questions that you have about Jesus? These may be factual questions about his life, death, or ministry, or they may be theological or philosophical questions about his identity or mission. Write these questions in the blank space below. **NOTE**: Do not write questions that can be answered with a simple *yes* or *no*.

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**Part III: *Pair share*.**

With your partner, complete the following tasks:

Share your responses to part I above. Then discuss your responses, noticing similarities and differences. In the blank space, write at least one interesting point that you heard from your partner.

Choose one question from part II above (it can be from your paper or your partner’s paper). Discuss this question together. “Go deep” with the question, considering different perspectives and viewpoints. Try to really understand your partner’s thoughts about the question, even if you do not agree. Record some notes (bullet points are okay) about your conversation in the blank space below.