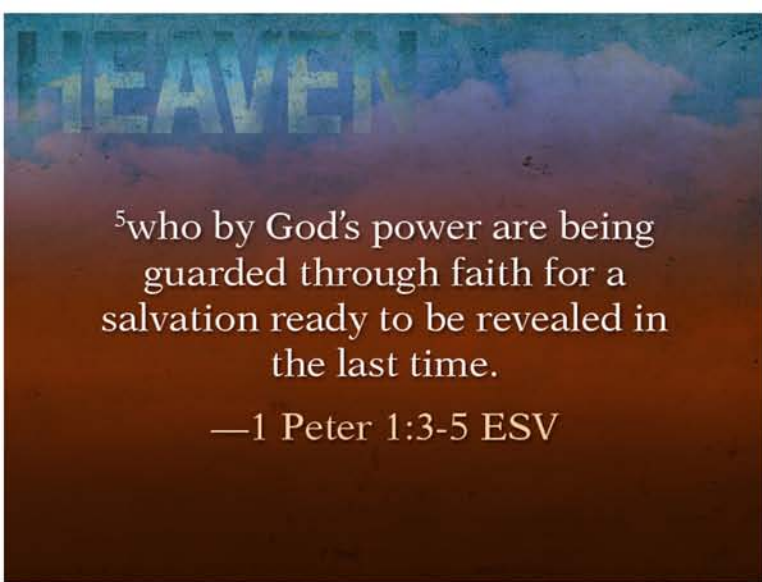


³Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! According to his great mercy, he has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, ⁴to an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading, kept in heaven for you...

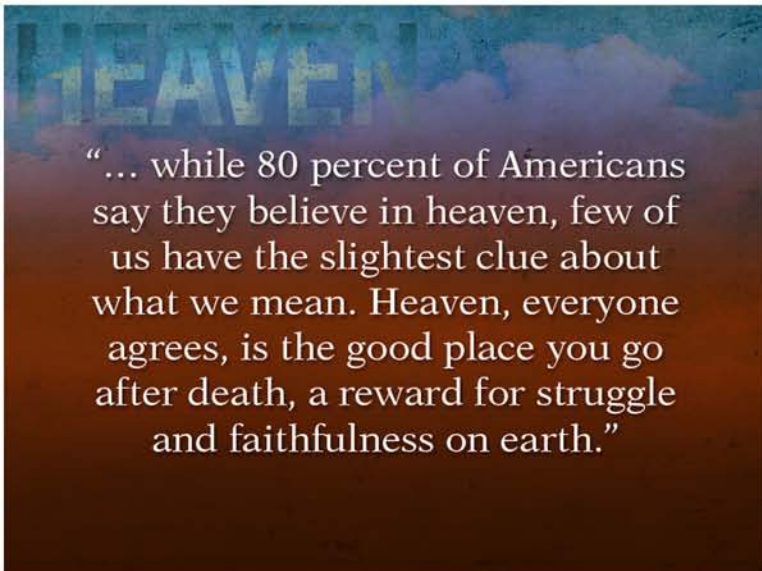
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⁵who by God's power are being guarded through faith for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time.

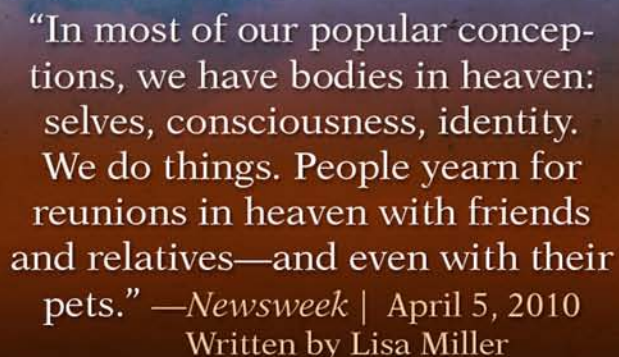
—1 Peter 1:3-5 ESV

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“... while 80 percent of Americans say they believe in heaven, few of us have the slightest clue about what we mean. Heaven, everyone agrees, is the good place you go after death, a reward for struggle and faithfulness on earth.”

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“In most of our popular conceptions, we have bodies in heaven: selves, consciousness, identity. We do things. People yearn for reunions in heaven with friends and relatives—and even with their pets.” —*Newsweek* | April 5, 2010
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What Do People Think About Heaven?

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Every time you see a shooting star...

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God needed another angel
in heaven.

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We will sit on clouds and
play harps.

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We won't know we are going
to heaven until we get there.

