

THE ETERNAL HOME OF THE LOST

Luke 16:19-31

1. Preaching the fate of the lost.

- (a) Not a popular doctrine
- (b) Not a pleasant discussion
- (c) But a powerful reality

2 destinies for the souls of men.

*Preach with love*

I. THE CERTAINTY OF HELL.

264 chapters in

1. The Universal Consent of Mankind. *OUT*

2. The moral unfitness of the wicked.... They cannot even see God. "Without holiness no man can see the Lord."

*the holiness of God - 234 warnings N.T. of E.P.*

3. The WORD of GOD.

Psa. 9:17- "The wicked shall be turned into Hell and all nations that forget God."

Dan. 12:2- "And many of them that sleep in the dust of the earth shall awake, some to everlasting life, and some to shame and everlasting contempt."

Isa. 14:9- "Hell from beneath is moved to meet thee at thy coming."

Psa. 11:6- "Upon the wicked he shall rain snares, fire and brimstone, and an horrible tempest: this shall be the portion of their cup"

Matt. 5:29- "And if thy right eye offend thee, pluck it out, and cast it from thee; for it is profitable for thee that one of thy members perish, and not that thy whole body should be cast into hell."

*Sermon on mount.*

Rev. 20:15- "And whosoever was not found written in the ~~lake of fire~~ book of life was cast into the lake of fire."

4. The WORK OF CHRIST.

- (a) The bloody sweat in Gethsemane
- (b) The Cross of Calvary

*of everyone is to be ultimately saved why did Jesus die?*

5. Human Logic.

*SAL. offered - not imposed.*

II. THE CHARACTER OF HELL.

L. A Place of SEPARATION.

*Luke 16: 26-31*

Matt. 25:41- "Then shall he shall also unto them on the left hand; Depart from me, ye cursed, into everlasting fire, prepared for the devil and his angels."



God holds them in being

Hell has a one-way Door - look in eyes

God is present in Hell - in Judgment unrestrained

We begin eternity where we left off in time

In hell men must face the God they hated & rejected

Do you think that after I spared not his own Son I'd spare you? No -

God gave them up - "no rest" - Communist torture

Sin remember = 1st voice that greets man when he steps across threshold of eternity

man whose family was killed & was hypnotized to forget it.



1. Separation from God's presence and God's blessings.

- (a) From loved ones.
- (b) All Christians.
- (c) A Christless eternity.

*gulf  
beyond  
all mental  
faculties*

II. A Place of SUFFERING.

A. Suffer the Fire of Hell.

Matt. 25:41

Matt. 13:42- "And shall cast them into a furnace of fire: there shall be wailing and gnashing of teeth."

Isa. 33:14- "The sinners in Zion are afraid; fearfulness hath surprised the hypocrites. Who among us shall dwell with the devouring fire? who among us shall dwell with everlasting burnings?"

The rich man. *flame* Rev 20:15

(a) If the description of it is so horrible, what must the reality be?

*unsatisfied*

III. A PLACE OF FEARFUL TORMENT, OF INSATIABLE DESIRES AND APPETITES.

Luke 13:28- "There shall be weeping and gnashing of teeth, when ye shall see Abraham, and Isaac, and Jacob and all the prophets, and you yourselves thrust out."

Rev. 14:11- "And the smoke of their torment ascendeth up for ever and ever: and they have no rest day nor night."

- 1. Drink
- 2. sex - *passions*

*Pick man wanted*

IV. SUFFER MEMORY. "Son, remember."

- 1. 10,000 scorpion stings into your soul.

The DRUNKARD. wretched home, agonizing wife, starving picture children:

GAMBLER-ruined victims of his vice:

MURDERER- ghastly face and oozing blood

SEDUCER- innocent spoil of ungodly passion

BLASPHEMER-dishonored use of God's Holy Name.

CHRIST-REJECTER- fresh red of the bloody sacrifice



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"5 brothers" - He was  
excusing himself

the reason  
he was in hell is  
because he wouldn't  
repent!



1. Memory like a fanged hound of Hell...the flames would be a relief if they could erase memory.

The CRAVING LUSTS denied, TORN from LOVED ONES, BANISHED FROM PRESENCE of GOD, MEMORY-QUICKENED, and LIFE-DAMNING MISTAKES recalled...conscience, like a tormenting devil strikes terror to the guilty soul.

V. LOWEST COMPANY.

Rev. 21:8- "But the fearful, and unbelieving, and the abominable, and murderers, and whoremongers, and sorcerers, and idolaters, and all liars, shall have their part in the lake which burneth with fire and brimstone."

IV REAP HARVEST OF SINFUL INFLUENCE: Parents..

III THE CROWDS OF HELL.

1 Cor. 6:9,10- "Know ye not that the unrighteous shall not inherit the kingdom of God? Be not deceived: neither fornicators, nor idolaters, nor adulterers, nor effeminate, nor abusers of themselves with mankind,

nor thieves, nor covetous, nor drunkards, nor revilers, nor extortioners, shall inherit the kingdom of God."

Rev. 21:8

1. There are no classes here...no choice of associates

LOST SINNERS GO TO HELL.

Rom. 6:23

Ezek. 18:4- "...the soul that sinneth, it shall die."

MORAL PEOPLE GO TO HELL.

The rich man could have been moral....

CHRIST-REJECTORS GO TO HELL.

John 3:36...To reject Christ is to reject the only possible way of escape from Hell.

Heb. 2:3 "...How shall we escape...."



she demons  
asked Jesus not to  
send them back  
to Hell yet some  
of you are determined  
to go there!

8:10 AM

the Biggest Hypocrite is  
Christian who believes in  
Hell but not a soul-  
Winner!

if a man goes to hell, the  
fault is not in the warning or  
the preaching, but in  
his own stubborn will.

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