

# The Default Destination

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Matthew 7:13 Enter ye in at the **strait** gate.  
Matt 7:12 What ye want others to do **to you**  
Rev 21:4 God shall wipe away **all** tears  
Luke 13:3 Except ye **repent**, ye shall all  
Heb 12:25 See that you do not **refuse** Him

1 As world conditions worsen by the day, *the default destination* comes ever nearer.

2 The choice of the Lord's Plan to follow or the World's Mark to take, is a critical choice indeed. The freewill choice God gave to Adam is still the choice we have today.

3 What does the *future* hold for those who trust God *in faith* while still living here *on earth*? That can be the question on the minds of believers.

4 The default destination of most, unfortunately, will *not* be what they think. The default way is wide and AV Matthew 7:13 "*Leadeth to destruction, and many there be which go in thereat.*"

5 The summary of *all* prophetic books and the Torah teach the following AV Matthew 7:12 "*Therefore all things whatsoever ye would that men should do to you, do ye even so to them: for this is the law and the prophets.*"

6 If we would ask ourselves how *we* would like someone to treat *us*, and then treat *them* in *that* way, there would be many less problems, far less criticism, and ridicule or offensive remarks would not be heard.

7 If we do nothing about the nature we were born with—if we just *let it go* and just *keep on doing* what that *nature* has us do—seeing the *worst* in others but *never* seeing that in ourselves—the *default destination* will be our *fate* along with the rest of the unbelieving world.

8 However, if we refuse to keep that *default disposition* and instead choose the *Truth* God has given us, then our destination will be with the chosen few who truly *believe* and actively *follow* the words of Jesus.

9 With the Holy Spirit's help, we can *overcome* the tendency to be critical and negative about others, and we will start thinking the best and positive things of them.

10 We can then look forward to being with those who are NKJV Revelation 7:15 "*Before the throne of God, and serve Him day and night in His temple.*"

11 God knows the future and *He* knows how marvelous *Heaven* is—all we know is that we *cannot* miss it!

12 *Life goes on way beyond earth!* This is not the end of life, but just a continuing of it in another place. God promises an *eternal* existence that is *so different* from this very *short* existence.

13 AV Revelation 21:4 "*God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes; and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow, nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain.*"

14 There have been more tears shed on earth than could ever be counted, but in Heaven all sorrow, grief, and regrets are over and gone forever!

15 If someone has met with a loss, we try to comfort—*There are no words—I can only say God's Words to help console.*

16 There is no *manual* of actual instructions, just *Emmanuel* of our salvation with us to comfort us!

17 One day all sorrow will vanish like darkness at sunrise. One day all mourning will be over—dimly recalled or *not* remembered. God has promised to make *all things new*.

18 Revelation informs us that the *new* Heaven and earth will be the destination of *only a few*—those who *know, believe, trust*, and act in faith on Jesus' instructions.

19 Heaven is *only* for those who realize *where* the *default disposition* is *taking* them and they *do* something about it—they *listen* to Jesus AV Luke 13:3, 5 "*Except ye repent, ye shall all likewise perish.*"

20 The *default destination* is way over-crowded because the majority of people are AV Revelation 21:8 "*The fearful, and unbelieving, and the abominable, and murderers, and [immoral NLT], and sorcerers [witchcraft], and idolaters, and all liars, shall have their part in the lake which burneth with fire and brimstone: which is the second death.*"

21 There are people today *inside* churches who will be *outside* Paradise—because even having done *good* and *helpful* things, such deeds have no merit to pay their way into Heaven. They lacked an active faith and believing trust on the atoning Blood of Jesus.

22 The *first* group kept out of Heaven are the *fearful* and *unbelieving*—fearful of trusting an unseen God by faith.

23 It takes *courage* to be a Christian and to trust on the atoning sacrifice of Christ for health and healing. The world mocks our faith and may persecute us for trusting God.

24 The *second* group disqualified are the *abominable* and *murderers*. *Abominable* means horrible and despicable—those involved in wicked, evil lifestyles, or take the life of another and have no remorse for committing that serious sin.