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You get to heaven by being
a good person.

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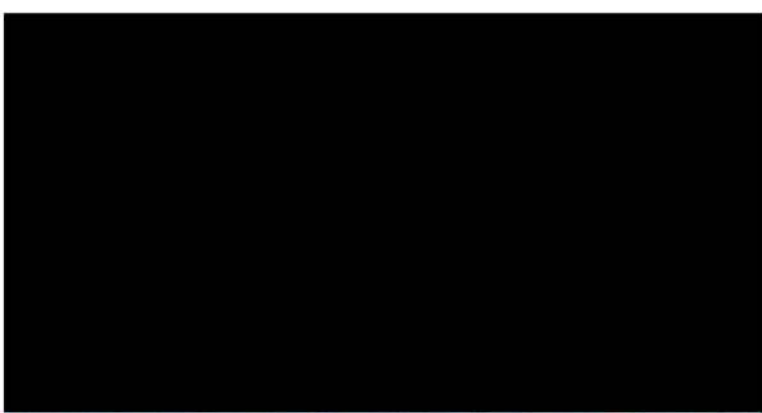
What Does the Bible Say
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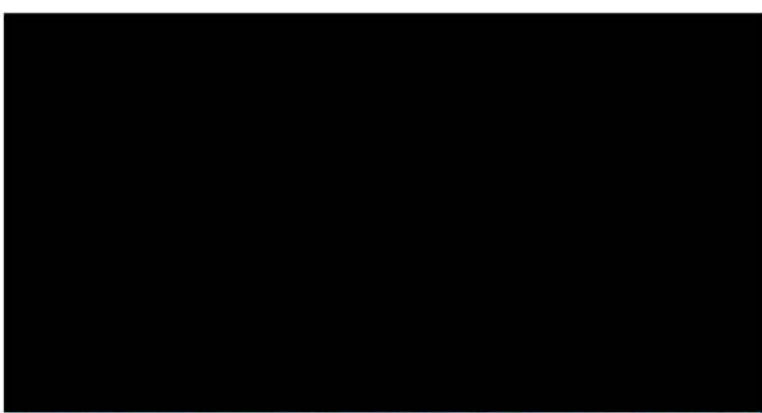
1. Heaven is a Real Destination
John 14:1-4

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2. Heaven is a Living Hope
1 Peter 1:1-5

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You need a reservation.

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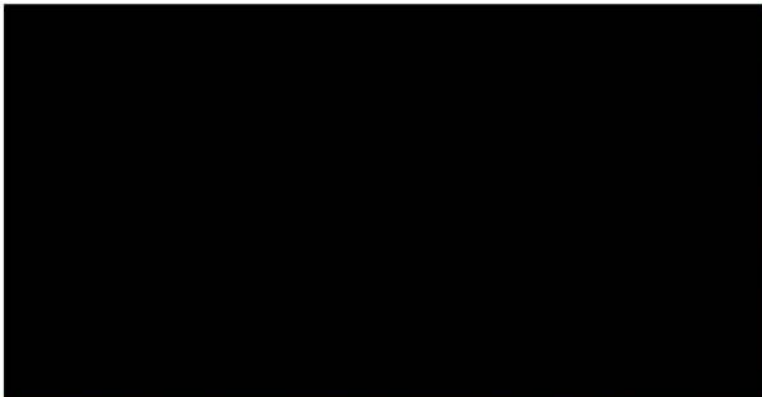
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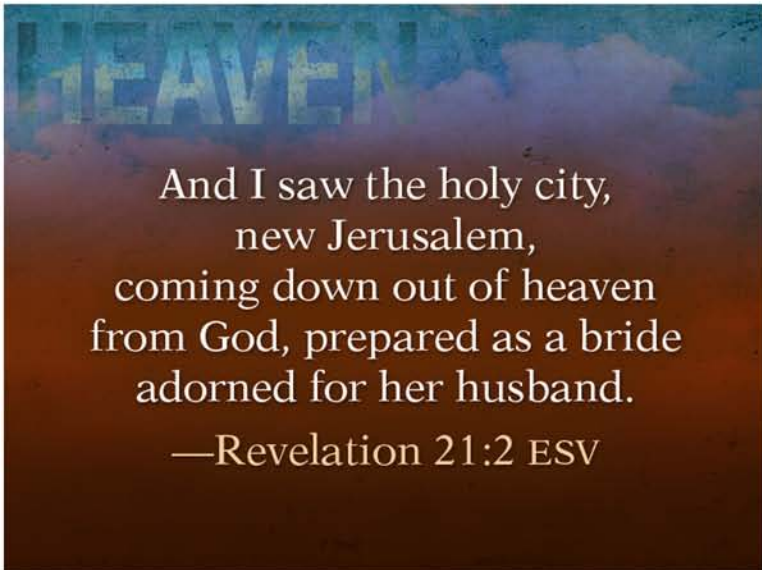
3. Heaven is a Perfect Place Where...
Everything is New

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...to an inheritance that is imperishable,
undefiled, and unfading...
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And I saw the holy city,
new Jerusalem,
coming down out of heaven
from God, prepared as a bride
adorned for her husband.

