

Have you ever stopped to wonder about your condition one minute after death?

Jesus Christ says there are two final destinies:

"Enter by the narrow gate; for wide is the gate and broad is the way that leads to destruction, and there are many who go in by it. Because narrow is the gate and difficult is the way which leads to life, and there are few who find it" (Matthew 7:13-14).

Hell is the prepared destiny of the wicked, rebellious, fearful, and indifferent:

"Then He will also say to those on the left hand, 'Depart from Me, you cursed, into the everlasting fire prepared for the devil and his angels'" (Matthew 25:41).

Heaven is the prepared home for those "written in the book of life:"

"Then the King will say to those on His right hand, 'Come, you blessed of My Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world:'" (Matthew 25:34).

Heaven is a place of eternal bliss for the faithful:

"And God will wipe away every tear from their eyes; there shall be no more death, nor sorrow, nor crying. There shall be no more pain, for the former things have passed away" (Revelation 21:4).

God rewards the faithful disciple:

"And let us not grow weary while doing good, for in due season we shall reap if we do not lose heart" Galatians 6:10.

Many people find these things impossible to believe, but for those who know that God gave up His Son to die on the cross to save us eternally, these truths are the only things that make sense.