**25** The *third* mentioned are the *immoral*—from the Greek *porneia* or the English *pornography*—including immoral thoughts, acts, and deeds.

**26** It includes all forms of such actions—and these increase in the world on a daily basis. Millions have no restraint nor desire to change.

**27** The *fourth* type disqualified are *sorcerers*—those involved in witchcraft and the occult. The word comes from *pharmakeia* or *pharmacy*. It means unlawful use of drugs. In the first century they used powerful drugs in their worship of false gods.

**28** The *idolaters*—refers to allowing anything take the place of God. The sin of idolatry is not just those who bow down to statues—it is *anything*; *anyone*; or any *interest* that has become more important than God. He is a *jealous* God and does *not permit* rivals.

**29** The idea in this list of disqualified people is that if anyone is *involved* in or *pursuing* any type of sinful activity, they must repent and ask God to forgive them.

**30** If they continue, they will not enter the kingdom of God where all repentant sinners abide.

**31** God *makes* the rules and *sets* the qualification for entrance into His Kingdom—we have the *choice* to either *follow* these qualifications or *reject* them.

**32** Some think that a God of love would never condemn anyone to a lake of burning sulfur. Those who *think* like that do not really *know* God nor do they know what *qualifies* them for His Kingdom.

**33** God is *surely* a God of love—AV 1 John 4:8 “*He that loveth not knoweth not God; for God is love.*” NKJV 1 John 4:16 “*God is love, and he who abides in love abides in God, and God in him.*”

**34** God wants *everyone* to *repent* and *escape* a horrible burning lake—but the *decision* to *repent* and turn away from a wrong life; or to be delivered from unscriptural attitudes is *our* decision—no one can make that decision for us.

**35** God is love, but also a just and right God! Everyone is given a *choice* and all the *information* needed to make the *right* choice—it is all clearly printed in the Bible.

**36** The O.T. was written to warn people of the seriousness of rebellion and disobeying God. AV Deuteronomy 4:24 “*For the LORD thy God is a consuming fire, even a jealous God.*”

**37** They were *not listening* to God in the OT and even *less* are listening today.

**38** God gave many warnings. NKJV Deuteronomy 8:19 “*Then it shall be, if you by any means forget the Lord your God, and follow other gods, and serve them and worship them, I testify against you this day that you shall surely perish.*”

**39** The *default destination* is a lake on fire—*no one* should *ever* go there—not for a *minute*; not for a *second*—much less for an *eternity* and never getting out of that dreadful place!

**40** It is too horrible to think about—it *must* be *avoided* and Jesus *accepted* as our Savior, Supplier, Healer, Deliverer, and the Author of our salvation—it is an absolute *must*!

**41** AV Revelation 21:6 “*And he said unto me, It is done. I am Alpha and Omega, the beginning and the end. I will give unto him that is athirst of the fountain of the water of life freely.*”

**42** 7 He that *overcometh* shall inherit all things; and I will be his God, and he shall be my son.”

**43** God knows the beginning to the end—and we can end our life walking with His Son or traveling with the world—it’s our choice! God has spoken from Heaven—we must be *listening*!

**44** When we *resent* and do *not repent*, we are *not* listening to Him, and we are *not* following Jesus. We are *not* acting from love and compassion toward others.

**45** NKJV Hebrews 12:25 “*See that you do not refuse Him who speaks. For if they did not escape who refused Him who spoke on earth, much more shall we not escape if we turn away from Him who speaks from heaven.*”

**46** The *devil* is heading millions of people to the *default destination*—but we are promised a *paradise kingdom*—by faith in the atoning sacrifice of the Lord Jesus.

**47** NKJV Hebrews 12:28 “*Therefore, since we are receiving a kingdom which cannot be shaken, let us have grace, by which we may serve God acceptably with reverence and godly fear.*”

**48** Hebrews 13:1 “*Let brotherly love continue*”—it’s the only way the *Default Destination* will be changed to a *Paradise Kingdom*!



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