—Revelation 21:2 ESV

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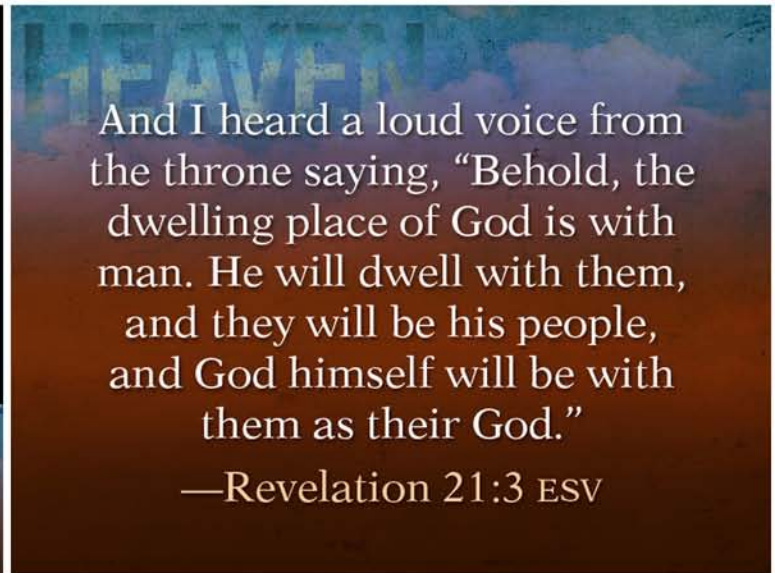


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3. Heaven is a Perfect Place Where...
Everything (and Everyone) is Near

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And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, "Behold, the dwelling place of God is with man. He will dwell with them, and they will be his people, and God himself will be with them as their God."

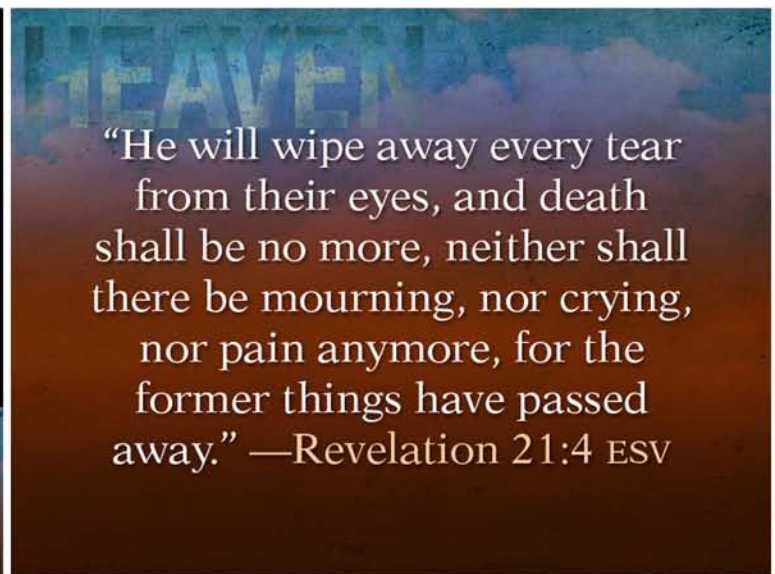
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3. Heaven is a Perfect Place Where...
Suffering is No More

