WHERE WILL YOU SPEND ETERNITY?

Dear Friend,

Have you ever thought about where you will spend eternity after you die? If you were to die right now, do you know whether you would go heaven or go to hell for all eternity? The Bible is able to give you the answers.

John 3:16 says: "For God so loved the world, that He gave His only Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life."

1 John 5:11-12 says: And this is the testimony, that God gave us eternal life, and this life is in His Son. 12 Whoever has the Son has life; whoever does not have the Son of God does not have life.

The Bible teaches that eternal life is found through the Person of Jesus Christ and that whoever rejects Christ will be condemned to eternal punishment in hell.

We are all sinners who have sinned and rebelled against a just and holy God (Romans 3:23). We have all broken one or more of God's laws and commandments and so we all deserve eternal punishment in hell.

Fortunately God is loving, merciful and full of grace. The only way we can be forgiven of all our sins past, present and future, is through belief in Jesus Christ and receiving the FREE gift of eternal life which He paid for us on the cross.

Ephesians 2:8-9 says: For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, 9 not a result of works, so that no one may boast.

Jesus died on the cross for our sins and rose on the third day. Christ died in our place, as our Substitute, to atone for our sins and allow us to enter into a right relationship with God.

We cannot pay for our own sins and transgressions by our own effort or works and therefore Jesus Christ became our Substitute by paying our debt for sin. This debt or penalty for our sins was paid through the sacrifice and blood that Jesus shed on the cross.

Christ alone was qualified to pay our eternal debt for sin and He alone fulfilled God's perfect requirements of God's laws on our behalf.

1 John 2:2 says: He (Christ) is the propitiation for our sins, and not for ours only but also for the sins of the whole world.
1. WE ARE ALL SINNERS & OUR SINS SEPARATE US FROM GOD
   Romans 3:23 - For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God,

2. THE WAGES OF SIN IS DEATH
   Romans 6:23 - For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

3. WE CANNOT PAY THE PRICE FOR OUR SINS WITH OUR OWN EFFORT / OWN RIGHTEOUSNESS
   Isaiah 64:6 - We have all become like one who is unclean, and all our righteous deeds are like a polluted garment. We all fade like a leaf, and our iniquities, like the wind, take us away.

4. GOD LOVES YOU AND HAS A REDEMPTION PLAN FOR YOU
   John 3:16 - For God so loved the world, that He gave His only Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life.

5. JESUS PAID OUR DEBT FOR SIN THAT WE COULD NOT PAY
   Isaiah 53:5 - But He was wounded for our transgressions; He was crushed for our iniquities; upon Him was the chastisement that brought us peace, and with His stripes we are healed.
   Mark 10:45 - For even the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give His life as a ransom for many.

6. JESUS CHRIST IS THE ONLY WAY WE CAN RECONCILE WITH GOD
   John 14:6 - Jesus said to him, "I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through Me.

1 Timothy 2:5 - For there is one God, and there is one Mediator between God and men, the Man Christ Jesus,

7. REPENT (CHANGE YOUR MIND) & RECEIVE JESUS CHRIST TODAY
   John 1:12 - But to all who did receive Him, who believed in His name, He gave the right to become children of God,

   Acts 16:30-31 - Then he brought them out and said, "Sirs, what must I do to be saved?" 31 And they said, "Believe in the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved, you and your household."

   Romans 10:9-10 - Because, if you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised Him from the dead, you will be saved. 10 For with the heart one believes and is justified, and with the mouth one confesses and is saved.

You can make your eternal decision today. Below is a prayer guide...

"Lord Jesus, I thank You for Your love. I thank You that You died on the cross for me and resurrected so that I may have life through You. I confess Lord, that I have sinned against God, and today I ask You to forgive me of all of my sins, past present and future. I repent and I ask You to cleanse me Jesus. Thank You for forgiving my sins. From this moment, come into my life Lord Jesus & take full control of my life. I want to follow You Jesus and I want to follow Your ways. Save me and from today, make me the person You want me to be. I receive You Lord Jesus right now by faith. I trust You as my Lord and Savior – Amen"