LIFE GROUPS

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

- 1. When you were a child, where did you believe people go when they die?
- 2. Read John 3:16-17. What do these verses suggest about God's heart for the world?
- 3. Read Luke 16:19-31. Note the differences between the earthly lives of Lazarus and the rich man.
- 4. Contrast Lazarus and the rich man's eternal destinies.
- 5. The Bible teaches heaven and hell are the two possibilities for each person's eternal destiny. How does this teaching affect the way you live now?



You Asked For It

Part 5

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- 6. Read Luke 23:39-43. What did the criminal on the cross do to receive the promise of eternal paradise by Jesus? When and where did the criminal's spirit go after he died on the cross?
- 7. Read 2 Corinthians 5:6-8. What do these verses teach about what happens to true disciples of Jesus when they die?
- 8. Why is the topic of hell so offensive to some in our culture? Do you think it is narrow-minded to believe people go to hell if they do not trust solely in Jesus as their savior and lord?
- 9. How can Christians share the good news (saved from separation from God in hell to being eternally in heaven with the Lord) in a world of relativism (where all roads lead to heaven)?
- 10. Read Revelation 20:11-15. Describe what the "great white throne" judgment will be like. Where will you go when you die?
- 11. If you trust in what God has said about eternity, how does that compel you to share the good news with others? What will you do about it?