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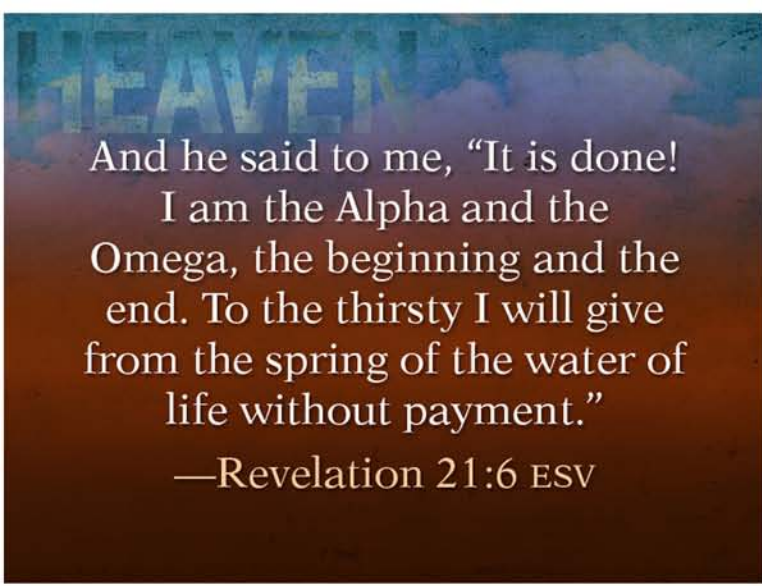
"He will wipe away every tear from their eyes, and death shall be no more, neither shall there be mourning, nor crying, nor pain anymore, for the former things have passed away." —Revelation 21:4 ESV

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3. Heaven is a Perfect Place Where...
You Will Never Need More

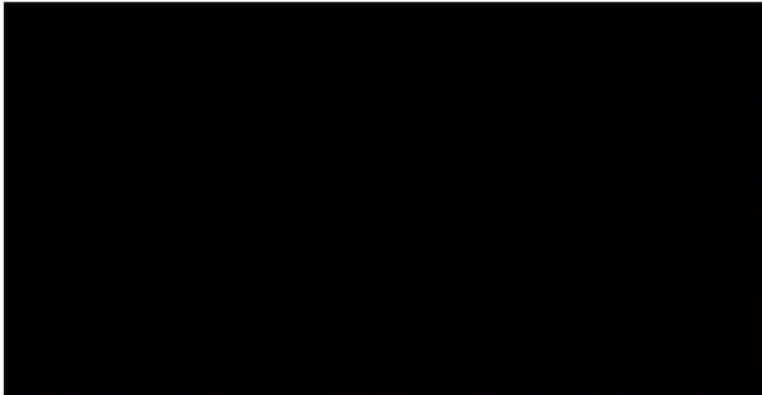
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And he said to me, “It is done!
I am the Alpha and the
Omega, the beginning and the
end. To the thirsty I will give
from the spring of the water of
life without payment.”

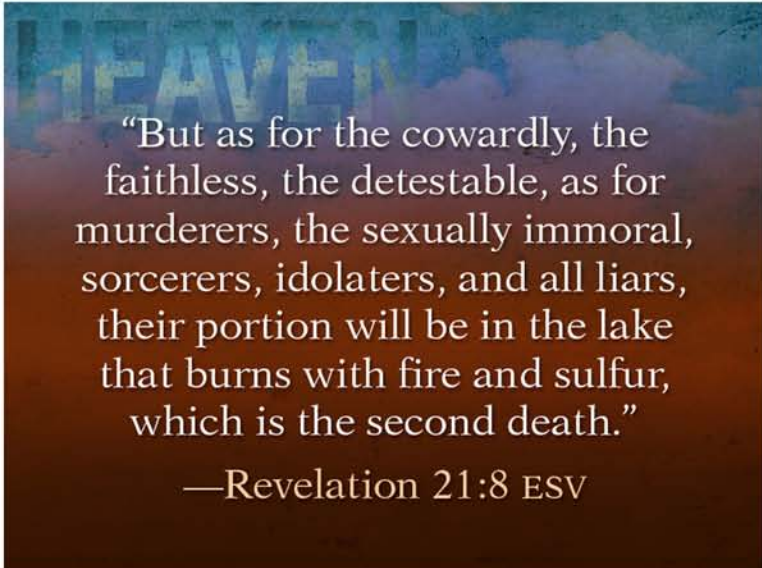
—Revelation 21:6 ESV

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4. How Can You Know If You
Will Go to Heaven?


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“But as for the cowardly, the
faithless, the detestable, as for
murderers, the sexually immoral,
sorcerers, idolaters, and all liars,
their portion will be in the lake
that burns with fire and sulfur,
which is the second death.”

