



### **I AM THE WAY**

I Am The Way Pt 1  
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***“You will know the truth, and the truth will set you free.”*** John 8:32 (NLT)

#### **The Interaction Jesus had with Nicodemus:**

##### **John 3**

(v. 1) *Now there was a Pharisee, a man named Nicodemus who was a member of the Jewish ruling council.*

(v. 2) *He came to Jesus at night and said “Rabbi, we know that you are a teacher who has come from God. For no one could perform the signs you are doing if God were not with Him.”*

(v. 3) *Jesus replied, “I tell you the **TRUTH**, unless you are born again you cannot see the Kingdom of God.”*

(v. 4) *“What do you mean?” exclaimed Nicodemus. “HOW can an old man go back into his mother’s womb and be born again?”*

(v. 5) *Jesus answered, “I tell you the **TRUTH** – no one can **enter** the kingdom of God unless they are born of water and the Spirit.*

(v. 6) *“Flesh gives birth to flesh, but the Spirit gives birth to spirit.*

(v. 7) *“Nicodemus – you should not be surprised at my saying, ‘You must be born again.’*

(v. 9) *“How are these things possible?” Nicodemus asked.*

(v. 14) *“And just as Moses lifted up the bronze snake on a pole in the desert, so the Son of Man must be lifted up...”*

(v. 15) ***“...so that everyone who believes in Him will have eternal life.”***

(v. 16) *“For God so loved the world that He gave His one and only Son, so that everyone who believes in Him will not perish but have eternal life.”*

#### **Conclusion:**

The message of Jesus Christ was NOT that:

- **Good** people go to heaven.

The message of Jesus Christ was that:

- **Forgiven** people go to heaven.

And that forgiveness is found through the person of Jesus Christ!

**Prayer:**

*Heavenly Father – I need a Savior!*

*And I believe Jesus is **the** Savior.*

*I believe He came to be **MY** Savior.*

*And I am placing all of my trust in Christ's death on the cross as the full payment for my sin.*

*Please receive me into your family.*

*And give me the gift of eternal life.*

*In Jesus name I pray – amen.*