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In Luke 16:19-31, the Bible says:

¹⁹There was a certain rich man, which was clothed in purple and fine linen, and fared sumptuously every day:

²⁰And there was a certain beggar named Lazarus, which was laid at his gate, full of sores,

²¹And desiring to be fed with the crumbs which fell from the rich man's table: moreover the dogs came and licked his sores.

²²And it came to pass, that the beggar died, and was carried by the angels into Abraham's bosom: the rich man also died, and was buried;

²³And in hell he lift up his eyes, being in torments, and seeth Abraham afar off, and Lazarus in his bosom.

²⁴And he cried and said, Father Abraham, have mercy on me, and send Lazarus, that he may dip the tip of his finger in water, and cool my tongue; for I am tormented in this flame.

²⁵But Abraham said, Son, remember that thou in thy lifetime receivedst thy good things, and likewise Lazarus evil things: but now he is comforted, and thou art tormented.

²⁶And beside all this, between us and you there is a great gulf fixed: so that they which would pass from hence to you cannot; neither can they pass to us, that would come from thence.

²⁷Then he said, I pray thee therefore, father, that thou wouldest send him to my father's house:

²⁸For I have five brethren; that he may testify unto them, lest they also come into this place of torment.

²⁹Abraham saith unto him, They have Moses and the prophets; let them hear them.

³⁰And he said, Nay, father Abraham: but if one went unto them from the dead, they will repent.

³¹And he said unto him, If they hear not Moses and the prophets, neither will they be persuaded, though one rose from the dead.

God has a purpose this afternoon, why God allowed me to meet this missionary.

And you can say death is real. Okay? Death is real. That place called Hell is real. Hell is a place of suffering, a place of sorrow. You cannot serve ice water in Hell. So it's a place of sorrow, a place of suffering, and a place where worms dieth not.

Our life is very short on this Earth. We need to meditate on God's Word. Did you try to think? Heaven is a place for those people who accepted Jesus Christ as their Lord and Saviour. They will have a mansion in Heaven. I'm so glad in the future I have a mansion in Heaven. Amen.

Don't worry. Heaven is the place for those who accepted Jesus Christ as their Lord and Saviour. The Bible says in John 1:12: *But as*



many as received him, to them gave he power to become the sons of God, even to them that believe on his name.

Sometimes we memorize this verse, but you know what? We need to receive the Lord Jesus Christ in order to get to Heaven. Amen.

In John 3:16, *For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.*

In John 3:18: *He that believeth on him is not condemned.*

God has a plan for you and for me. That is sure. Hell is real and Heaven is real.

Are you ready to face death? What is your decision this afternoon as you hear the Word of God? Are you willing to accept the gift of salvation?

In order to do that, we need to realize for ourselves we are sinners. We need a Saviour, and that Saviour is the Lord Jesus Christ. We need to accept Him, trust Him. If you are willing, try to pray this.

Dear Lord, I realize sooner or later and I hear from the Word of God that You are a Saviour, that You are given to this Earth to redeem man. And Lord, I pray and I will accept You as my Lord and Saviour. Amen.

I hope that the Word of God is a blessing to you.