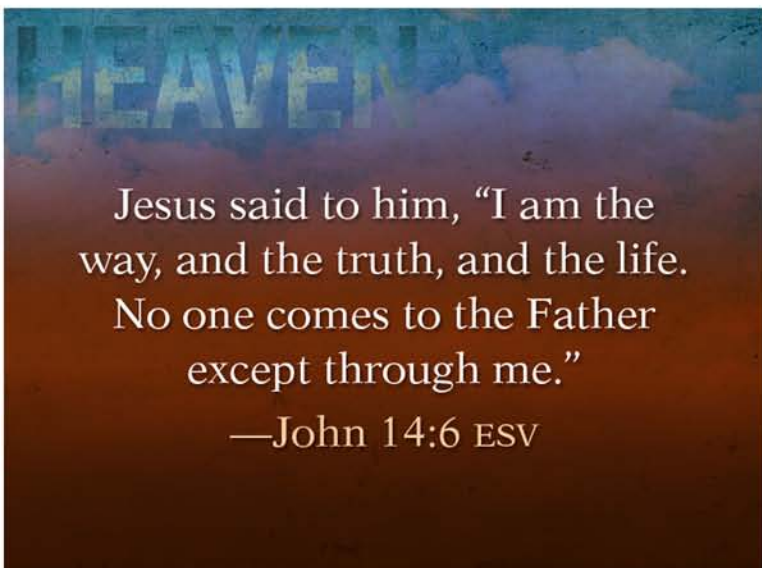
—Revelation 21:8 ESV

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As awesome as heaven is,
hell is awful!


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Jesus said to him, “I am the
way, and the truth, and the life.
No one comes to the Father
except through me.”

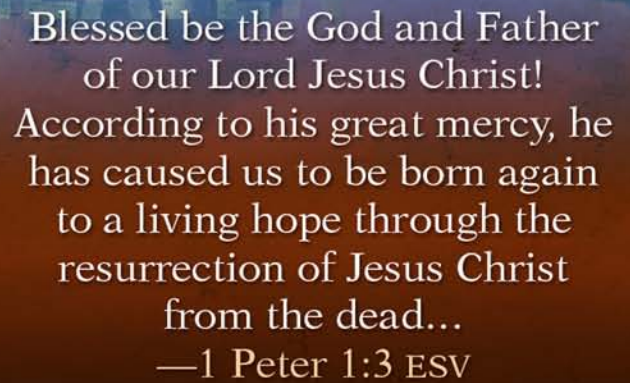
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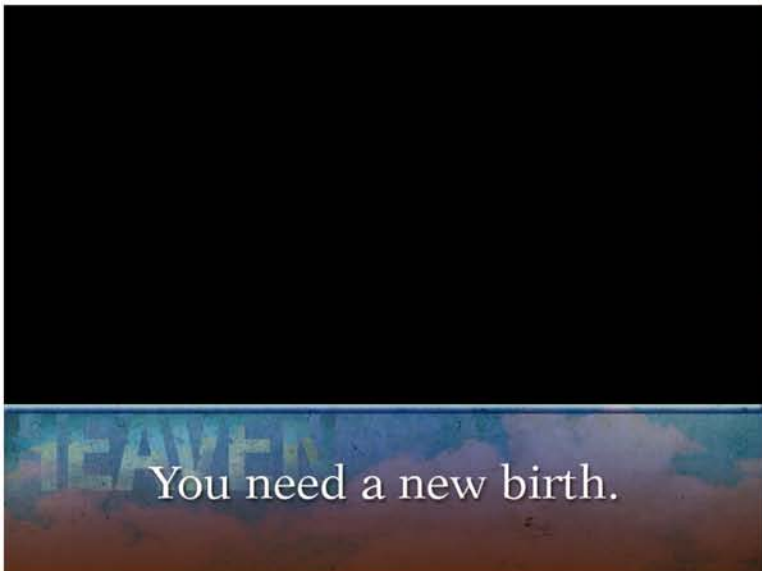
There is only one way.

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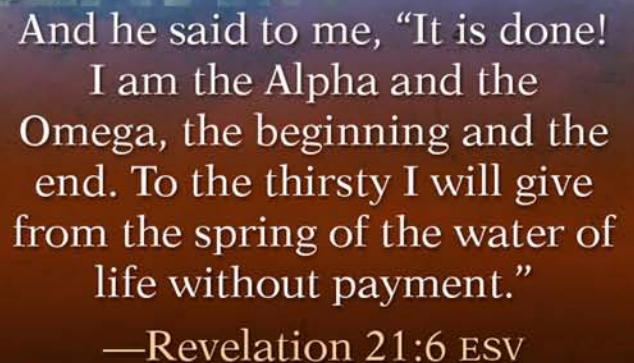
Blessed be the God and Father
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resurrection of Jesus Christ
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You need a new birth.

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Receive Christ and make
a reservation!

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What About Heaven?

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